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A bifunctional old yellow enzyme from *Penicillium roqueforti* is  
involved in the ergot alkaloid biosynthesis

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## Tables

**Table S1**  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  data for festuclavine

Proton	festuclavine isolated from the incubation mixture of chanoclavine-I with	
	FgaDH <sub>Pr</sub> , FgaOx3 <sub>Pr3</sub> and FgaFS	ChaDH, FgaOx3 <sub>Pr3</sub> and EasG
2	7.04 s	7.04 s
4 $\alpha$	2.93 m	2.93 m
4 $\beta$	3.71 dd (14.1; 3.5)	3.71 dd (14.1; 3.5)
5	3.25 m	3.26 m
7 $\alpha$	3.59 brd (11.8)	3.59 brd (11.8)
7 $\beta$	2.90 m	2.89 m
8	2.20 m	2.20 m
9 $\alpha$	2.83 brd (13.5)	2.83 brd (13.5)
9 $\beta$	1.38 d (7.5)	1.38 d (7.5)
10	3.27 m	3.27 m
12	6.93 d (7.1)	6.93 d (7.1)
13	7.12 t (7.6)	7.12 t (7.6)
14	7.21 d (8.2)	7.21 d (8.2)
17	1.16 d (6.6)	1.15 d (6.6)
18	3.09 s	3.09 s

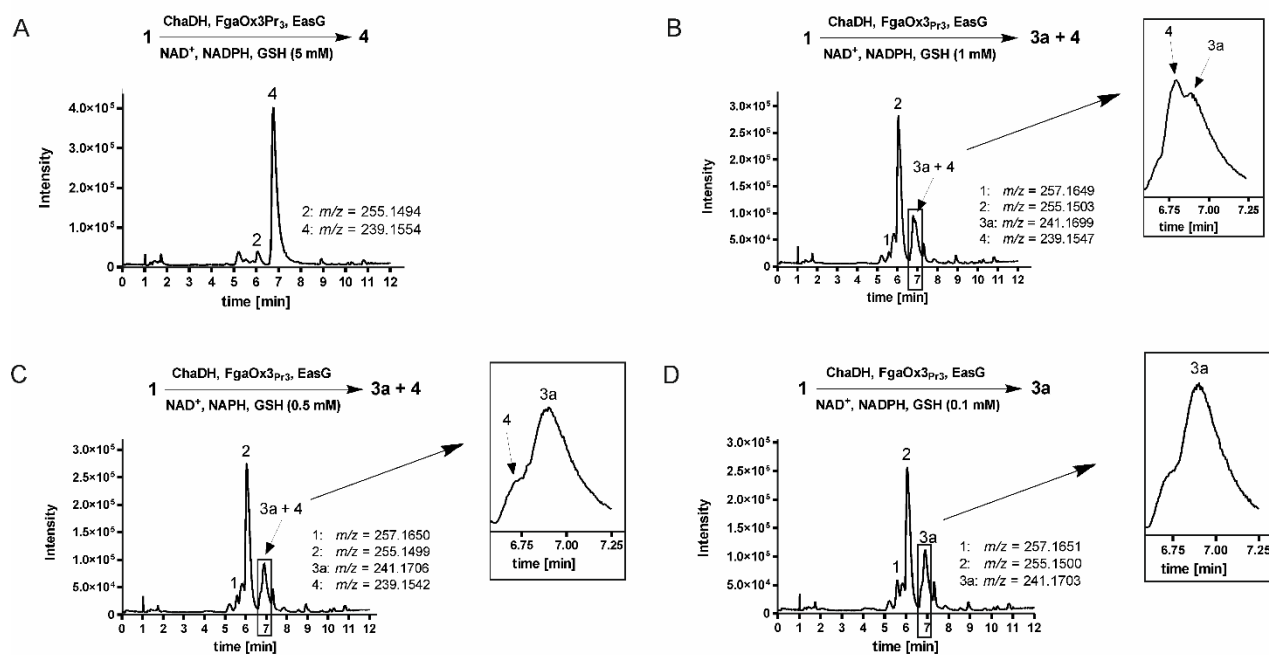
The spectra were taken at 500 MHz in CD<sub>3</sub>OD whose signal was used as reference (3.31 ppm). The data correspond well to the NMR data for festuclavine published previously (Wallwey *et al.*, *Org. Biomol. Chem.*, 2010, **8**, 3500-3508).

**Table S2** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR data for chanoclavine-I aldehyde

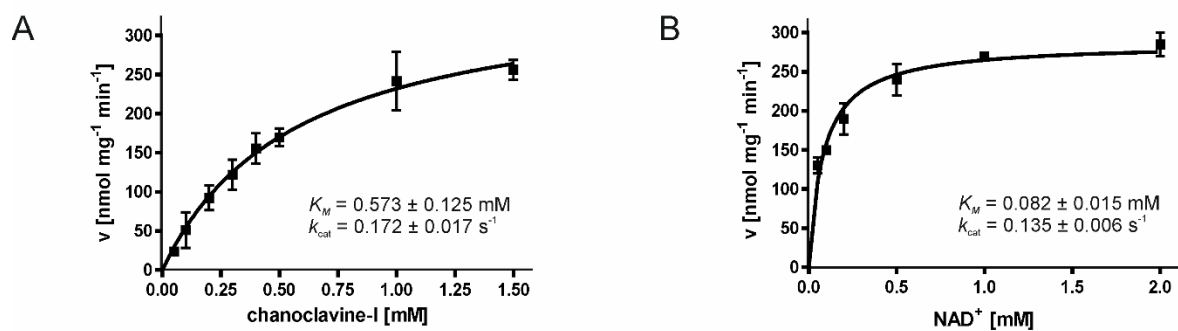
Proton	chanoclavine-I aldehyde isolated from the incubation mixture of chanoclavine-I with	
	ChaDH and heat-denaturated FgaOx3 <sub>Pr3</sub>	ChaDH and FgaOx3 <sub>Pr3</sub>
1	8.01 brs	8.01 brs
2	6.98 brs	6.98 brs
4 $\alpha$	2.87 ddd (15.3; 7.4; 1.1)	2.86 ddd (15.3; 7.4; 1.1)
4 $\beta$	3.28 ddd (15.3; 4.2; 1.1)	3.28 ddd (15.3; 4.2; 1.1)
5	3.13 m	3.12 m
7	9.49 s	9.49 s
9	6.50 dq (10.2; 1.1)	6.51 dq (10.2; 1.1)
10	4.31 dd (10.2; 6.9)	4.30 dd (10.2; 6.9)
12	6.72 d (7.1)	6.71 d (7.1)
13	7.15 dd (8.1; 7.1)	7.15 dd (8.1; 7.1)
14	7.25 d (6.7)	7.25 d (6.7)
17	2.00 d (1.1)	2.00 d (1.1)
18	2.53 s	2.52 s

The spectra were taken at 500 MHz in CDCl<sub>3</sub> whose signal was used as reference (7.26 ppm). The data correspond well to the NMR data for chanoclavine-I and chanoclavine-I aldehyde published previously (Wallwey *et al.*, *Microbiology*, 2012, **158**, 1634-1644).

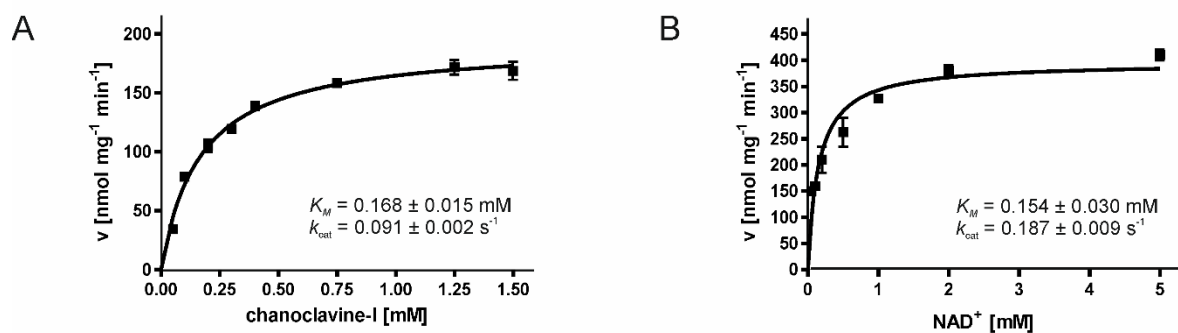
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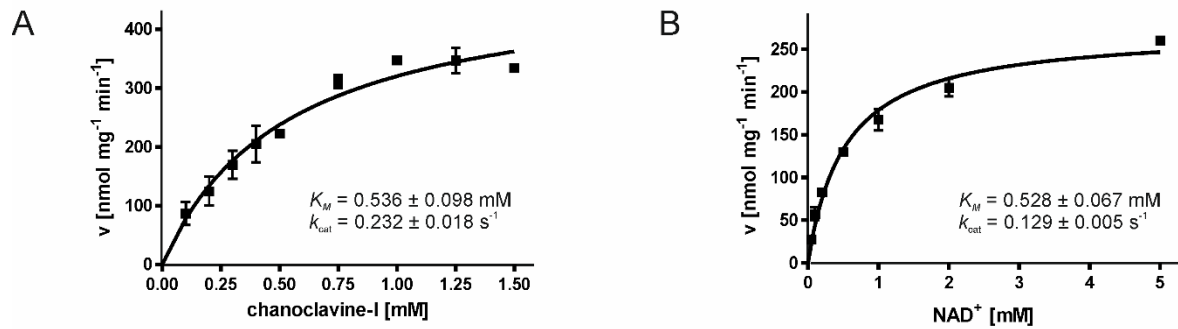
**Figure S1** LC-MS analysis of the *in vitro* assays with ChaDH, FgaOx3Pr<sub>3</sub> and EasG. The reaction mixtures contained 1 mM chanoclavine-I, 10  $\mu\text{g}$  enzymes, 5 mM of the respective cofactors and different concentrations of GSH and were incubated at 30°C for 16h.



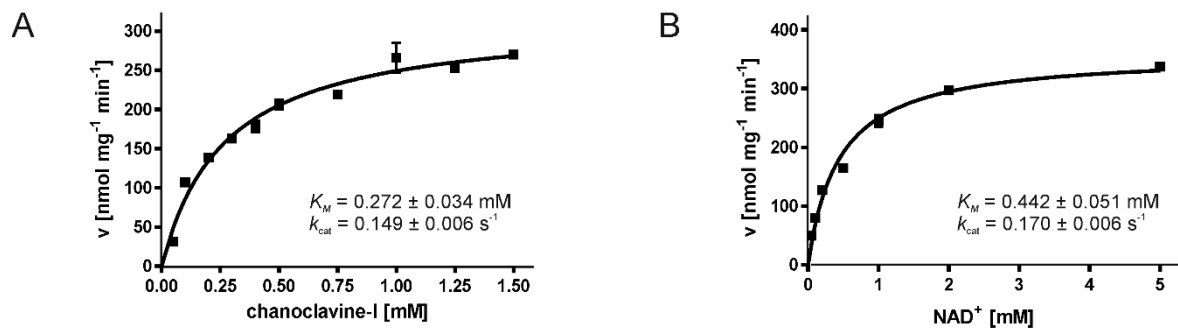
**Figure S2** Determination of the kinetic parameters for FgaDH<sub>Pr</sub>.



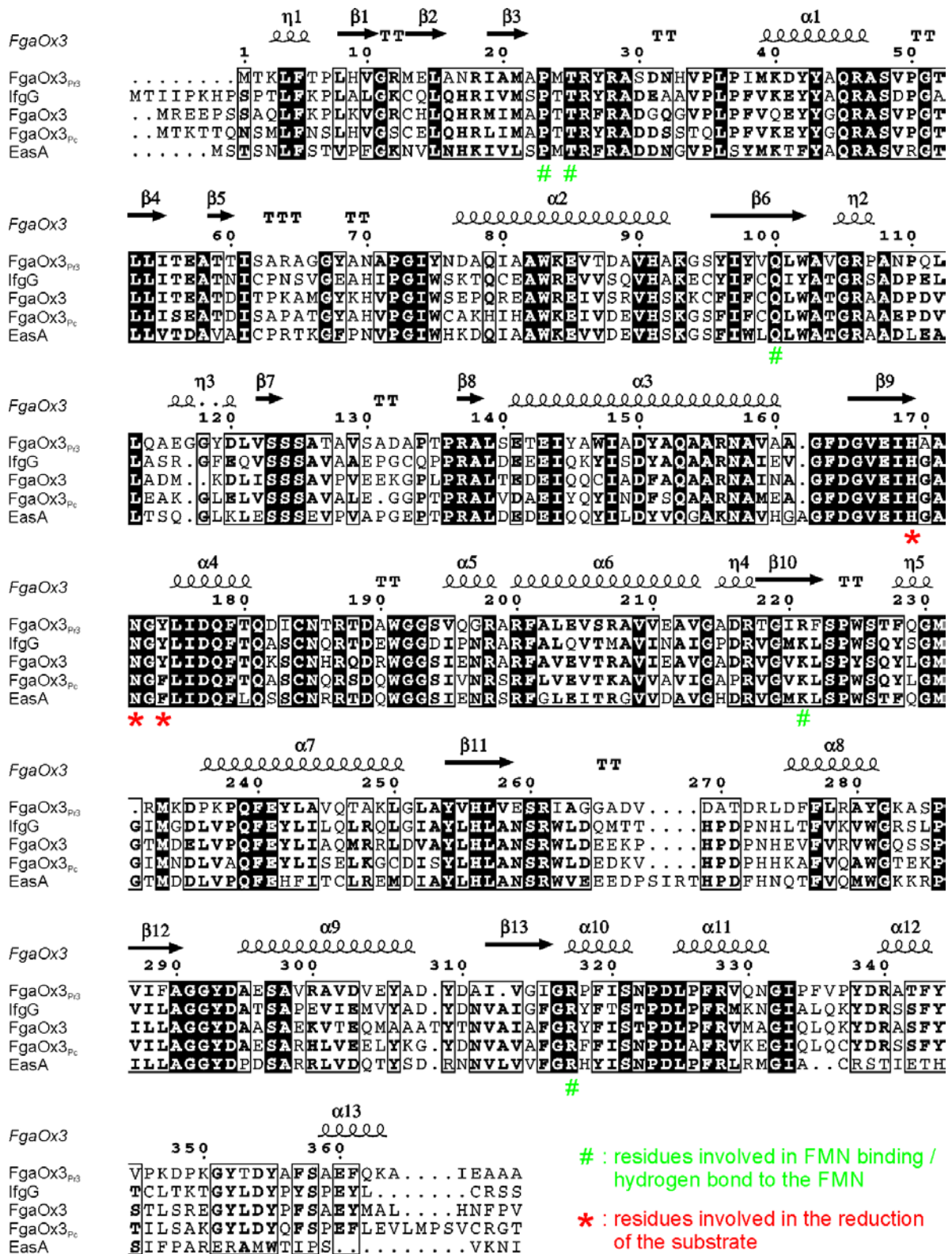
**Figure S3** Determination of the kinetic parameters for FgaDH<sub>Pr</sub> in the presence of FgaOx3<sub>Pr3</sub>.



**Figure S4** Determination of the kinetic parameters for FgaDH<sub>Pca</sub>.



**Figure S5** Determination of the kinetic parameters for FgaDH<sub>Pca</sub> in the presence of FgaOx3<sub>Pr3</sub>.



**Figure S6** Structure-based sequence alignments of different OYEs involved in the ergot alkaloid biosynthesis. The protein sequences were taken from the NCBI database with the accession numbers EAL94095 (*FgaOx3* from *A. fumigatus*), CDM30151 (*IfgG* from *P. roqueforti*), CDM33403 (*FgaOx3<sub>Pr3</sub>* from *P. roqueforti*), CAG28312 (*EasA* from *C. purpurea*) and AFM84626 (*FgaOx3<sub>Pr3</sub>* from *P. commune*).