### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

# Calcium binding site in AA10 LPMO from *Vibrio cholerae* suggests modulating effects during environmental survival and infection

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Table S1. Donor-metal distances in the newly discovered cation-binding site

		Ca <sup>2+</sup>		K <sup>+</sup>			
	Donor	Measured (Å) PDB ID: 7PB7 (Ca <sup>2+</sup> )	Expected (Å) (Ca <sup>2+</sup> )	Measured (Å) PDB ID: 7PB6 (K <sup>+</sup> )	Expected (Å) (K <sup>+</sup> )		
Asp70	carboxylate oxygen 1	2.46	2.4-2.7	2.82	2.6-2.9		
	carboxylate oxygen 2	2.50	2.4-2.7	-	_		
Asp185	carboxylate oxygen 1	2.30	2.3-2.5	2.71	2.6-2.9		
	carboxylate oxygen 2	4.10	3.0-4.6	-	_		
Val186	backbone carbonyl	2.39	2.3-2.5	2.55	2.6-2.9		
Thr189	backbone carbonyl	2.41	2.3-2.5	2.76	2.6-2.9		
Ala191	backbone carbonyl	2.58	2.3-2.5	2.79	2.6-2.9		
Water	H <sub>2</sub> O	2.41	2.3-2.5	2.77	2.5-2.9		

Measured and expected distances for the metal ions observed in the newly described cation-binding site. For calcium, expected values were obtained from surveys by Harding (1999 and 2001), and for potassium, from a compilation by Zheng  $et\ al.$  (2008) (corresponding to the PDB medium-resolution dataset). All the carboxylate donors are monodentate except for Asp70 coordinating calcium. The only outlier from the expected distance range is the backbone carbonyl of Ala191 coordinating calcium. The increased distance is probably a result of the restrictions imposed by the first  $\beta$ -strand, which starts with Ala191.

Table S2. Thermostability measurements by differential scanning fluorimetry

	GbpA <sub>FL</sub> WT	GbpA <sub>LPMO</sub> WT <sup>b</sup>	GbpA <sub>FL</sub> D70A	GbpA <sub>FL</sub> D70K
No salt <sup>a</sup>	54.4 ± 0.01 °C	56.4 °C ± 0.04 °C	56.8 °C ± 0.09 °C	54.8 ± 0.24 °C
CaCl₂	3.8 °C	3.4 °C	-2.0 °C	-0.2 °C
MgCl <sub>2</sub>	-1.6 °C	-2.1°C	-0.9 °C	1.2°C
KCI	1.0 °C	1.2 °C	1.2 °C	1.8 °C
NaCl	0.8 °C	0.9 °C	1.1 °C	1.9 °C

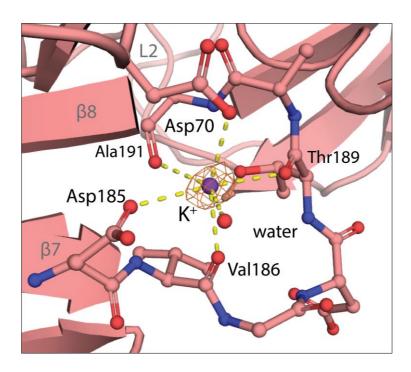
Effect of different salts on melting temperature of GbpA and GbpA variants (comparison to sample without added salts, top row). For these experiments, the protein was in its apo form, not bound to copper. Measurements were performed in triplicates.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm a}\,\text{Standard}$  deviations are similar for the experiments with salts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup>GbpA<sub>LPMO</sub> refers to the isolated LPMO domain, whereas FL refers to full-length GbpA.

# Table S3. Fitting of dissociation constants ( $K_d$ )

Single site ligand binding, stabilization for Ca <sup>2+</sup> Best-fit values	
Tm <sub>min</sub> (°C)	56.5
Tm <sub>max</sub> (°C)	59.2
P (protein concentration, mM)	= 0.0020
$K_{\rm d}$ (mM)	0.22
95% CI (profile likelihood)	0.22
Tm <sub>min</sub> (°C)	56.3 to 56.6
Tm <sub>max</sub> (°C)	59.0 to 59.3
$K_{d}$ (mM)	0.17 to 0.28
Goodness of Fit	
Degrees of Freedom	30
R squared	0.975
Sum of Squares	0.869
Sy.x	0.1701
Constraints	
P (protein concentration, mM)	P = 0.0020
Number of points	
# of X values	33
# Y values analyzed	33
Fitted equation	
$Y=Tm_{min} + ((Tm_{max} - Tm_{min})*(1-((P-K_d-X+sqrt(((P+X+K_d)^2)-(4*P*X))))/(2*P-K_d-X+sqrt))$	P))))
Single site ligand binding, negative stabilization for Mg <sup>2+</sup> Best-fit values	
<u> </u>	66.2
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Best-fit values  Tm <sub>min</sub> (°C)  Tm <sub>max</sub> (°C)  P (protein concentration, mM)  K <sub>d</sub> (mM)  95% CI (profile likelihood)	61.3 = 0.0020 2.2
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Best-fit values  Tm <sub>min</sub> (°C)  Tm <sub>max</sub> (°C)  P (protein concentration, mM)  K <sub>d</sub> (mM)  95% CI (profile likelihood)  Tm <sub>min</sub> (°C)  Tm <sub>max</sub> (°C)  K <sub>d</sub> (mM)  Goodness of Fit  Degrees of Freedom  R squared  Sum of Squares  Sy.x	61.3 = 0.0020 2.2 66.1 to 66.3 61.1 to 61.6 1.9 to 2.7 33 0.985
Best-fit values  Tm <sub>min</sub> (°C)  Tm <sub>max</sub> (°C)  P (protein concentration, mM)  K <sub>d</sub> (mM)  95% CI (profile likelihood)  Tm <sub>min</sub> (°C)  Tm <sub>max</sub> (°C)  K <sub>d</sub> (mM)  Goodness of Fit  Degrees of Freedom  R squared  Sum of Squares  Sy.x  Constraints	61.3 = 0.0020 2.2 66.1 to 66.3 61.1 to 61.6 1.9 to 2.7 33 0.985 1.618 0.2214
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**Figure S1**. **Anomalous electron density of K** $^+$ . Close-up view of the cation-binding site featuring K $^+$  (purple sphere), with anomalous map contoured at  $4\sigma$  (PDB ID: 7PB6; this work).

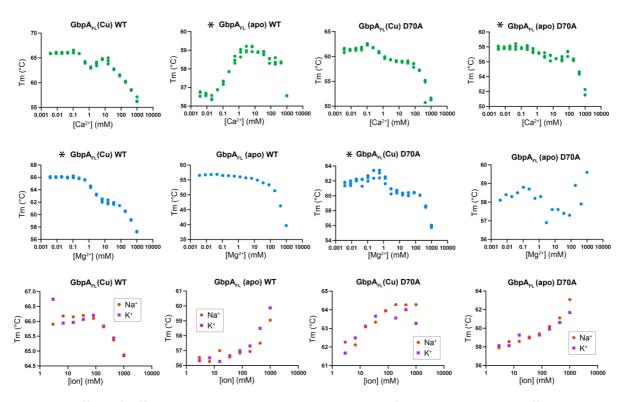
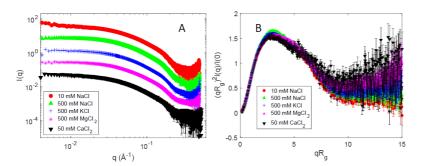


Figure S2. Effect of different cations on GbpA stability. Stability of  $GbpA_{FL}$  subjected to different cations and ion concentrations. Experiments were performed for GbpA WT and D70A variants, both for apo (apo) and copper-saturated protein (Cu). Note the general destabilizing trend for divalent cations and stabilization by monovalent ions. Panels with a star \* are also part of Figure 3.



Sample	R <sub>g</sub> (Å)
10 mM NaCl	38.7 +/- 0.6*
500 mM NaCl	39.0 +/- 0.2
500 mM KCl	38.7 +/- 0.7
500 mM MgCl <sub>2</sub>	38.0 +/- 0.5
50 mM CaCl <sub>2</sub>	39.6 +/- 0.6

**Figure S3. SAXS data for GbpA in the presence of different cations. A.** Intensities are plotted against the scattering vector q and arbitrarily scaled for visibility. The plots are merged from datasets of concentration series of GbpA exposed to the respective salts, by extrapolating to infinite dilution, hence eliminating concentration-dependent structure factor effects. The plots show limited salt effects on the overall structure of GbpA, but with slight aggregation in 10 mM NaCl, where the salt concentration might be insufficient to screen out inter-particle effects. All data were collected at pH 7.0. For CaCl<sub>2</sub>, data were only collected at 50 mM, and a different buffer (HEPES) was used, since higher salt concentrations and different buffers led to radiation damage. **B.** Dimensionless Kratky plots show that GbpA is folded and globular under all conditions, as the plots are bell-shaped rather than having a consistent inclination at high  $qR_g$ , a characteristic of unfolded proteins. The 500 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub> and 50 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub> samples do not reach the same low plateau, but the difference is within the margin of error. In the table to the right, the  $R_g$  from Guinier approximation is shown for each sample. No significant difference in  $R_g$  is observed. \*For 10 mM NaCl, data below q = 0.012 Å<sup>-1</sup> were omitted from the Guinier analysis.

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GbpA/VcAA10B	Vibrio cholerae	65	SVEGPDGFP	73	180	ILAVW <mark>DV</mark> GD <mark>TAA</mark> SFYNV	196
GbpA/VhAA10A	Vibrio campbellii	65	SVEGPDGFP	73	180	ILAVW <mark>DV</mark> GD <mark>TAA</mark> SFYNV	196
CBP21	Serratia marcescens	31	SVEGL <mark>K</mark> GFP	39	147	ILAVW <mark>DI</mark> AD <mark>T</mark> ANAFYQA	163
CbpL	Photorhabdus laumondii	34	SLEAK <mark>K</mark> GFP	42	150	ILGVW <mark>T</mark> ISD <mark>TLN</mark> AFYQV	166
BaAA10A	Bacillus amyloliquefaciens	39	SVEGPKGFP	47	156	ILGVW <mark>DV</mark> AD <mark>TSN</mark> AFYNV	172
BllPMO10A	Bacillus liqueniformis	34	SLEAK <mark>K</mark> GFP	42	148	ILAVW <mark>DV</mark> AD <mark>TEN</mark> AFYQV	164
LMRG_01781	Listeria monocytogenes	31	SVEAP <mark>K</mark> GFP	39	143	ILGVW <mark>NI</mark> AD <mark>T</mark> G <mark>N</mark> AFYQI	159
S1LPMO10E	Streptomyces lividans	31	SVEGP <mark>K</mark> GFP	39	151	ILAVW <mark>TV</mark> HD <mark>TGN</mark> AFYAC	167
EfCBM33A	Enterococcus faecalis	34	SIEAP <mark>K</mark> NTF	42	144	IYAVW <mark>GI</mark> GD <mark>T</mark> VNAFYQA	160
BpAA10A	Burkholderia pseudomallei	47	ELEGG <mark>K</mark> FFPAT	57	194	LLAVW <mark>DV</mark> AD <mark>TAN</mark> AFYQV	210
JdLPMO10A	Jonesia denitrificans	32	SVEAPKGAT	40	120	ILARW <mark>NV</mark> SNTNNAFYNC	136
BtLPMO10A	Bacillus thuringiensis	31	SVEGI <mark>G</mark> GFP	39	145	ILAVW <mark>EI</mark> AD <mark>TGN</mark> AFYQV	161
TtAA10A	Teredinibacter turnerae	50	SVVAH <mark>H</mark> E	56	181	IFAEW <mark>GR</mark> NEH <mark>T</mark> YERFFSC	198
AsLPMO10B	Aliivibrio salmonicida	72	EVAAN <mark>V</mark> PNY	80	194	LYTRWQREDAAGEGFYNC	211
MaLPMO10B	Micromonospora aurantica	50	GLFRE <mark>G</mark> V	56	172	VYTIWQASHLDQSYYLC	188
TfLPMO10A	Thermobifida fusca	86	GLYRD <mark>W</mark> V	92	200	VFTIWKASHMDQTYYLC	216
KpLPMO10A	Kitasatospora papulosa	50	GLYRN <mark>G</mark> S	56	164	VYTIW <mark>Q</mark> ASHMDQTYFLC	180
ScLPMO10B	Streptomyces coelicolor	50	GLYRN <mark>G</mark> S	56	164	VYTIWQASHMDQTYFLC	180
CjLPMO10A	Cellvibrio japonicus	43	EVAVG <mark>G</mark> V	49	155	IYSIW <mark>Q</mark> RDWDRD <mark>AAE</mark> GFYQC	174
ScLPMO10C	Streptomyces coelicolor	49	AVLDS <mark>N</mark> A	55	172	IFMQW <mark>VR</mark> SD <mark>SQENFFS</mark> C	188
SC0174	Streptomyces coelicolor	44	gvnqg <mark>n</mark> a	50	163	IYNVWQRSDSPEAFYAC	179
CbpD	Pseudomonas aeruginosa	44	GIRIG <mark>N</mark> A	50	163	LYAVWQRSDSPEAFYSC	175
Tma12	Tectaria macrodonta	44	EVNIP <mark>N</mark> A	50	161	IYVIW <mark>QR</mark> TD <mark>S</mark> PEAFYSC	177
fusolin	unidentified entomopoxvirus	64	QDNEY <mark>A</mark> A	70	208	LYVRWQRLDPVGEGFYNC	225
fusolin	Anomala cuprea antomopoxvirus CV6M	65	QDNEY <mark>A</mark> A	71	211	IYVRW <mark>QR</mark> IDP <mark>VGE</mark> GFYNC	228
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Figure S4. Multiple sequence alignment of AA10 LPMOs. Included in this structure-based alignment are all AA10 LPMO structures available in the PDB on 2/12/24 (with PDB IDs given on the left). Residue numbers are indicated for protein elements involved in cation-binding in GbpA, involving L2 loop residues and β-strands 7 to 8, with residues coordinating the metal ion highlighted. Asp70 (D in one-letter code; highlighted in green) is often replaced by Lys (K in one-letter code; highlighted in blue) in other AA10 LPMOs.

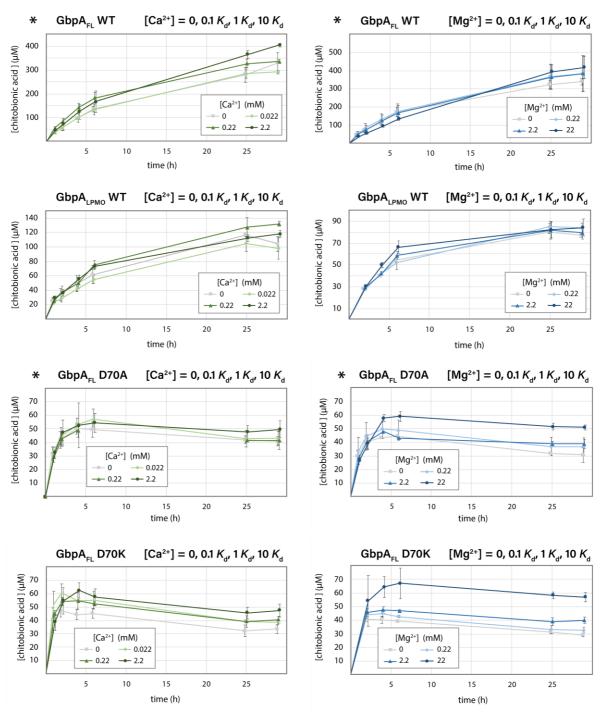


Figure S5. Effect of salts on GbpA catalytic activity without externally added  $H_2O_2$ . Experiments were performed for the full-length WT protein and variants D70A and D70K as well as for the isolated WT LPMO domain (GbpA<sub>LPMO</sub>). Experiments labeled with a star \* are also part of Figure 5. All experiments were performed in triplicates and the error bars refer to standard deviations.

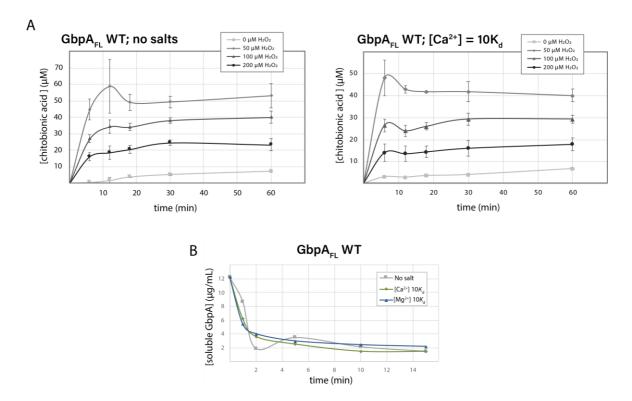


Figure S6. Effect of salts on GbpA catalytic activity with  $H_2O_2$  added as a co-substrate (A) and binding to chitin (B). A. The presence of calcium did not provide any protection against the oxidative damage usually assumed to be responsible for LPMO inactivation. Experiments were performed in triplicates and the error bars refer to standard deviations. B. Preliminary chitin-binding assays performed in the absence or presence of calcium and magnesium did not show significant differences worth exploring further. The binding equilibrium is reached after 10 min, suggesting that a 20 min preincubation with chitin is sufficient to load GbpA with chitin before starting the activity assays by adding ascorbic acid.

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