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A Type I/Type III Polyketide Synthase Hybrid Biosynthetic Pathway for the Structurally Unique *ansa* Compound Kendomycin

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Ken_TE	ADGATGPADSGIADLYWSANDAGHYEAAATGLLR	AVAALRPAF	DEDTADR	HAPRPLRL	LARG	60
Aves_TE	-----RIEESMALLSAASFFRPAFTDPSDIP-	EPTFVRLAQGEARAQGEA-----LARG				48
DEBS_TE	SGTPAREASSALRDGYRQAGVSGFRVRSYLDLL	LAGLSDFREHFDGSDGFSLLDLVDMADGPG				60
Tyl_TE	TGAAPADAGSGLPALYREAVRTGRAAE	MAELLAAASRFRPAFGTADRQFVALVPLADGAE				60
Ken_TE	DAR-PALVCLPSPSPASGPHE	YARFAAALR---	GDRE	VWALPEP	PGFLDGGQALPADVDALV	116
Aves_TE	ETR-PALICLPTVA	AVSSVYQYSRFAAGLN---	GHRD	VWYVPAP	GELEGEPLPSGIGAVT	104
DEBS_TE	EV---TVIC	CAGTAAISGPHEFTRLAGALR---	GIAP	VRAVDP	PGYEEGEPLPSMAAVA	114
Tyl_TE	DTGLPLL	VGCAGTAVASGPVEFTAFAGALADL	PAAAPMAALP	QPGFLP	GERVPEATPEALF	120
Ken_TE	AAHAHALATD	GPGTAPVLVGRSAAGWIAHALAARLEAE	GRPAAALVLL	DTYSP-	DALARR	175
Aves_TE	RMFADAI	VRFTDGAIFALAGHSAGGWVYAVTSHLERL	GVRPEAVVTMDAYLP	PDDGIAP-		163
DEBS_TE	AVQADAV	IRTQGDKPFV	VAGHSAGALMAYALATELLDRGHPPRGV	VLIDVYPPGHQDAMN		174
Tyl_TE	EAQAEALL	RYAAGRPFVLLGHSAGANMAHALTRHLEANG	GGPAGLVLM	DIYTPADPGAMG		180
Ken_TE	DWVRTAM	TRATSGRESALVLRNETRLAATGGYDR	IFTGWAPG	PLRTP	ILLVRAADPFSTE	235
Aves_TE	--VASALT	SEIFDRVTQFVDVDYTRLVAMGGYFR	IFSGWSP	PDITTPAL	FLRGRD-----	216
DEBS_TE	-AWLEEL	TATLFDR--ETVRMDDTRLTALGAYDEL	TGQWRPRE	TGLEP	ILLVSAGEPMG--	229
Tyl_TE	-VWRND	MFQVWVRR--SDIPDDHRE	TAMGAYHRL	LLDWSPT	PVRAPVHLRAEPMG--	235
Ken_TE	LLGLAE	FGDWTAAWEP	SHDAVTVP	GTHTFTILEERS	ADTAGAVE	279
Aves_TE	----GE	QM---PPPW	GVPHTVLDIQGNHFT	MLEQFAD	STARHVD	253
DEBS_TE	--PWP--	DDSWKPTWPF	EHDTVAVPGDHFT	MVQEHADAI	ARHID	269
Tyl_TE	--DW	PPGDTGWQSHWDGAHT	TAGIPGNHFT	MTEHASAA	ARLVH	277

Figure S1: Sequence alignment of the kendomycin TE and macrolactone-forming TEs from other PKS systems (Ken, kendomycin synthase; Aves, avermectine synthase; DEBS, 6-deoxyerythronolide B synthase; Tyl, tylactone synthase). Many of the conserved residues identified by Stroud et al.^[57] (highlighted in grey) are presumably important for maintaining the TE fold, forming the active site and lining the channel as well as interacting with the ACP domain.

Table S1: Plasmids generated in this study.

Plasmid	Fragment	Recipient vector
pKen14	17.5 kb XhoI/EcoRI fragment from cosmid F10	XhoI/EcoRI pBluescript II SK +
pKen15	5.3 kb EcoRI/XhoI fragment from cosmid F3	EcoRI/XhoI pBluescript II SK +
pKen22	4.3 kb MluI fragment from cosmid D11	BssHII pBC SK +
pKen24	2.1 kb MluI/XhoI fragment from cosmid D11	MluI/XhoI pCR-XL-TOPO
pKen26	4.1 kb BglII fragment from cosmid A7	BamHI pBC SK +
pKen18	14.5 kb EcoRI fragment from cosmid F3	EcoRI pSET152
pKen19	1.25 kb PCR product generated with the oligonucleotide pair Ken14/Ken15 and cosmid H4 as template	pCR2.1-TOPO
pKen41	1.3 kb EcoRI fragment from pKen19	EcoRI pKC1132