Fig. S1: Cell densities for (A) *A. minutum* and (B) *A. pacificum* cultures. All results are averages of triplicate flasks. Errors bars represent standard deviations. The arrows represent the sampling times at the end of the exponential growth phase.

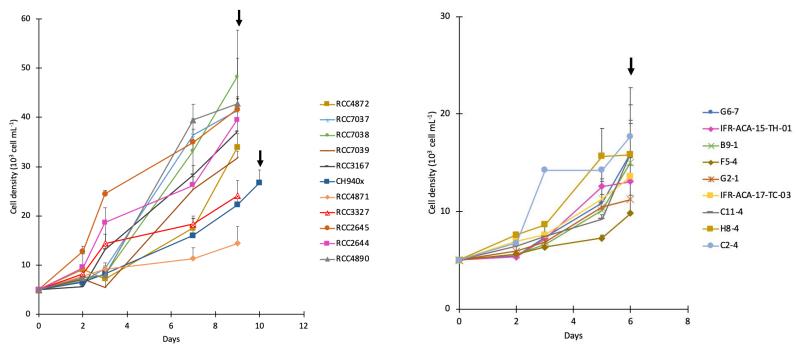


Fig. S2: Scatterplots of the relationship between genome size and sxtA4 gene copy number (**A**) in A. minutum ($\rho = -0.43$, S = 314, p = 0.19) and (**B**) A. pacificum strains ($\rho = -0.57$, S = 188, p = 0.12).

