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Table S1 Primers used in this study

| Primers | Oligonucleotide sequence (5' to 3') ^a | Description |
|-----------|--|--|
| POP-F1 | ACCATGGGCAGCAGCACC | Forward primer for cloning no signal peptide |
| | GATACCCAGAGTTCG | <i>MaPOP</i> (nt 69-2133) into pET15b via LIC |
| POP-R1 | AAGGGGTTATGCTAGTTAG | Reverse primer for cloning no signal peptide |
| | TGATGATGATGATG | <i>MaPOP</i> (nt 69-2133) into pET15b with a C-terminal His ₆ tag via LIC |
| pET15b-F1 | CTAGCATAACCCCTTGGGG | Forward primer for cloning pET15b backbone |
| | CC | to construct pET15b- <i>mapop</i> via LIC |
| pET15b-R1 | GCTGCTGCCCATGGTATAT | Reverse primer for cloning pET15b backbone |
| | CTCC | to construct pET15b- <i>mapop</i> via LIC |
| 15bPOP-F | GGTGATGCCGCCACGAT | Forward primer for sequencing pET15b- <i>mapop</i> |
| | GCG | constructs |
| 15bPOP-R | TTATGCCGGTACTGCCGGG | Reverse primer for sequencing pET15b- <i>mapop</i> |
| | CC | constructs |
| S562A-F | GGCATCATGGGCCGCgCCA | Forward primer for mutating S562 codon of |
| | ACGGCGGTCTGC | <i>MaPOP</i> (TCC) to Ala (GCC) |
| S562A-R | cGCGGCCCATGATGCCGAG | Reverse primer for mutating S562 codon of |
| | CTTTTCCGGTG | <i>MaPOP</i> (TCC) to Ala (GCC); Primer for sequencing the D403G and D403C mutations |
| D646A-F | CCACCGCCGATCGCGcTGA | Forward primer for mutating D646 codon of |
| | CCGCGTGGTGCC | <i>MaPOP</i> (GAT) to Ala (GCT) |
| D646A-R | gCGCGATCGGCGGTGGTGA | Reverse primer for mutating D646 codon of |
| | TCAAGGTAGCC | <i>MaPOP</i> (GAT) to Ala (GCT) |

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| H681F-F | GAAACCCGTGCGGGC tt CG GTGCCGGCAAGCC | Forward primer for mutating H681 codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (CAC) to Phe (TTC) |
| H681F-R | aa GCCCCGCACGGGTTTCCA CAGCGAGGTAG | Reverse primer for mutating H681 codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (CAC) to Phe (TTC) |
| Triad-R | GGATATCCGGATATAGTTC CTCC | Primer for sequencing S562A, D646A, and H681F mutations |
| K106C-F | CGCTACGGCGTGCCCTAT tg t AAAGCCGGTC | Forward primer for mutating K106 codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (AAA) to Cys (TGT) |
| K106C-R | aca ATAGGGCAGCCGTAG CGCTCGTACTGC | Reverse primer for mutating K106 codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (AAA) to Cys (TGT) |
| D403C-F | CACTGGCGACCCCGAT tg C CGGAAACCTAC | Forward primer for mutating D403C codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (GAC) to Cys (TGT) |
| D403C-C | aca ATCGGGGTCGCCAGTGA AACCCCTCTACG | Reverse primer for mutating D403C codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (GAC) to Cys (TGT) |
| Y98C-F | CTTGACGGAGCTGTGGCAG Tg CGAGCGCTACG | Forward primer for mutating Y98C codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (TAC) to Cys (TGC) |
| Y98C-R | c ACTGCCACAGCTCCGTCA AGCGGTCATTGAT | Reverse primer for mutating Y98C codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (TAC) to Cys (TGC) |
| Y437C-F | ATAGTTAAATCGCCGAAAT g TCCTGCGGATT | Forward primer for mutating Y437C codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (TAT) to Cys (TGT) |
| Y437C-R | c ATTTGCGCGATTAACTA TTTCGCTGTTAC | Reverse primer for mutating Y437C codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (TAT) to Cys (TGT) |
| D403G-F | CACTGGCGACCCCGAT Gg C CCGAAACCTAC | Forward primer for mutating D403G codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (GAC) to Cys (GGC) |
| D403G-R | c CATCGGGGTCGCCAGTGA AACCCCTCTACG | Reverse primer for mutating D403G codon of <i>MaPOP</i> (GAC) to Cys (GGC) |

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| T7 | TAATACGACTCACTATAGG | Primer for sequencing Y98C and K106C mutations |
| D263A-F | GCCGATGGTAAATATTTGA TTCTGGGAG | Primer for sequencing Y437C mutation |

^a Red lowercase letters designate the mutated nucleotides.

Table S2 Hydrogen bonds between the N-terminal region (residues 29-98) and C-terminal region (residues 436-709) in the α/β -hydrolase domain of chain A^a

| Atoms of N-terminal region | Atoms of C-terminal region | Hydrogen bond distance (Å) |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| N Ser29 | OD1 Asp668 | 3.24 |
| NE2 His30 | O Asp668 | 2.88 |
| OH Tyr32 | N Ile671 | 2.96 |
| OD1 Asp51 | NZ Lys656 | 3.12 |
| OE1 Glu57 | NH2 Arg593 | 2.97 |
| OE2 Glu57 | NZ Lys656 | 2.78 |
| OE1 Gln71 | NE2 Gln662 | 2.96 |
| NE2 Gln71 | OE1 Gln662 | 2.94 |
| OD1 Asn72 | N Val675 | 2.76 |
| ND2 Asn72 | O Val675 | 3.04 |
| OG Ser75 | O Leu673 | 2.61 |
| NE1 Trp85 | OD1 Asn696 | 2.92 |
| OD1 Asn89 | OG1 Thr695 | 3.17 |
| NE Arg91 | OD2 Asp502 | 2.77 |
| NE1 Trp96 | OE1 Gln690 | 3.22 |
| OH Tyr98 | OG1 Thr495 | 2.67 |

^a Distances were calculated using Contact of the CCP4 program suite. The distances of the hydrogen bonds were in the range of 2.38~3.24 Å.

Table S3 Salt bridges between the N-terminal region (residues 29-98) and C-terminal region (residues 436-709) in the α/β -hydrolase domain of chain A

| Atoms of the N-terminal region | Atoms of the C-terminal region | Salt bridges distance (Å) |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| OD2 Asp51 | NZ Lys656 | 3.01 |
| OE2 Glu57 | NE Arg593 | 2.78 |
| NH2 Arg91 | OD1 Asp502 | 2.81 |

Table S4 C-C contacts between the N-terminal region (residues 29-98) and C-terminal region (residues 436-709) in the α/β -hydrolase domain of chain A^a

| Atoms of the N-terminal region | Atoms of the C-terminal region | C-C contacts (Å) | Atoms of the N-terminal region | Atoms of the C-terminal region | C-C contacts (Å) |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|
| CB Ser29 | CG Asp668 | 4.41 | CG Phe45 | CA Lys614 | 4.11 |
| CG His30 | CB Pro670 | 4.31 | CG Phe45 | CB Lys614 | 4.00 |
| CE1 His30 | CA Pro670 | 4.32 | CD1 Phe45 | CA Lys614 | 4.27 |
| CE1 His30 | CG Pro670 | 4.01 | CE1 Phe45 | CA Lys614 | 4.14 |
| CE1 His30 | CD Pro670 | 4.37 | CE1 Phe45 | CB Lys614 | 3.99 |
| CD2 His30 | CA Pro670 | 4.17 | CZ Phe45 | CA Asn613 | 4.1 |
| CD2 His30 | CB Pro670 | 4.24 | CZ Phe45 | CB Lys614 | 4.24 |
| CD2 His30 | CA Asp668 | 4.44 | CD2 Phe45 | CB Lys614 | 4.22 |
| CD2 His30 | CG Asp668 | 4.13 | CD2 Phe45 | CG Lys614 | 4.14 |
| CD2 His30 | C Asp668 | 4.04 | CD2 Phe45 | CD2 Phe617 | 4.30 |
| CB Tyr32 | CB Gln662 | 4.20 | CD2 Phe45 | CB Phe617 | 4.09 |
| CB Tyr32 | CG Gln662 | 4.19 | CD2 Phe45 | CG Phe617 | 4.26 |
| CB Tyr32 | CD Gln662 | 4.06 | CE2 Phe45 | CA Asn613 | 4.36 |
| CD1 Tyr32 | CB Gln662 | 4.26 | CE2 Phe45 | CB Lys614 | 4.33 |
| CE1 Tyr32 | C Ile671 | 4.19 | CE2 Phe45 | C Ser611 | 4.28 |
| CE1 Tyr32 | CA Ile671 | 4.39 | CE2 Phe45 | CB Phe617 | 4.19 |
| CE1 Tyr32 | CD Gln662 | 4.20 | CB Thr47 | CZ Phe617 | 4.16 |
| CE1 Tyr32 | CB Ile671 | 4.33 | CB Thr47 | CE2 Phe617 | 4.21 |

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|-----------|------------|------|-----------|------------|------|
| CZ Tyr32 | CG Gln662 | 4.17 | CG2 Thr47 | CE2 Tyr621 | 4.11 |
| CZ Tyr32 | CB Ile671 | 4.26 | CB Val49 | CD1 Leu592 | 4.33 |
| CZ Tyr32 | CG1 Ile671 | 4.43 | CG1 Val50 | CD2 His627 | 3.96 |
| CE2 Tyr32 | CG Gln662 | 4.33 | CG2 Val49 | CE1 Phe617 | 4.34 |
| CE2 Tyr32 | CA Gln662 | 4.42 | CG2 Val49 | CZ Phe617 | 4.2 |
| CD2 Tyr32 | CB Gln662 | 4.07 | CG2 Val49 | CD1 Leu592 | 4.26 |
| CD2 Tyr32 | CG Gln662 | 4.08 | CG2 Val49 | CE1 Tyr621 | 4.01 |
| CD2 Tyr32 | CA Gln662 | 4.29 | CG2 Val49 | CZ Tyr621 | 4.10 |
| CD2 Tyr32 | C Gln662 | 4.44 | CG Asp51 | CE Lys656 | 4.39 |
| CB Thr35 | CB Ala659 | 4.10 | CB Tyr53 | CG Lys656 | 4.01 |
| CB Tyr44 | CD2 Phe617 | 4.20 | CZ Tyr53 | C Ala659 | 4.15 |
| CB Tyr44 | CG Phe617 | 4.11 | CE2 Tyr53 | CA Ser660 | 3.98 |
| CG Tyr44 | CZ Phe617 | 4.03 | CE2 Tyr53 | CZ Arg663 | 4.11 |
| CD1 Tyr44 | CD1 Leu592 | 4.34 | C Tyr53 | CE Lys656 | 4.10 |
| CZ Tyr44 | CB Leu592 | 4.20 | CA Arg54 | CE Lys656 | 4.29 |
| CZ Tyr44 | CD1 Leu592 | 4.06 | CD Arg54 | CZ Arg593 | 4.24 |
| CD2 Tyr44 | CB Ser611 | 4.09 | CB Leu56 | CB Tyr655 | 4.20 |
| CD1 Leu56 | CA Lys656 | 4.31 | CG Asn72 | CA Val675 | 4.44 |
| CD1 Leu56 | CB Tyr655 | 4.05 | CZ Phe74 | CE1 Tyr672 | 4.37 |
| CD1 Leu56 | C Tyr655 | 3.95 | CD2 Phe74 | CE1 Tyr672 | 4.04 |
| C Leu56 | CG Trp652 | 4.43 | CA Ser75 | CG Tyr672 | 4.34 |
| CA Glu57 | CE2 Trp652 | 4.28 | CA Ser75 | CD1 Tyr672 | 4.04 |
| CA Glu57 | CD2 Trp652 | 4.04 | CB Ser75 | C Leu673 | 4.26 |

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|-----------|------------|------|-----------|------------|------|
| CB Glu57 | CG Trp652 | 4.20 | CG2 Thr78 | CZ Tyr672 | 4.26 |
| CB Glu57 | CD1 Trp652 | 4.14 | CD1 Leu79 | CD2 Leu639 | 4.28 |
| CB Glu57 | CE2 Trp652 | 4.08 | CD1 Leu79 | CB Asn696 | 4.25 |
| CB Glu57 | CD2 Trp652 | 4.15 | CD1 Leu79 | CG Asn696 | 4.18 |
| CG Glu57 | CZ2 Trp652 | 4.26 | CD2 Leu79 | CG Phe700 | 4.09 |
| CG Glu57 | CZ3 Trp652 | 4.21 | CD2 Leu79 | CE2 Tyr672 | 4.21 |
| CG Glu57 | CH2 Trp652 | 4.35 | CD2 Leu79 | CD2 Tyr672 | 4.17 |
| CG Glu57 | CG Trp652 | 4.28 | CD1 Leu82 | CB Ala699 | 4.24 |
| CD Glu57 | CZ Arg593 | 4.12 | CD1 Leu82 | CB Asp703 | 4.36 |
| CD Glu57 | CZ2 Trp652 | 4.06 | CD2 Leu82 | CB Asp703 | 4.25 |
| CD Glu57 | CZ3 Trp652 | 4.22 | CB His84 | CB Val709 | 4.09 |
| CD Glu57 | CH2 Trp652 | 4.01 | CB His84 | CG2 Val709 | 4.34 |
| CD Glu57 | CE Lys656 | 4.13 | CG His84 | CG2 Val709 | 4.37 |
| CD Glu57 | CE2 Trp652 | 4.24 | CD2 His84 | CB Val709 | 4.00 |
| C Glu57 | CG Trp652 | 4.37 | CD2 His84 | CG2 Val709 | 4.31 |
| CB Gln59 | CE2 Tyr655 | 4.00 | CA Trp85 | CB Ala699 | 4.11 |
| CB Gln59 | CD1 Trp652 | 4.34 | CB Trp85 | CB Ala699 | 4.39 |
| CG Gln59 | CD Pro651 | 4.10 | CG Trp85 | CB Ala699 | 4.40 |
| CG Gln59 | CG Pro651 | 3.97 | CE2 Trp85 | CB Thr695 | 4.22 |
| CD Gln59 | CD Pro651 | 4.02 | CE3 Trp85 | CG2 Thr695 | 4.10 |
| CD Gln59 | CG Pro651 | 4.43 | CZ3 Trp85 | CG2 Thr695 | 4.36 |
| CD Gln59 | CD1 Trp652 | 4.20 | CH2 Trp85 | CG2 Thr695 | 4.13 |
| CZ3 Trp67 | CD2 Tyr655 | 4.32 | CH2 Trp85 | CD Glu692 | 4.33 |

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|-----------|------------|------|-----------|------------|------|
| CZ3 Trp67 | CA Tyr655 | 4.06 | CZ2 Trp85 | CB Thr695 | 4.22 |
| CZ3 Trp67 | CD1 Tyr655 | 3.96 | CZ2 Trp85 | CD Glu692 | 4.07 |
| CH2 Trp67 | C Tyr655 | 4.12 | C Trp85 | CG2 Thr695 | 4.36 |
| CZ2 Trp67 | CB Ala659 | 4.36 | CD Lys87 | CB Val709 | 4.37 |
| CG1 Val68 | CG1 Val675 | 4.05 | CD Lys87 | C Val709 | 4.33 |
| CB Gln71 | CD2 Leu673 | 4.06 | CG1 Ile88 | CE Met503 | 4.41 |
| CB Gln71 | CB Leu673 | 4.22 | CG1 Ile88 | CG1 Val709 | 4.42 |
| CG Gln71 | CD2 Leu673 | 4.10 | CG2 Ile88 | CB Tyr698 | 4.41 |
| CD Gln71 | CD Gln662 | 4.13 | CG2 Ile88 | CA Thr695 | 4.11 |
| CG2 Ile88 | CG2 Thr695 | 4.30 | CG Trp96 | CG1 Val687 | 4.18 |
| CD1 Ile88 | CE Met503 | 4.09 | CD1 Trp96 | CG2 Thr495 | 3.97 |
| CD1 Ile88 | CG2 Val709 | 4.41 | CD1 Trp96 | CG2 Val687 | 4.40 |
| CD1 Ile88 | C Tyr698 | 4.15 | CE2 Trp96 | CB Thr495 | 4.21 |
| CA Asn89 | CB Thr695 | 4.30 | CE2 Trp96 | CB Gln690 | 4.25 |
| CG Asn89 | CG2 Thr695 | 4.13 | CZ3 Trp96 | CG2 Thr495 | 4.25 |
| CB Leu92 | CG1 Val691 | 4.11 | CH2 Trp96 | CG2 Thr495 | 4.17 |
| CD1 Leu92 | CA Phe694 | 4.37 | CH2 Trp96 | CB Arg496 | 4.08 |
| CD1 Leu92 | CB Phe694 | 4.03 | CH2 Trp96 | CA Arg496 | 4.00 |
| CD1 Leu92 | CD2 Tyr698 | 4.29 | CH2 Trp96 | CB Phe694 | 4.36 |
| CD1 Leu92 | CB Thr695 | 4.42 | CH2 Trp96 | CG Phe694 | 4.44 |
| CD2 Leu92 | CA Gly499 | 4.07 | CH2 Trp96 | CD2 Phe694 | 4.13 |
| C Leu92 | CG2 Val691 | 4.40 | CZ2 Trp96 | CB Thr495 | 4.27 |
| C Leu92 | CG1 Val691 | 4.13 | CZ2 Trp96 | CB Arg496 | 4.31 |

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|-----------|------------|------|-----------|------------|------|
| CA Thr93 | CG2 Val691 | 4.31 | CZ2 Trp96 | CA Arg496 | 4.43 |
| CA Thr93 | CG1 Val691 | 4.05 | CZ2 Trp96 | CB Gln690 | 4.23 |
| CB Thr93 | CG1 Val691 | 4.43 | CB Tyr98 | CD1 Tyr437 | 4.41 |
| C Glu94 | CG Pro438 | 4.39 | CB Tyr98 | CD Pro438 | 4.12 |
| CB Leu95 | CZ Tyr437 | 4.16 | CG Tyr98 | CE1 Tyr437 | 4.22 |
| CD1 Leu95 | CG Asp502 | 4.01 | CE1 Tyr98 | CG2 Thr495 | 4.09 |
| CD2 Leu95 | CZ Tyr437 | 4.27 | CZ Tyr98 | CE2 Phe493 | 4.04 |
| CD2 Leu95 | CE2 Tyr437 | 4.29 | CZ Tyr98 | CG2 Thr495 | 4.11 |
| CD2 Leu95 | CB Ala439 | 4.16 | CE2 Tyr98 | CE2 Phe493 | 4.41 |
| C Leu95 | CE1 Tyr437 | 4.31 | CE2 Tyr98 | CE1 Tyr437 | 4.37 |
| CB Trp96 | CG1 Val687 | 4.01 | | | |

^aDistances were calculated using Contact of the CCP4 program suite. The distances of C-C contacts were in the range of 3.95~4.44 Å.

Table S5 Hydrogen bonds between β -propeller domain and α/β -hydrolase domain of chain A in the native structure^a

| Atoms of β -propeller domain | Atoms of α/β -hydrolase domain | Hydrogen bond distance (Å) |
|------------------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| NH1 Arg100 | O Trp96 | 3.04 |
| OD1 Asp121 | N Trp688 | 3.16 |
| NE2 Gln122 | O Gly684 | 2.64 |
| OG1 Thr149 | NH2 Arg678 | 3.19 |
| OG1 Thr149 | NE Arg678 | 3.20 |
| OD1 Asp170 | NH1 Arg678 | 3.05 |
| O Asp170 | NE Arg645 | 3.14 |
| O Asp170 | NH1 Arg645 | 2.72 |
| OG1 Thr173 | OD2 Asp647 | 2.61 |
| N Asp174 | OD1 Asp647 | 2.82 |
| OD2 Asp174 | NE Arg648 | 2.69 |
| O Asp225 | N Ala599 | 3.00 |
| O Thr254 | NE2 Gln603 | 2.86 |
| OD1 Asp274 | NE2 Gln603 | 2.82 |
| N Tyr276 | OG Ser606 | 3.04 |
| O Thr323 | N Gly520 | 2.93 |
| OE1 Gln352 | OG Ser516 | 2.92 |
| OD1 Asp368 | OH Tyr518 | 2.58 |
| O Asp368 | NE2 Gln448 | 2.79 |
| NZ Lys370 | OE1 Gln448 | 3.16 |

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| OG Ser411 | N Phe493 | 2.84 |
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^aDistances were calculated using Contact of the CCP4 program suite. The distances of the hydrogen bonds were in the range of 2.38~3.24 Å.

Table S6 Salt bridges between the β -propeller domain and α/β -hydrolase domain of chain

A in the native structure

| Atoms of β -propeller domain | Atoms of α/β -hydrolase domain | Salt bridges distance (Å) |
|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------|
| OD1 Asp170 | NH2 Arg678 | 2.51 |
| OD1 Asp174 | NH2 Arg648 | 3.26 |

Table S7 C-C contacts between the β -propeller domain and the α/β -hydrolase domain of chain A in the native structure^a

| Atoms of propeller domain | Atoms of hydrolase domain | C-C contacts (Å) | Atoms of propeller domain | Atoms of hydrolase domain | C-C contacts (Å) |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|
| C Asp117 | C Tyr98 | 4.35 | C Thr173 | CG Asp647 | 4.43 |
| CA Gly118 | CA Gln97 | 4.36 | CB Asp174 | CG Asp647 | 4.17 |
| CA Gly118 | C Gln97 | 4.19 | CG Asp174 | CZ Arg648 | 4.04 |
| CA Gly118 | CA Tyr98 | 4.28 | CG Asp174 | CD Arg648 | 4.40 |
| C Gly118 | CA Gln97 | 4.27 | CG Asp174 | C Asp647 | 4.34 |
| CA Asp121 | CG2 Val687 | 4.26 | CG Asp174 | CA Arg648 | 4.20 |
| CA Asp121 | CB Val687 | 4.10 | CG Asp174 | CB Arg648 | 4.06 |
| CB Asp121 | CA Pro686 | 4.36 | CE1 Phe198 | CZ Arg648 | 4.11 |
| CB Asp121 | CD1 Trp688 | 4.39 | CZ Phe198 | CB Asn600 | 4.41 |
| CG Asp121 | CB Pro686 | 4.27 | CZ Phe198 | CD Arg648 | 4.40 |
| CG Asp121 | CG Trp688 | 4.36 | CE2 Phe198 | CB Asn600 | 4.01 |
| C Asp121 | CG2 Val687 | 4.27 | CG Asp225 | CB Ser598 | 4.23 |
| CB Asp147 | CZ2 Trp688 | 4.35 | C Asp225 | CB Ala599 | 4.25 |
| CA Gly148 | CB Pro686 | 4.36 | CA Ser226 | CB Ala599 | 4.00 |
| C Gly148 | CB Pro686 | 4.03 | CZ Phe273 | CB Gln603 | 4.26 |
| C Gly148 | CG Pro686 | 4.01 | CE2 Phe273 | CG Gln603 | 4.06 |
| C Gly148 | CD Pro686 | 4.40 | CA Asp274 | CG Gln603 | 4.41 |
| CB Thr149 | CB Arg678 | 4.31 | CA Asp274 | CD Gln603 | 4.32 |

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|------------|-----------|------|------------|------------|------|
| CB Thr149 | CZ Arg678 | 4.40 | C Asp274 | CG Gln603 | 4.23 |
| CG2 Thr149 | CD Pro686 | 4.34 | CA Gly275 | CB Ser606 | 4.34 |
| CG2 Thr149 | CB Arg678 | 4.17 | CB Tyr276 | CE1 His523 | 4.05 |
| CB Ala151 | C Gly684 | 4.19 | CD1 Tyr276 | CE2 Phe485 | 3.98 |
| CG Asp170 | CZ Arg678 | 4.38 | CE1 Tyr276 | C Gln603 | 4.38 |
| C Asp170 | CZ Arg645 | 4.42 | CE1 Tyr276 | CA Trp604 | 4.30 |
| CA Gly171 | C Arg678 | 3.97 | CE1 Tyr276 | CD1 Trp604 | 3.99 |
| CA Gly171 | CA Arg678 | 4.37 | CZ Tyr276 | CD1 Trp604 | 4.25 |
| CA Gly171 | CZ Arg678 | 4.19 | CZ Tyr276 | CE2 Phe485 | 4.34 |
| C Gly171 | CA Ala679 | 4.09 | CE2 Tyr276 | CD2 Phe485 | 4.11 |
| C Gly171 | C Ala679 | 4.24 | CD2 Tyr276 | CD2 Phe485 | 4.06 |
| C Gly171 | CD Arg645 | 4.37 | CA Asp277 | CE1 His523 | 4.21 |
| CA Gly172 | C Ala679 | 4.22 | CB Asp277 | CG Lys524 | 4.36 |
| CA Gly172 | CA Gly680 | 4.12 | CB Asp277 | CE1 His523 | 4.13 |
| C Gly172 | CA Gly680 | 4.02 | CG Asp277 | CE Lys524 | 4.11 |
| CA Thr173 | CG Asp647 | 4.17 | CB Thr323 | CA Gly520 | 4.03 |
| CB Thr173 | CG Asp647 | 4.33 | CG2 Thr323 | CA Gly520 | 4.22 |
| CG2 Thr323 | C Gly520 | 4.33 | CA Asn412 | CA Phe493 | 4.42 |
| CG2 Thr323 | CB Ala521 | 4.05 | C Asn412 | CA Arg492 | 4.33 |
| CG2 Thr323 | CA Ala521 | 4.39 | C Asn412 | CB Arg492 | 4.15 |
| C Thr323 | CA Gly519 | 4.38 | CB Phe413 | CG2 Val446 | 4.16 |
| CB Ala350 | CA Gly519 | 4.07 | CB Phe413 | CG2 Val464 | 4.03 |
| CB Ala350 | C Tyr518 | 4.35 | CB Phe413 | CG1 Val464 | 4.32 |

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| CB Ala350 | C Glu517 | 4.32 | CD1 Phe413 | CE1 Tyr494 | 4.14 |
| CD2 Leu366 | CD2 Leu490 | 4.13 | CD1 Phe413 | CE2 Phe507 | 4.41 |
| CA Asp368 | CE1 Tyr518 | 4.31 | CE1 Phe413 | CA Pro491 | 4.02 |
| CA Asp368 | CZ Tyr518 | 4.21 | CE1 Phe413 | C Pro491 | 4.42 |
| CB Asp368 | CD Gln448 | 4.04 | CE1 Phe413 | CE Met509 | 3.98 |
| CB Asp368 | CZ Phe450 | 4.37 | CE1 Phe413 | CE2 Phe507 | 4.02 |
| CG Asp368 | CE2 Phe450 | 4.13 | CZ Phe413 | C Pro491 | 4.26 |
| CG Asp368 | CZ Phe450 | 3.98 | CZ Phe413 | CB Phe462 | 4.06 |
| CG Asp368 | CE1 Tyr518 | 4.41 | CZ Phe413 | CG Phe462 | 4.24 |
| CG Asp368 | CZ Tyr518 | 4.43 | CZ Phe413 | CD2 Phe462 | 4.12 |
| CB Ala369 | CZ Phe462 | 3.96 | CZ Phe413 | CE Met509 | 4.39 |
| CB Ala369 | CE2 Phe462 | 3.96 | CZ Phe413 | CB Met509 | 4.22 |
| CB Ala369 | CD Pro491 | 4.43 | CD2 Phe413 | CA Pro491 | 4.21 |
| CB Ala369 | CG Glu517 | 4.14 | CD2 Phe413 | CB Pro491 | 4.05 |
| CB Ala369 | CG Asn511 | 4.02 | CD2 Phe413 | CG1 Val446 | 4.16 |
| C Ala369 | CG Pro491 | 4.39 | CD2 Phe413 | CG2 Val446 | 4.06 |
| C Ala369 | CD Pro491 | 4.04 | CE2 Phe413 | C Pro491 | 4.31 |
| CG Lys370 | CE1 Phe462 | 4.24 | CE2 Phe413 | CD1 Phe462 | 4.35 |
| CG Lys370 | CZ Phe462 | 4.16 | CE2 Phe413 | CG2 Val464 | 4.11 |
| CD Lys370 | CE1 Phe462 | 4.33 | CE2 Phe413 | CD2 Phe462 | 3.99 |
| CE Met391 | CB Val446 | 4.24 | C Phe413 | CD1 Phe493 | 4.01 |
| CA Gly392 | CG Pro491 | 4.39 | CA Leu414 | CB Phe441 | 4.42 |
| C Gly392 | CG Pro491 | 4.32 | CA Leu414 | CD2 Phe441 | 4.12 |

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|------------|------------|------|------------|------------|------|
| CB Thr393 | C Pro491 | 4.31 | CB Leu414 | CB Phe441 | 4.14 |
| CG2 Thr393 | CB Arg492 | 4.03 | CG Leu414 | CB Tyr444 | 4.35 |
| CG2 Thr393 | CB Leu490 | 4.12 | CG Leu414 | CG1 Val464 | 3.99 |
| CG2 Thr393 | CD1 Leu490 | 4.01 | CD1 Leu414 | CA Val445 | 3.96 |
| CB Ser411 | CA Phe493 | 4.29 | CD1 Leu414 | CA Tyr444 | 4.22 |
| C Ser411 | CA Arg492 | 4.29 | CD1 Leu414 | CG1 Val464 | 4.34 |
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^a Distances were calculated using Contact of the CCP4 program suite. The distances of C-C contacts were in the range of 3.95~4.44 Å.

numbered 20. The recombinant protein was fused with a four-amino acid (MGSS), which was specified by underlines, at N-terminus, and a His₆ tag, which was specified by a dotted line, at C-terminus, respectively. Endoprotease trypsin digests of the enzyme, determined by nanoLC-MS/MS, are shown in red. The catalytic triad (Ser⁵⁶², Asp⁶⁴⁶ and His⁶⁸¹) are indicated with green triangles. Red arrow, the T7 promoter region; lightblue rectangle, the lac operator; green box, the ribosome-binding site; the violet rectangle, transcription terminator region.


MASCOT Search Results
Protein View: nsMaPEP**nsMaPEP**

Database: Student_Contaminants
Score: 37933
Monoisotopic mass (M_r): 78900
Calculated pI: 5.94

Sequence similarity is available as [an NCBI BLAST search of nsMaPEP against nr](#).

Search parameters

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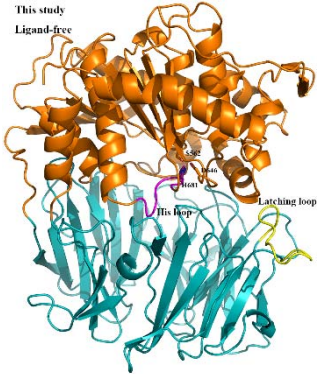
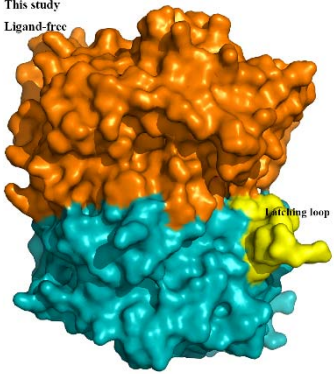
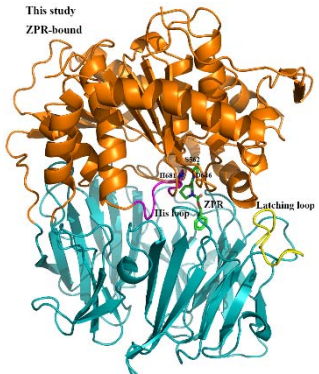
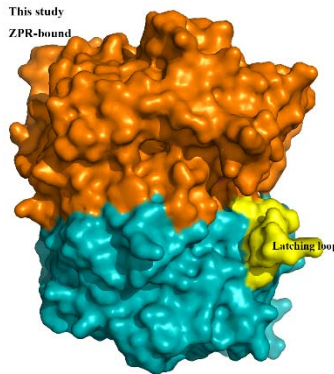
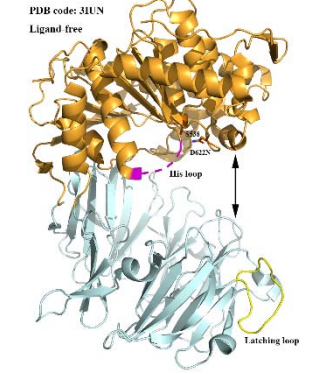
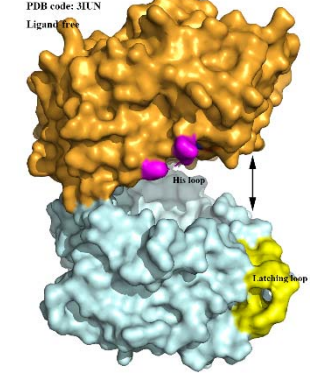
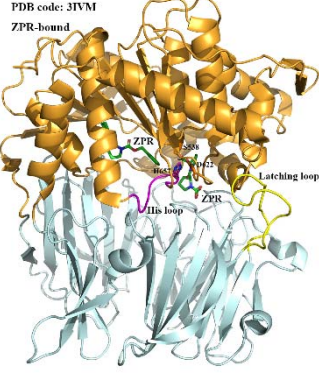
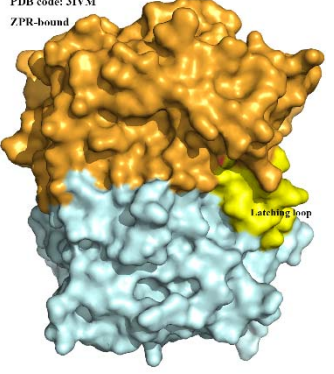
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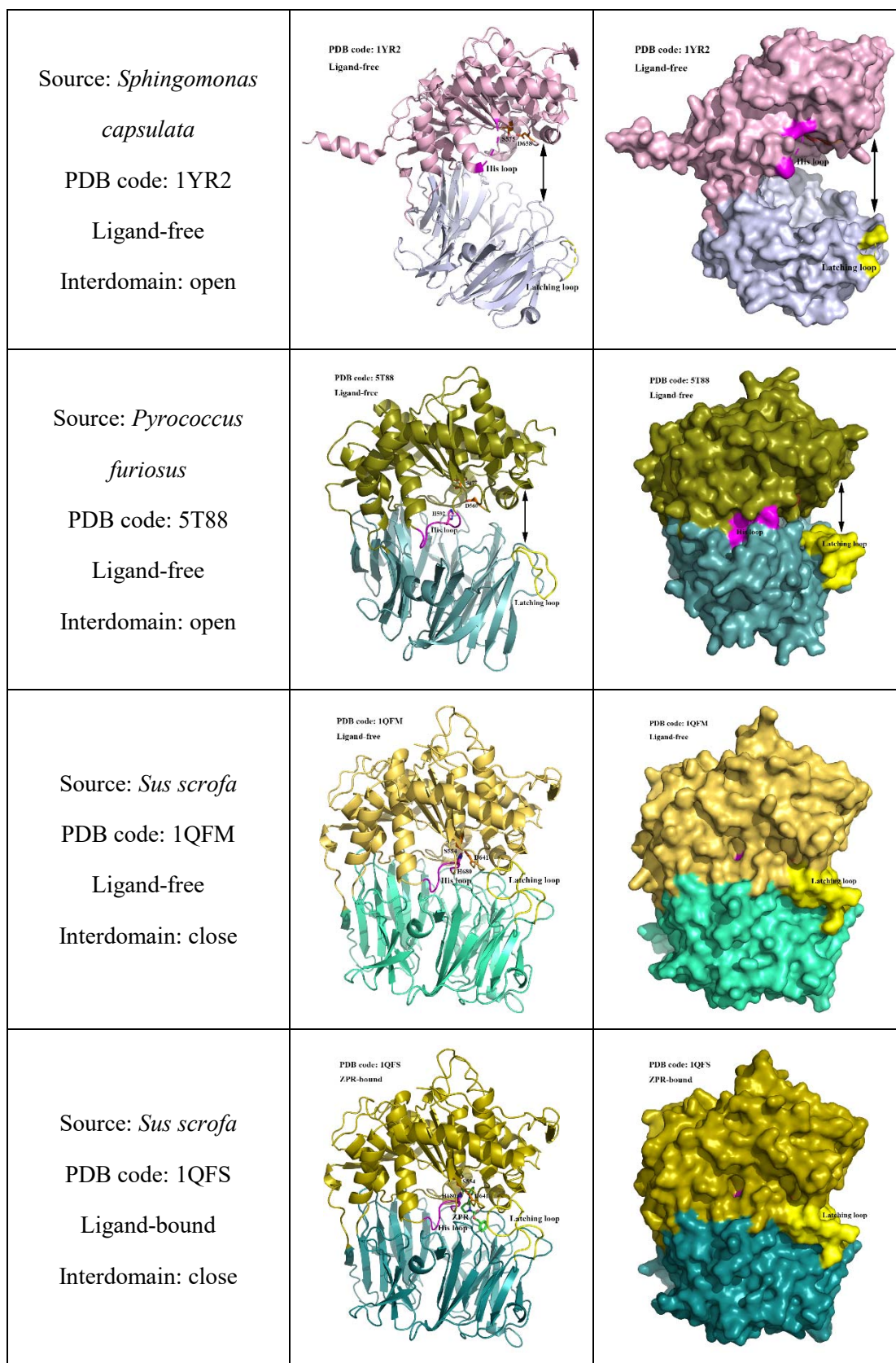
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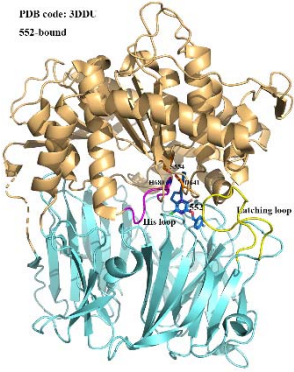
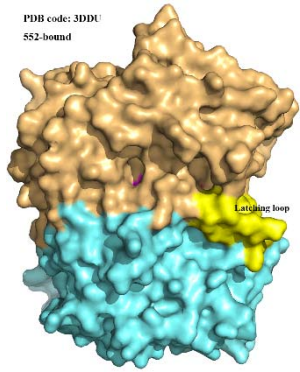
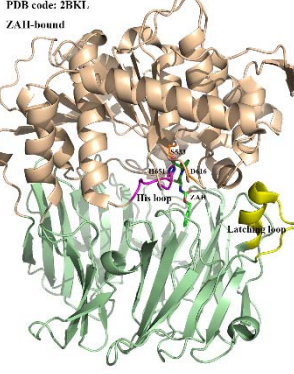
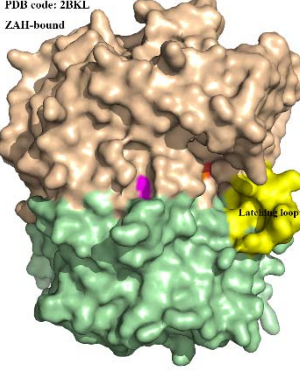
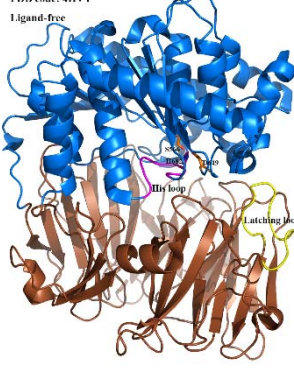
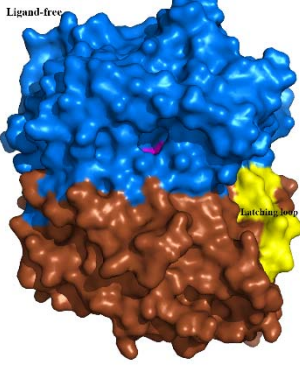
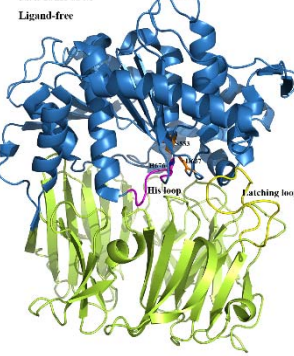
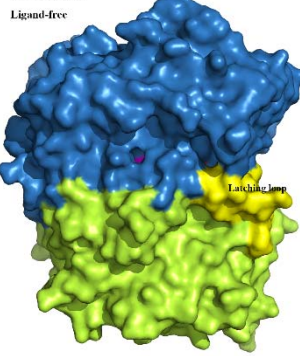
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Figure S2 Analysis of protein sequence by nanoLC-MS/MS. A Mascot search yielded 96 % sequence coverage, as highlighted in red. The identified peptides originated from the whole region of the protein sequence deduced from the nucleotide sequence. Only five short peptides, including ¹⁸²DLKTR¹⁸⁶, ⁴⁶⁸GLK⁴⁷⁰, ⁴⁹³FYTR⁴⁹⁶, ⁵²⁵AGTK⁵²⁸, and ⁷¹²HHHHHH⁷¹⁷ (the C-terminal His₆ tag) were not identified.

| Sources | Cartoon representation | Surface representation |
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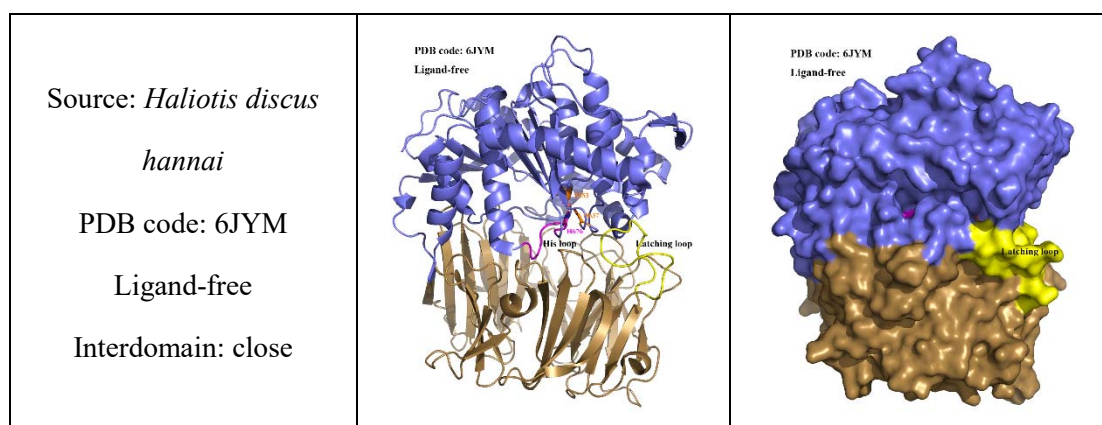


Figure S3 The structures of *MaPOP* and other POPs determined previously. Each structure is shown in cartoon and surface representations. It is worth noting that the unbound forms of *A. punctata* POP (*ApPOP*, PDB id: 3IUN), *S. capsulata* (*ScPOP*, PDB id: 1YR2), and *P. furiosus* POP (*PfuPOP*, PDB id: 5T88) are in an open conformation in which the α/β -hydrolase and the β -propeller domains are widely separated. While, in the presence of inhibitor, the *ApPOP* (PDB id: 3IVM) are in a closed state that the two domains are packed tightly together. It is observed that the “latching loop” (shown as a yellow cartoon) and “His loop” (shown as a magenta cartoon) were modeled only in the closed state and omitted from the open state. All these closed structures except for *MaPOP* (this study), show the “latch loop” extends to the α/β -hydrolase domain. The “latching loop” of *MaPOP* extends to the outside and makes minimal contact with the α/β -hydrolase domain, entirely solvent-accessible.

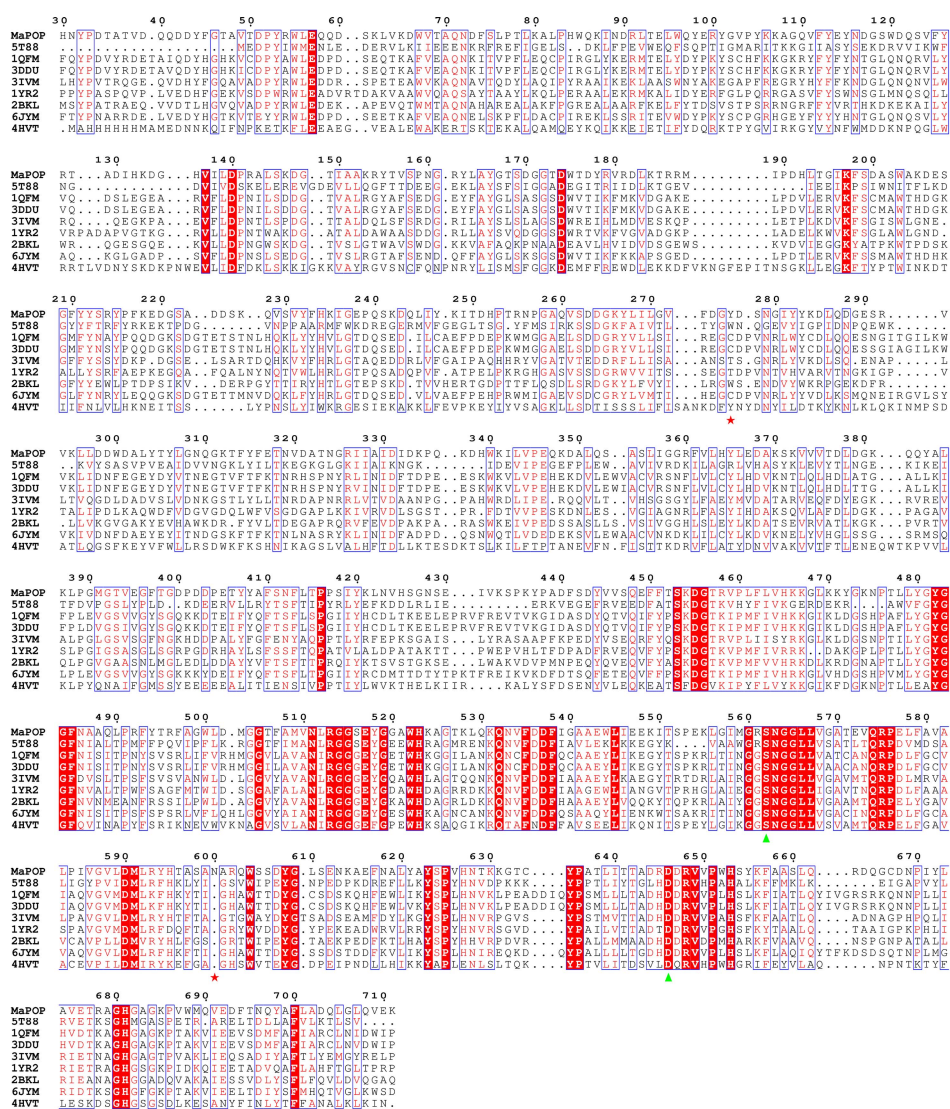


Figure S4 Sequence alignment of *MaPOP* and crystal structures reported POPs. *Microbulbifer arenaceus* POP (*MaPOP*, This study); *Pyrococcus furiosus* POP (PDB ID code 5T88); *Sus scrofa* POP (PDB ID code 1QFM); *Homo sapiens* POP (PDB ID code 3DDU); *Aeromonas punctate* POP (PDB ID code 3IVM); *Spingomonas capsulata* POP (PDB ID code 1YR2); *Myxococcus xanthus* POP (PDB ID code 2BKL); *Haliotis discus hannai* POP (PDB ID code 6JYM); *Rickettsia typhi* POP (PDB ID code 4HVT). Amino acid residues with homology $\geq 75\%$ are shaded in blue frames and the strictly conserved regions are highlighted with red background. The deduced catalytic triad (Ser⁵⁶², Asp⁶⁴⁶, and His⁶⁸¹) of *MaPOP* and the corresponding residues of other serine-dependent peptidases are indicated with green triangles. The unique Tyr²⁷⁶ and Asn⁶⁰⁰ of *MaPOP* are indicated with a red star.

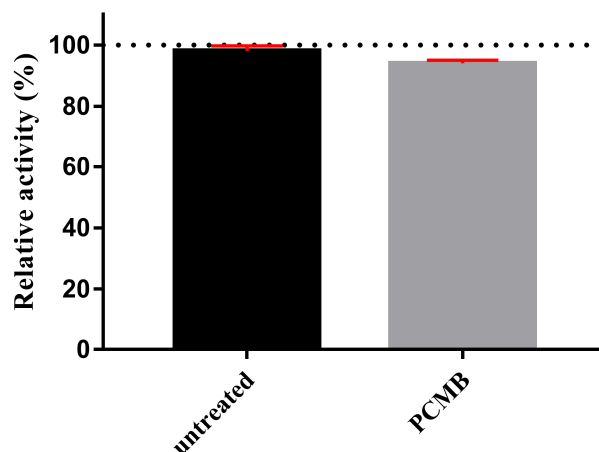


Figure S5 Effects of p-chloromercuribenzoate on enzyme activity. *MaPOP* was dissolved in 100 μ l of 50 mM Tris-HCl buffer, pH 7.5, in the presence of 1 mM p-chloromercuribenzoate (PCMB) and incubated at 30 $^{\circ}$ C for 30 min. Residual peptidase activity was determined after incubation with Z-Gly-Pro-pNA following the standard method. Control experiments were carried out under identical conditions in the absence of the PCMB. All experiments were repeated three times.

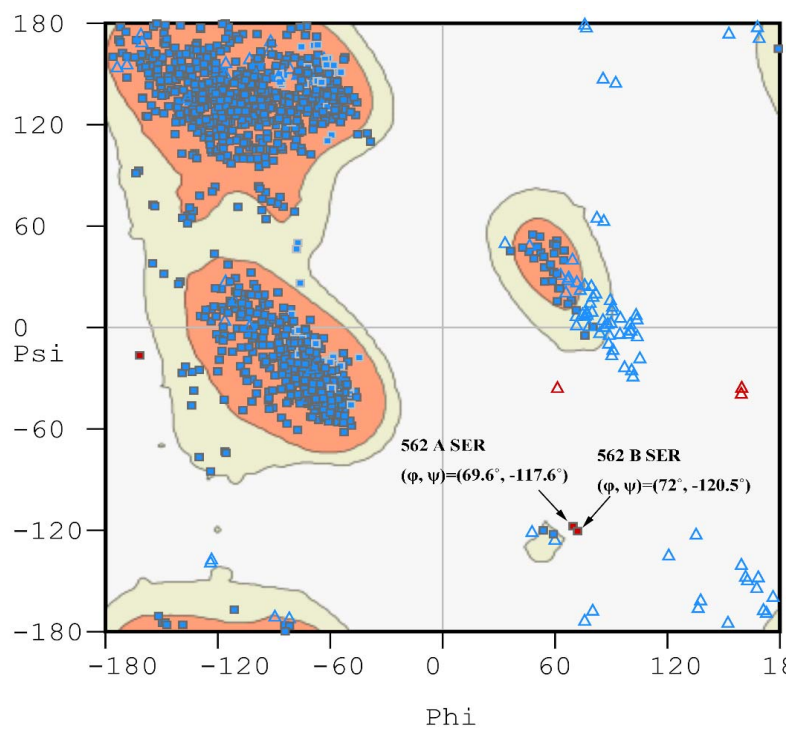


Figure S6 Ramachandran plot diagrams of residues in native *MaPOP*. The main chain conformation of Ser⁵⁶² in both chain A and chain B of the native structure were strained, with $(\varphi, \psi) = (69.6^\circ, -117.6^\circ)$ and $(\varphi, \psi) = (72^\circ, -120.5^\circ)$, respectively.