

# The identification and characterization of endopolygalacturonases in a South African isolate of *Phytophthora cinnamomi*

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<b>Name</b>	<b>Species</b>	<b>Protein ID</b>	<b>Database</b>	<b>Full-length/Partial</b>
PCIPG2	<i>Phytophthora capsici</i>	ABD72596	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG5	<i>P. capsici</i>	ABU46393	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG8	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18844	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG9	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18850	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG10	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18854	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG11	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18855	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG12	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18856	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG13	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18842	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG14	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18847	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG15	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18851	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG16	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18852	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG17	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18853	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG18	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18846	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG19	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18849	NCBI	Partial
PCIPG20	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18845	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG21	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18843	NCBI	Full-length
PCIPG22	<i>P. capsici</i>	ADN18848	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG1	<i>Phytophthora cinnamomi</i>	AAN34612	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG2	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN34613	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG3	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN34614	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG4	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN34615	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG6	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN34616	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG7	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN05466	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG8	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN05467	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG9	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN05468	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG10	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN05465	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG12	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN05460	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG14	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN05461	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG15	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN05462	NCBI	Full-length
PCPG16	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN05463	NCBI	Full-length

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PCPG19	<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	AAN05458	NCBI	Full-length
PIPG1	<i>P. infestans</i>	AAK98644	NCBI	Full-length
PIPG1-T40	<i>Phytophthora infestans</i>	XP_002996850	NCBI	Partial
PIPG2-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002902085	NCBI	Full-length
PIPG3-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002897269	NCBI	Full-length
PIPG4-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002901692	NCBI	Full-length
PIPG5-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002897268	NCBI	Full-length
PIPG6-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002897267	NCBI	Full-length
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PIPG8-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002896211	NCBI	Partial
PIPG9-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002896198	NCBI	Partial
PIPG10-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002896197	NCBI	Partial
PIPG11-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002896196	NCBI	Partial
PIPG12-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002896192	NCBI	Partial
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PIPG14-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002896190	NCBI	Full-length
PIPG15-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002896187	NCBI	Full-length
PIPG16-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002896186	NCBI	Partial
PIPG17-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002895235	NCBI	Partial
PIPG18-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002895234	NCBI	Full-length
PIPG19-T40	<i>P. infestans</i>	XP_002895233	NCBI	Full-length
PPPG1	<i>Phytophthora parasitica</i>	AAW22993	dbCAN	Full-length
PPPG2	<i>P. parasitica</i>	ABV82735	dbCAN	Full-length
PPPG3	<i>P. parasitica</i>	ABV82736	dbCAN	Full-length
PPPG4	<i>P. parasitica</i>	ABV82737	dbCAN	Full-length
PPPG5	<i>P. parasitica</i>	ABV82738	dbCAN	Full-length
PPPG6	<i>P. parasitica</i>	ABV82739	dbCAN	Full-length
PPPG7	<i>P. parasitica</i>	ABV82740	dbCAN	Full-length
PPPG8	<i>P. parasitica</i>	ABV82741	dbCAN	Full-length
PPPG9	<i>P. parasitica</i>	ABV82742	dbCAN	Full-length
PPPG10	<i>P. parasitica</i>	ABV82743	dbCAN	Full-length

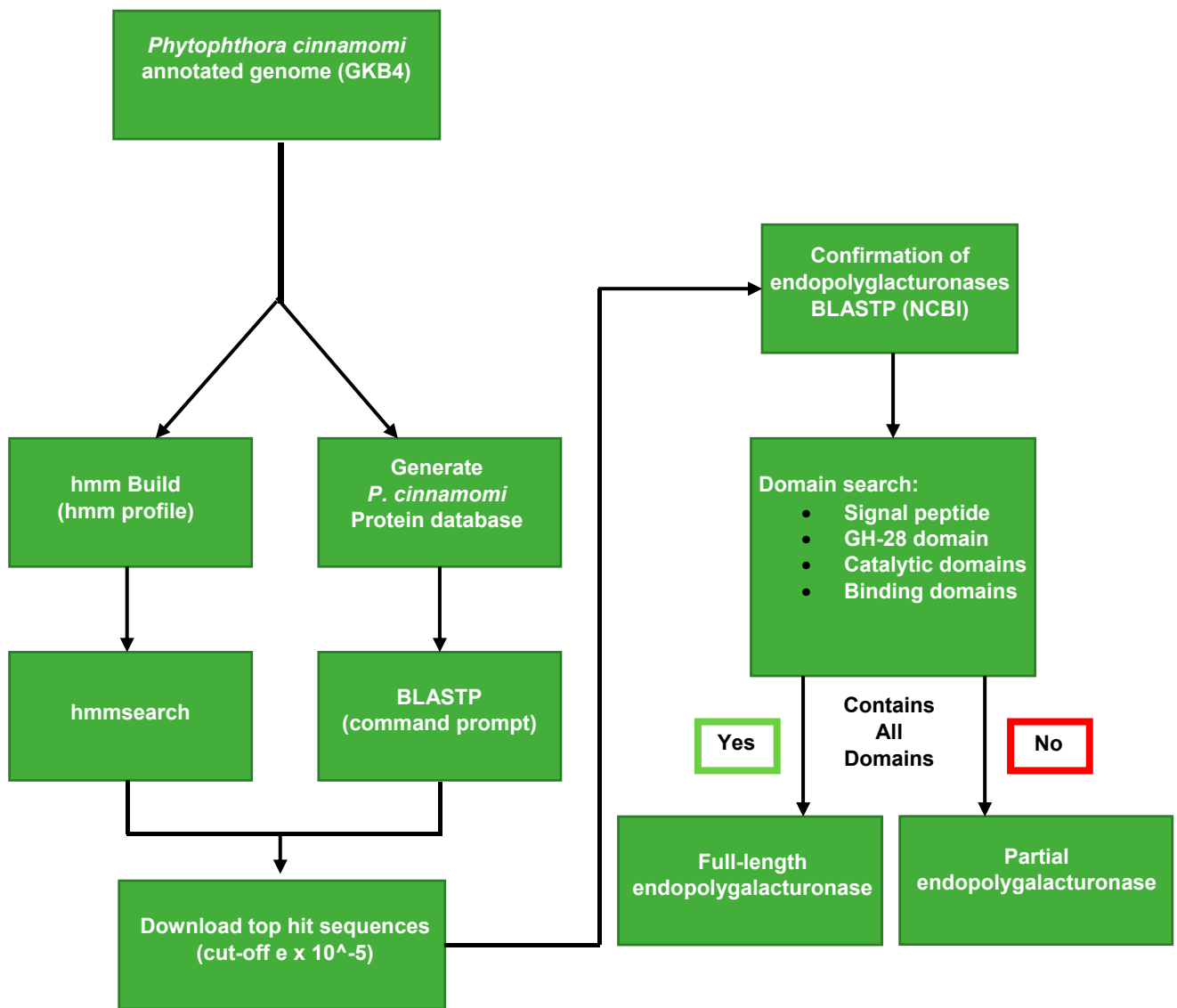
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<b>Name</b>	<b>Species</b>	<b>Protein ID</b>	<b>Database</b>	<b>Full-length/Partial</b>
PRPG1	<i>Phytophthora ramorum</i>	41820	JGI	Full-length
PRPG2	<i>P. ramorum</i>	72130	JGI	Partial
PRPG3	<i>P. ramorum</i>	40980	JGI	Full-length
PRPG4	<i>P. ramorum</i>	48642	JGI	Partial
PRPG5	<i>P. ramorum</i>	54493	JGI	Full-length
PRPG6	<i>P. ramorum</i>	54527	JGI	Full-length
PRPG7	<i>P. ramorum</i>	72133	JGI	Full-length
PRPG9	<i>P. ramorum</i>	72135	JGI	Full-length
PRPG10	<i>P. ramorum</i>	72134	JGI	Full-length
PRPG11	<i>P. ramorum</i>	83562	JGI	Full-length
PRPG13	<i>P. ramorum</i>	83564	JGI	Full-length
PRPG14	<i>P. ramorum</i>	83568	JGI	Full-length
PRPG15	<i>P. ramorum</i>	83573	JGI	Full-length
PRPG16	<i>P. ramorum</i>	83574	JGI	Full-length
PSPG1	<i>Phytophthora sojae</i>	247698	JGI	Full-length
PSPG2	<i>P. sojae</i>	250266	JGI	Full-length
PSPG3	<i>P. sojae</i>	259959	JGI	Full-length
PSPG4	<i>P. sojae</i>	260041	JGI	Full-length
PSPG5	<i>P. sojae</i>	260065	JGI	Full-length
PSPG6	<i>P. sojae</i>	322946	JGI	Full-length
PSPG7	<i>P. sojae</i>	487620	JGI	Partial
PSPG8	<i>P. sojae</i>	505673	JGI	Partial
PSPG12	<i>P. sojae</i>	522084	JGI	Full-length
PSPG13	<i>P. sojae</i>	259928	JGI	Full-length
PSPG14	<i>P. sojae</i>	259936	JGI	Full-length
PSPG15	<i>P. sojae</i>	259951	JGI	Full-length
PSPG16	<i>P. sojae</i>	333550	JGI	Full-length
PSPG17	<i>P. sojae</i>	333549	JGI	Full-length
PSPG18	<i>P. sojae</i>	430630	JGI	Full-length
PSPG19	<i>P. sojae</i>	505361	JGI	Full-length
PSPG20	<i>P. sojae</i>	506837	JGI	Full-length



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PSPG21	<i>P. sojae</i>	507865	JGI	Full-length
PSPG22	<i>P. sojae</i>	508703	JGI	Partial
PSPG23	<i>P. sojae</i>	509650	JGI	Partial
PSPG24	<i>P. sojae</i>	509900	JGI	Partial
PSPG25	<i>P. sojae</i>	330711	JGI	Partial



**Figure S1. Strategy flow diagram for the identification and characterization of polygalacturonases in *Phytophthora cinnamomi*.** A command line (hmm build) was used and run on a linux server to build an hmm profile from a multiple sequence alignment containing PG sequences from other *Phytophthora spp.* BLASTP analyses were also conducted using the server. The resultant sequences with a cut-off value  $\leq$  E-value  $\times 10^{-5}$  were selected and BLASTP analyses were performed against the (NCBI-nr) to confirm that they were PG sequences. The sequences were subjected to signature domain search and classified as either full-length or partial sequences. The sequences that lacked either one or more domains were considered as partial sequence.

**Table S2. Polygalacturonase sequences from outgroup species and their ID as depicted on the phylogenetic trees.**

<b>Outgroup Species</b>	<b>Tree ID</b>	<b>Accession number/ Protein ID</b>	<b>Trophic lifestyle</b>	<b>Signal peptide</b>	<b>Domain</b>	<b>Source</b>
<b><i>Phytophthora cinnamomi</i> GKB4 Phylogenetic Tree</b>						
<i>Pythium vexans</i>	Py_vex_PG1_H	EPrPVT00000022936	Hemibiotrophic	1-18	I, II, III, IV & V	ENSEMBL PROTISTS
<i>Pythium arrhenomanes</i>	Py_arr_PG1_N	EPrPRT00000024470	Necrotrophic	1-22	I, II, III, IV & V	ENSEMBL PROTISTS
<i>Pythium aphanidermatum</i>	Py_apl_PG1_N	EPrPA00000023057	Necrotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ENSEMBL PROTISTS
<i>Plasmopara halstedii</i>	Pl_hal_PG1_B	CEG40133	Biotrophic	1-25	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. halstedii</i>	Pl_hal_PG2_B	CEG49916	Biotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>Saprolegnia diclina</i>	Sa_dic_PG1_N	XM_008613903	Necrotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>S. diclina</i>	Sa_dic_PG2_N	XM_008605568	Necrotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>S. diclina</i>	Sa_dic_PG3_N	XP_008612126	Necrotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<b>Oomycetes Phylogenetic Tree</b>						
<i>Fragilariopsis cylindrus</i>	Fl_cyl_PG1_Outgroup	KV784353	---	1-28	I & II	NCBI

**Table S3. Polygalacturonase sequences from oomycete species and their ID as depicted on the phylogenetic tree.**

<b>Species</b>	<b>Tree ID</b>	<b>Accession number/ Protein ID</b>	<b>Trophic lifestyle</b>	<b>Signal peptide</b>	<b>Domain</b>	<b>Source</b>
<i>Phytophthora cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG1_H	AAN34612/ 243190	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI/ JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG2_H	AAN34613	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG3_H	AAN34614	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG4_H	AAN34615	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG5_H	94850	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG6_H	AAN34616	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG7_H	AF398946	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG8_H	AF398947	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG9_H	AF398948	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG10_H	AF398945	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG11_H	243146	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG12_H	AF398938	Hemibiotrophic	1-22	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG13_H	243199	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG14_H	AF398940	Hemibiotrophic	1-22	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG15_H	AF398941	Hemibiotrophic	1-22	I, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG16_H	AF398942/ 243454	Hemibiotrophic	1-22	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI/ JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG17_H	243222	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI

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<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG18_H	321736	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG19_H	AAN24612	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG20_H	557459	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG21_H	557452	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG22_H	557447	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG23_H	14823	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG24_H	258598	Hemibiotrophic	1-22	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	Ph_cin_PG25_H	270732	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG1	OL334941	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG2	OL334942	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG3	OL334943	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG4	OL334944	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG5	OL334945	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG6	OL334946	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG7	OL334947	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG8	OL334948	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG9	OL334949	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG10	OL334950	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data

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<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG11	OL334951	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG12	OL334952	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG13	OL334953	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG14	OL334954	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG16	OL334956	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG17	OL334957	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG19	OL334959	Hemibiotrophic	1-22	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG22	OL334962	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>P. cinnamomi</i>	PcPG25	OL334965	Hemibiotrophic	1-22	I, II, III, IV & V	ARP, Unpublished data
<i>Phytophthora capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG1_H	DQ415987	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG2_H	EF558847	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG3_H	GQ856521	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG4_H	GQ856527	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG5_H	GQ856531	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG6_H	GQ856532	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG7_H	GQ856533	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG8_H	GQ856519	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI

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<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG9_H	GQ856524	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG10_H	GQ856528	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG11_H	GQ856529	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG12_H	GQ856530	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG13_H	GQ856523	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG14_H	GQ856526	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG15_H	GQ856522	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG16_H	GQ856520	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. capsici</i>	Ph_cap_PG17_H	GQ856525	Hemibiotrophic	1-22	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>Phytophthora infestans</i>	Ph_inf_PG1_H	AAK98644	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III & IV	NCBI
<i>P. infestans</i>	Ph_inf_PG2_H	XM_002902039	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. infestans</i>	Ph_inf_PG3_H	XM_002897222	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. infestans</i>	Ph_inf_PG4_H	XM_002896144	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. infestans</i>	Ph_inf_PG5_H	XM_002896141	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. infestans</i>	Ph_inf_PG6_H	XM_002895188	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. infestans</i>	Ph_inf_PG7_H	XM_002895187	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. infestans</i>	Ph_inf_PG8_H	XM_002896145	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI

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<i>P. infestans</i>	Ph_inf_PG9_H	XM_002901646	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>Phytophthora parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG1_H	AAW22993	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG2_H	ABV82735	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG3_H	ABV82736	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG4_H	ABV82737	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG5_H	ABV82738	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG6_H	ABV82739	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG7_H	ABV82740	Hemibiotrophic	1-17	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG8_H	ABV82741	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG9_H	ABV82742	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. parasitica</i>	Ph_par_PG10_H	ABV82743	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>Phytophthora ramorum</i>	Ph_ram_PG1_H	72135	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. ramorum</i>	Ph_ram_PG2_H	83562	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. ramorum</i>	Ph_ram_PG3_H	72134	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. ramorum</i>	Ph_ram_PG4_H	83565	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. ramorum</i>	Ph_ram_PG5_H	83564	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. ramorum</i>	Ph_ram_PG6_H	83568	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI



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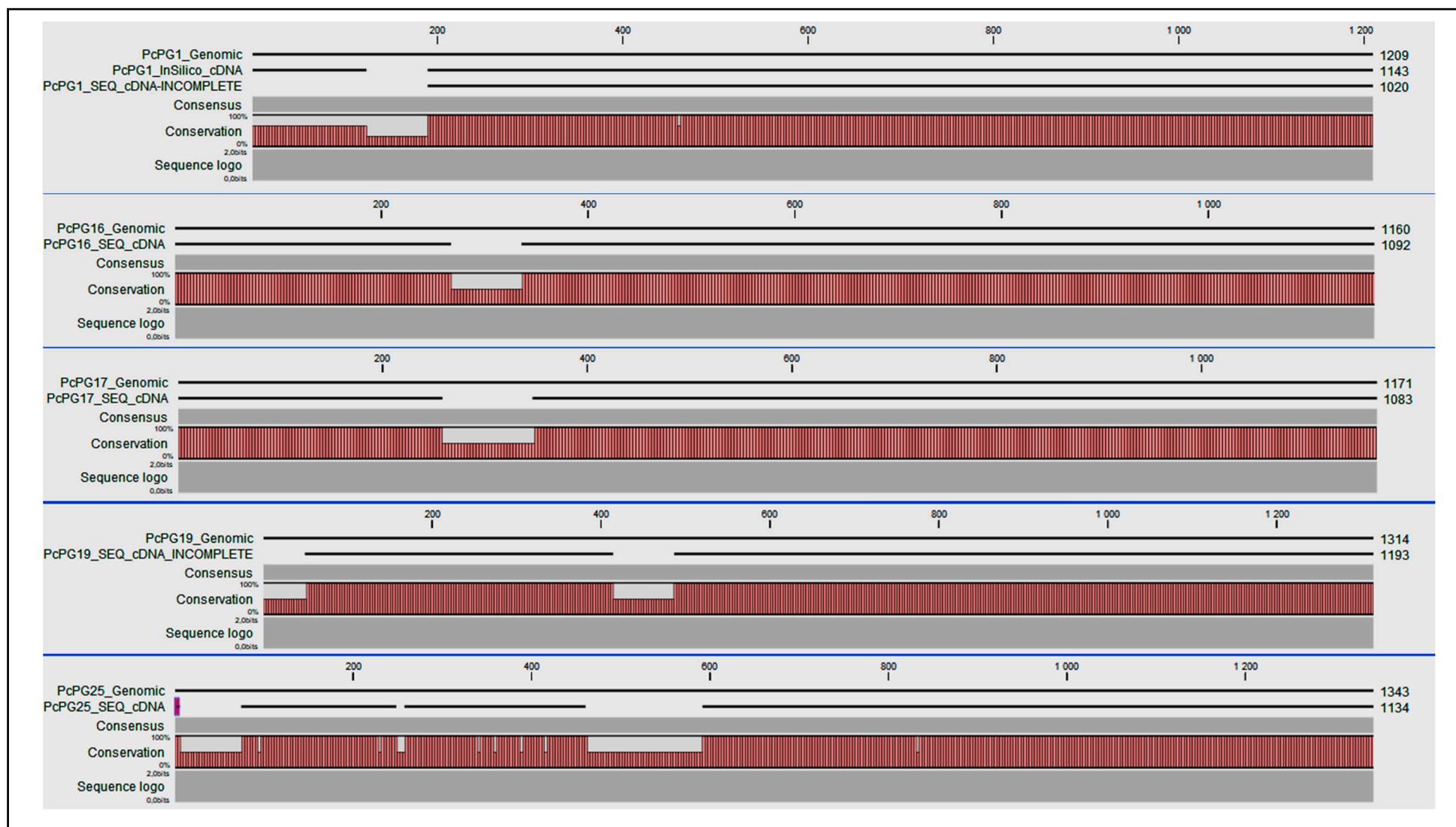
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<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG2_H	260041	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
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<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG4_H	259959	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG5_H	250266	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
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<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG7_H	507025	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG8_H	506837	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG9_H	507865	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG10_H	508773	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG11_H	508703	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG12_H	509867	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG13_H	509900	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG14_H	509650	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG15_H	505673	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI
<i>P. sojae</i>	Ph_soj_PG16_H	259928	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	JGI

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<i>Phytophthora megakarya</i>	Ph_meg_PG1_H	OWY94663	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. megakarya</i>	Ph_meg_PG2_H	OWY98164	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. megakarya</i>	Ph_meg_PG3_H	OWZ12176	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. megakarya</i>	Ph_meg_PG4_H	OWY97638	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. megakarya</i>	Ph_meg_PG5_H	OWZ12175	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. megakarya</i>	Ph_meg_PG6_H	OWZ12177	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. megakarya</i>	Ph_meg_PG7_H	OWY98906	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>Phytophthora nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG1_H	KUF86279	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG2_H	KUF77588	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG3_H	KUF94022	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG4_H	KUF90172	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG5_H	KUF84330	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG6_H	KUF94598	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG7_H	KUF94020	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG8_H	KUF94603	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG9_H	KUF91066	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG10_H	KUF91067	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI

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<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG11_H	KUF94602	Hemibiotrophic	1-17	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG12_H	KUF78020	Hemibiotrophic	1-19	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG13_H	KUF84327	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG14_H	KUF94019	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>P. nicotianae</i>	Ph_nic_PG15_H	KUF86106	Hemibiotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
<i>Pythium vexans</i>	Py_vex_PG1_H	EPrPVT00000022936	Hemibiotrophic	1-18	I, II, III, IV & V	ENSEMBL PROTISTS
<i>Pythium arrhenomanes</i>	Py_arr_PG1_N	EPrPRT00000024470	Necrotrophic	1-22	I, II, III, IV & V	ENSEMBL PROTISTS
<i>Pythium aphanidermatum</i>	Py_aph_PG1_N	EPrPA00000023057	Necrotrophic	1-20	I, II, III, IV & V	ENSEMBL PROTISTS
<i>Plasmopara halstedii</i>	PI_hal_PG1_B	CEG40133	Biotrophic	1-25	I, II, III, IV & V	NCBI
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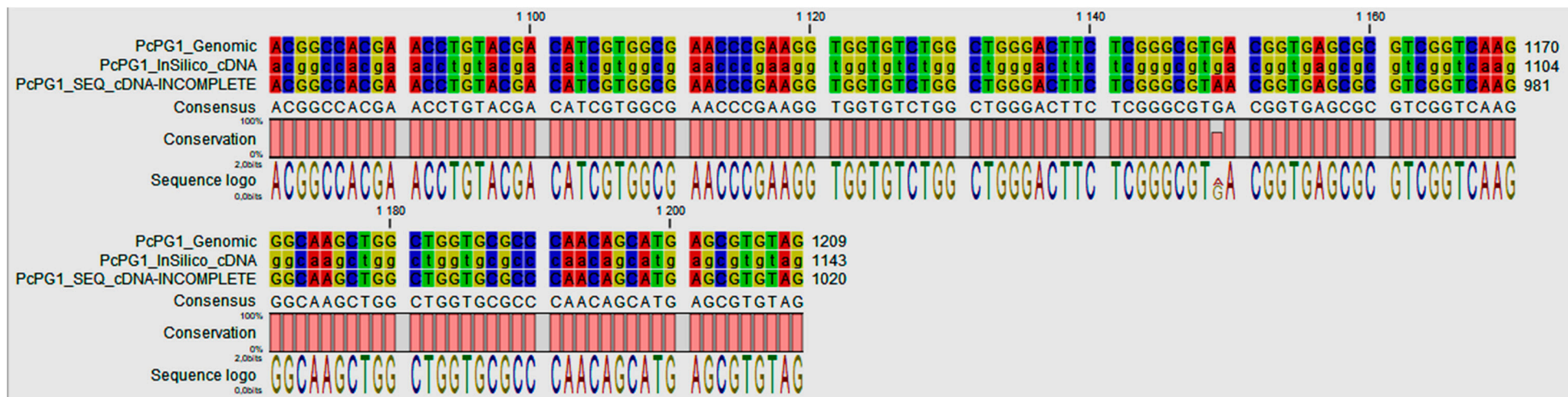


**Figure S2. Pairwise alignment (zoomed out) of intron-containing PG genomic sequences with their corresponding coding sequences.** The genomic sequences of the introns are shown with a solid grey line, below are the coding sequences of the respective PG genes. One intron is present in each PG gene as shown by the gap in the coding sequence marked as the cDNA sequence. The gap in the N-terminal region of *pcpg19* and *pcpg25* is not an indication of an intron region, the consensus sequence could not be attained in these regions due to many conflicts observed in these nucleotides using CLC Main Workbench. The *In silico* identified coding sequence of *pcpg1* was included to show the intron position as we were unable to get the consensus sequence of the beginning of the sequence. We do not expect to see an intron in the N-terminal region, therefore we suggest that this gene also has one intron as predicted *in silico*. The consensus sequence is shown below the alignment with a grey solid rectangular block and the sequence conservation is marked in light and dark maroon.

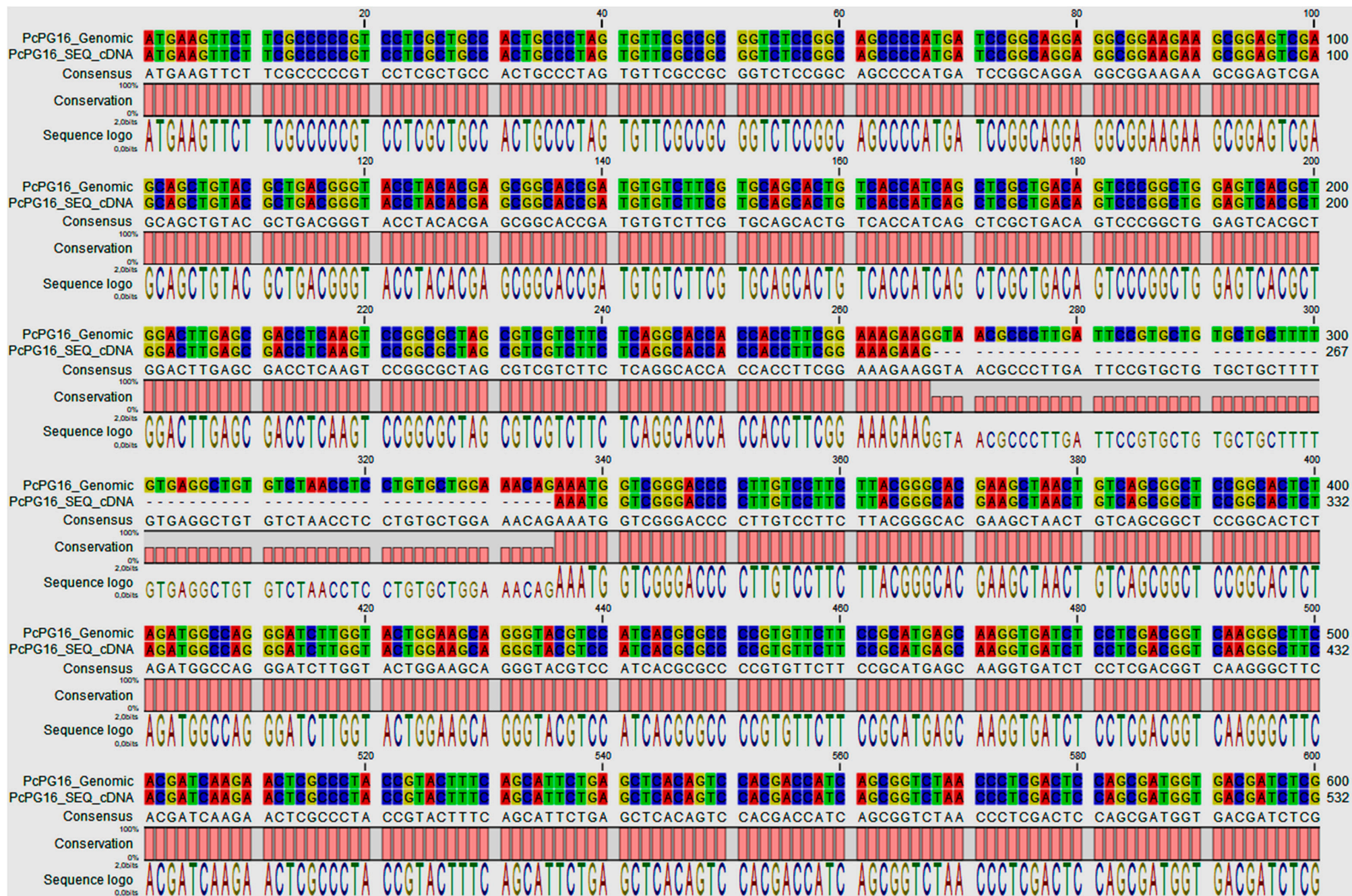




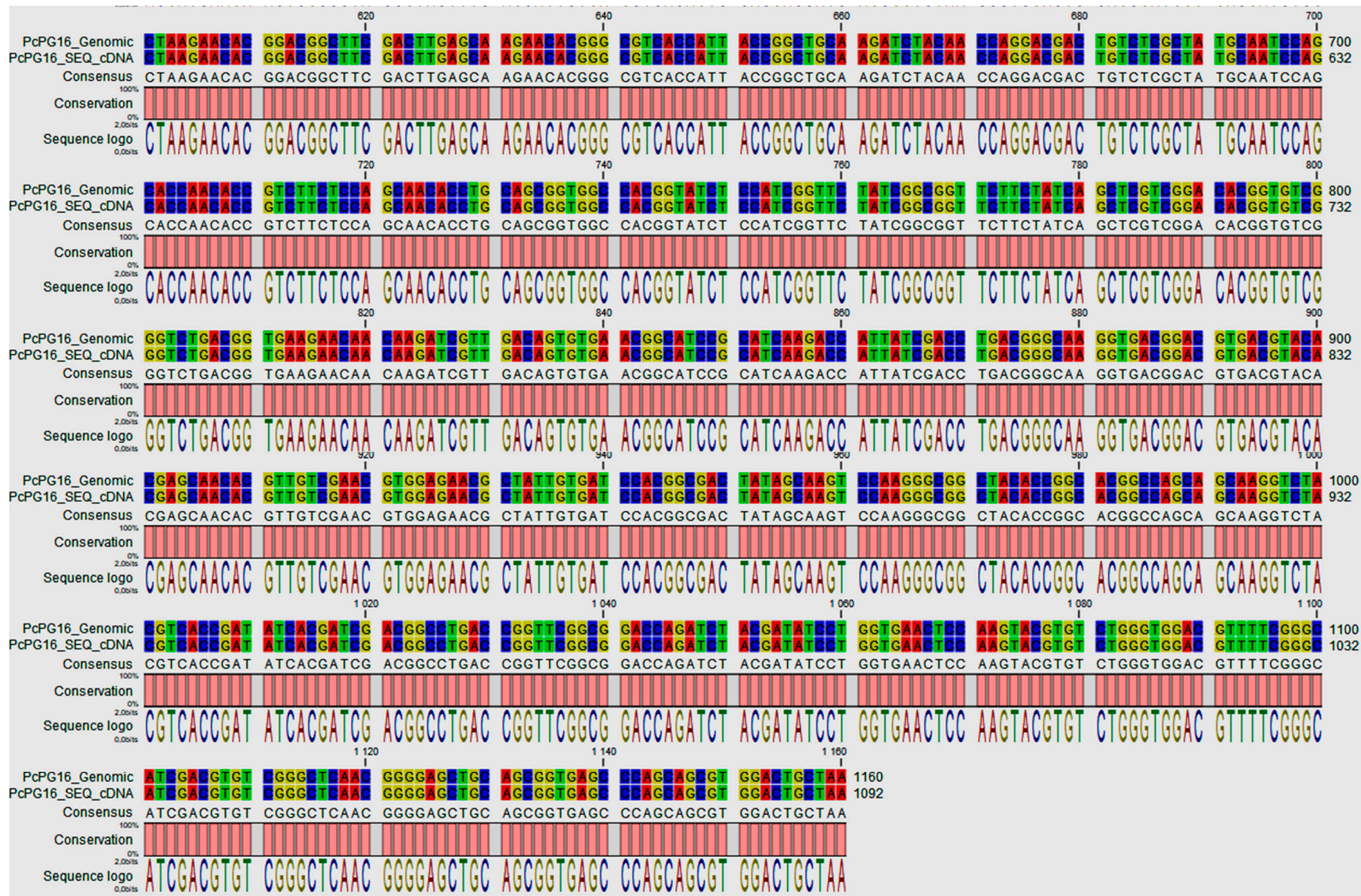




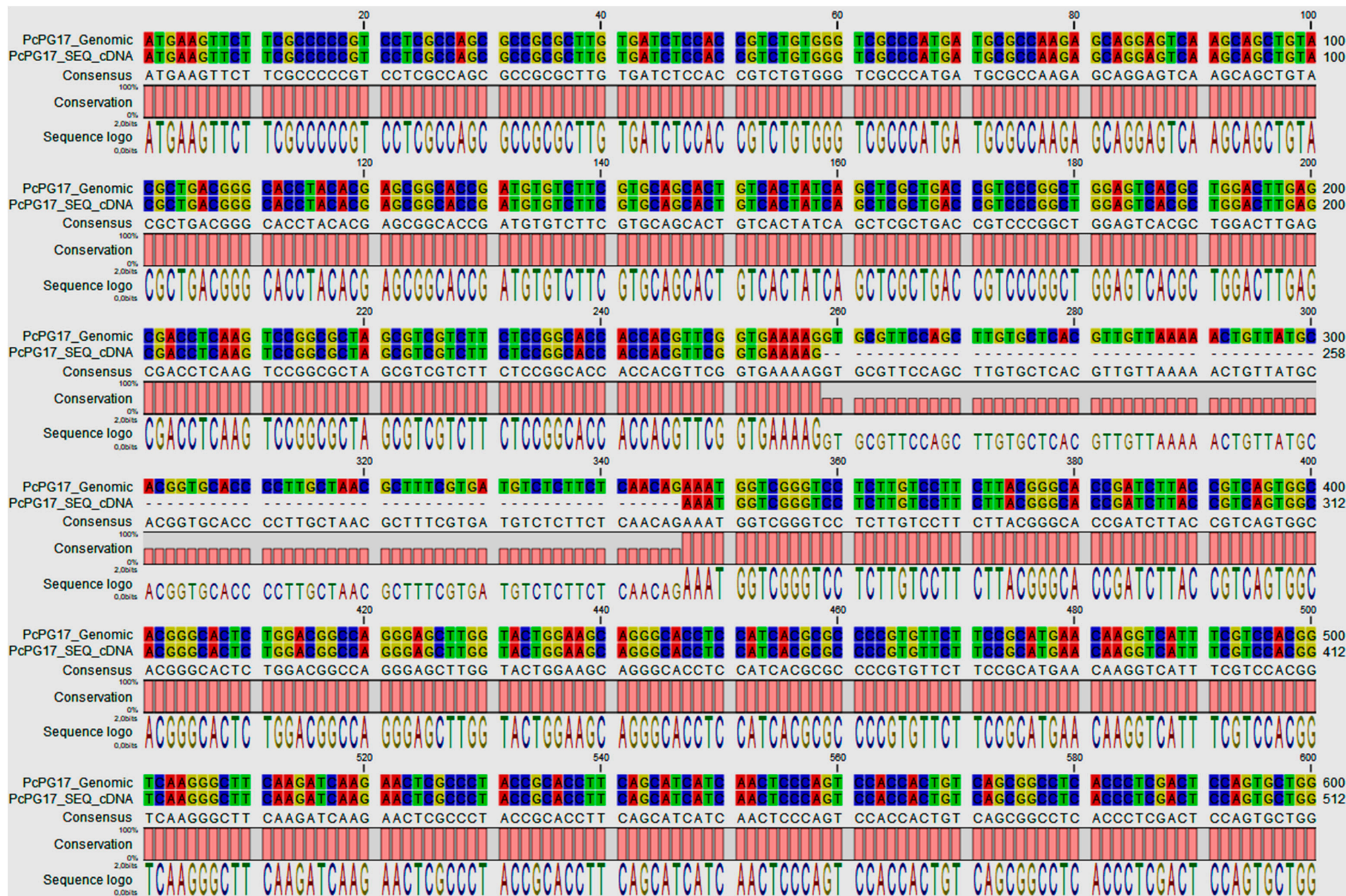




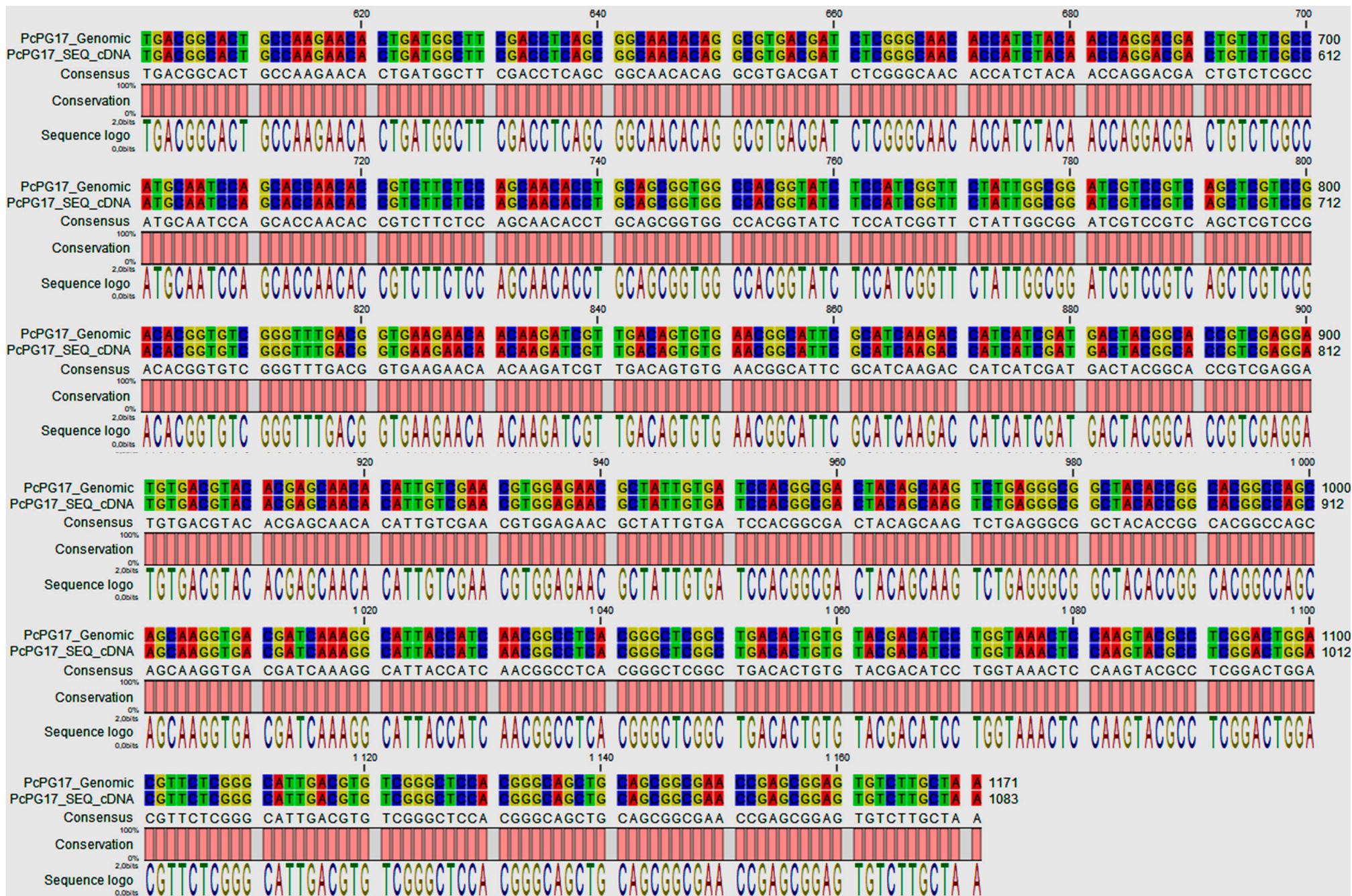




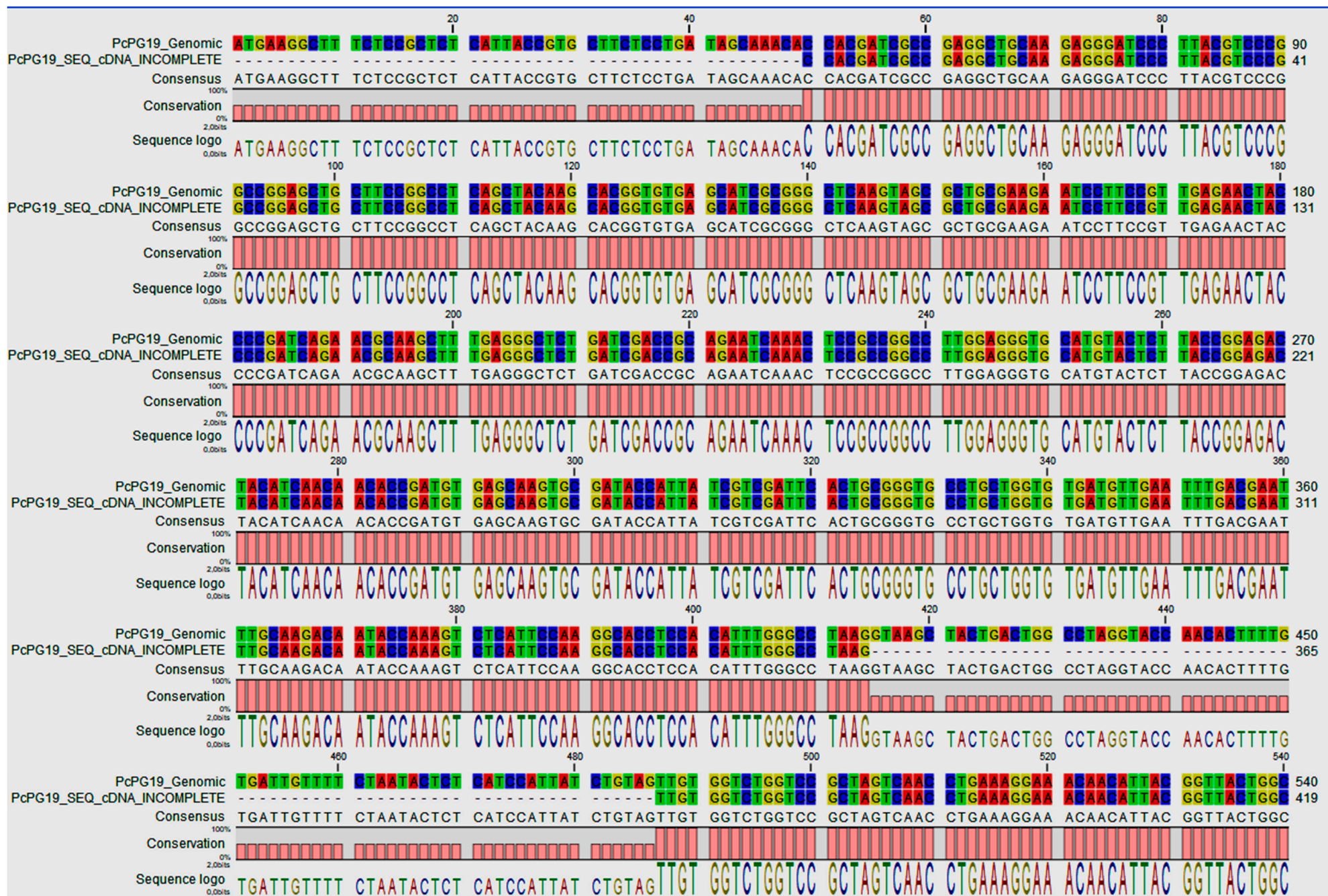




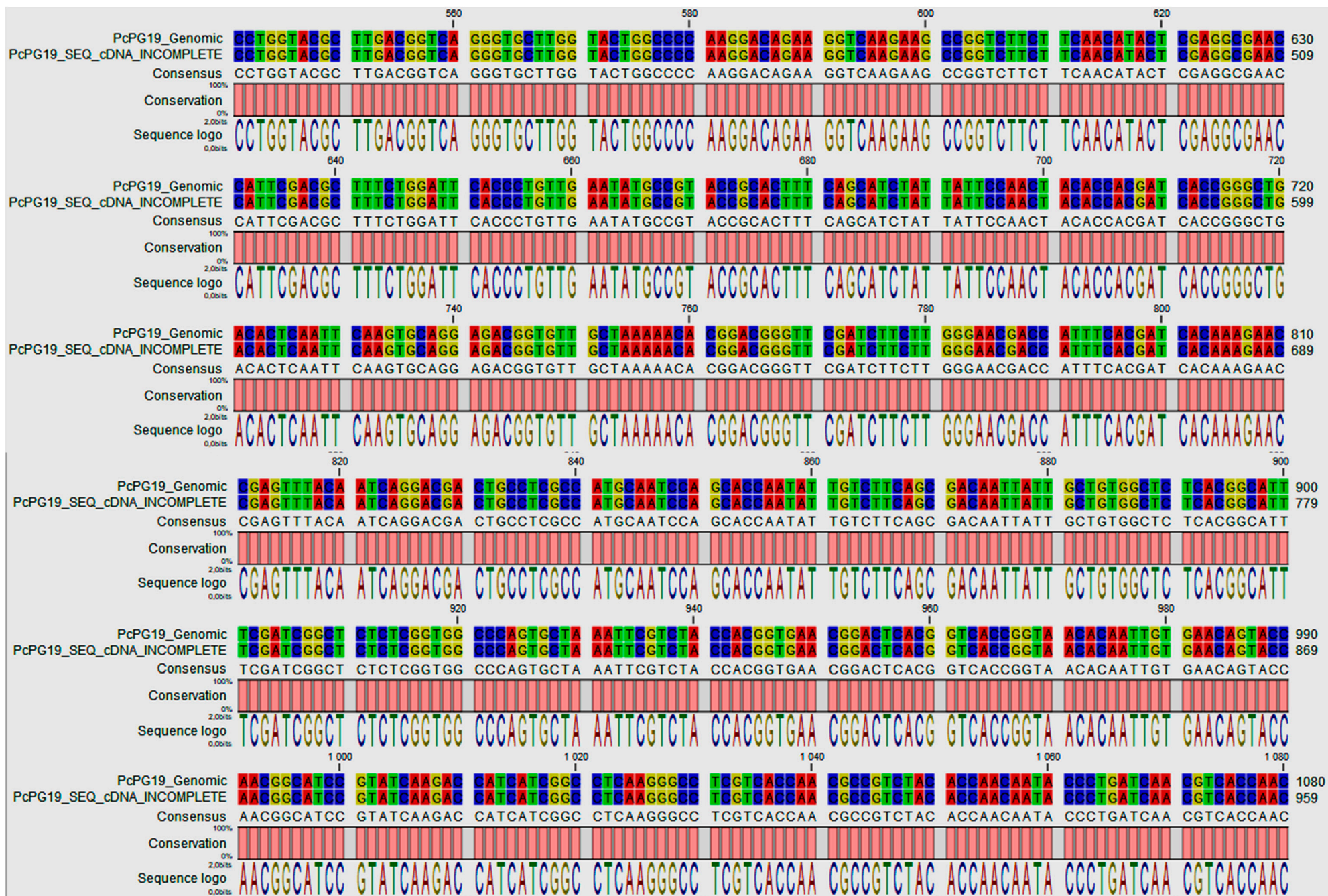


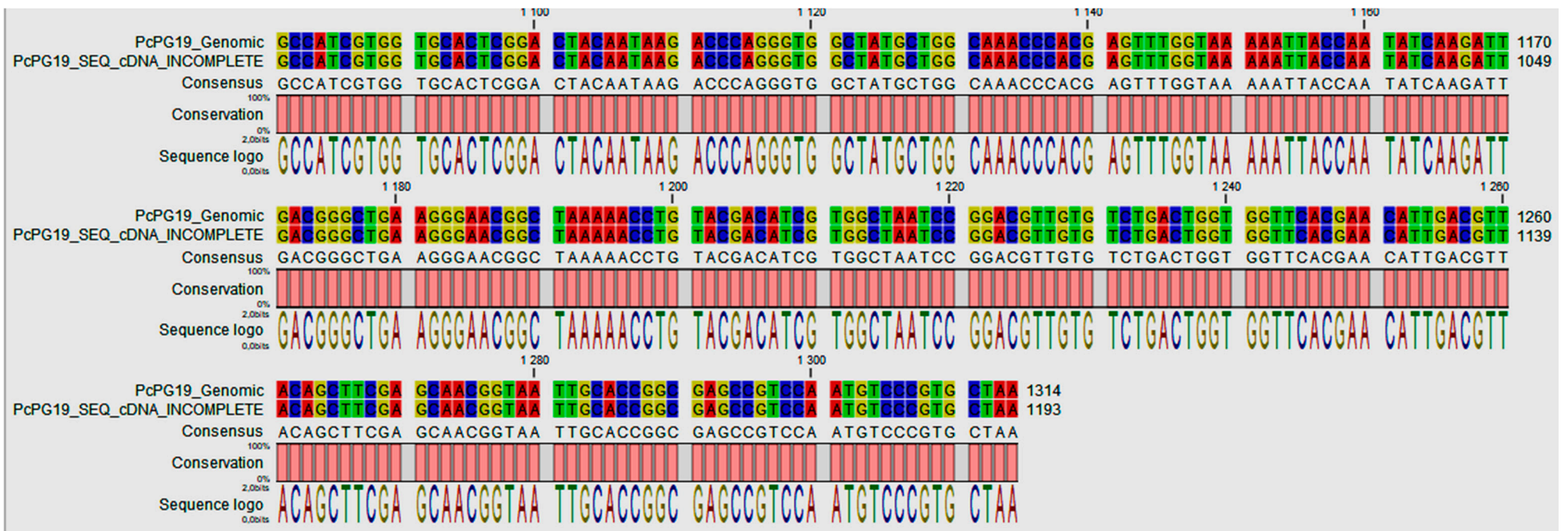




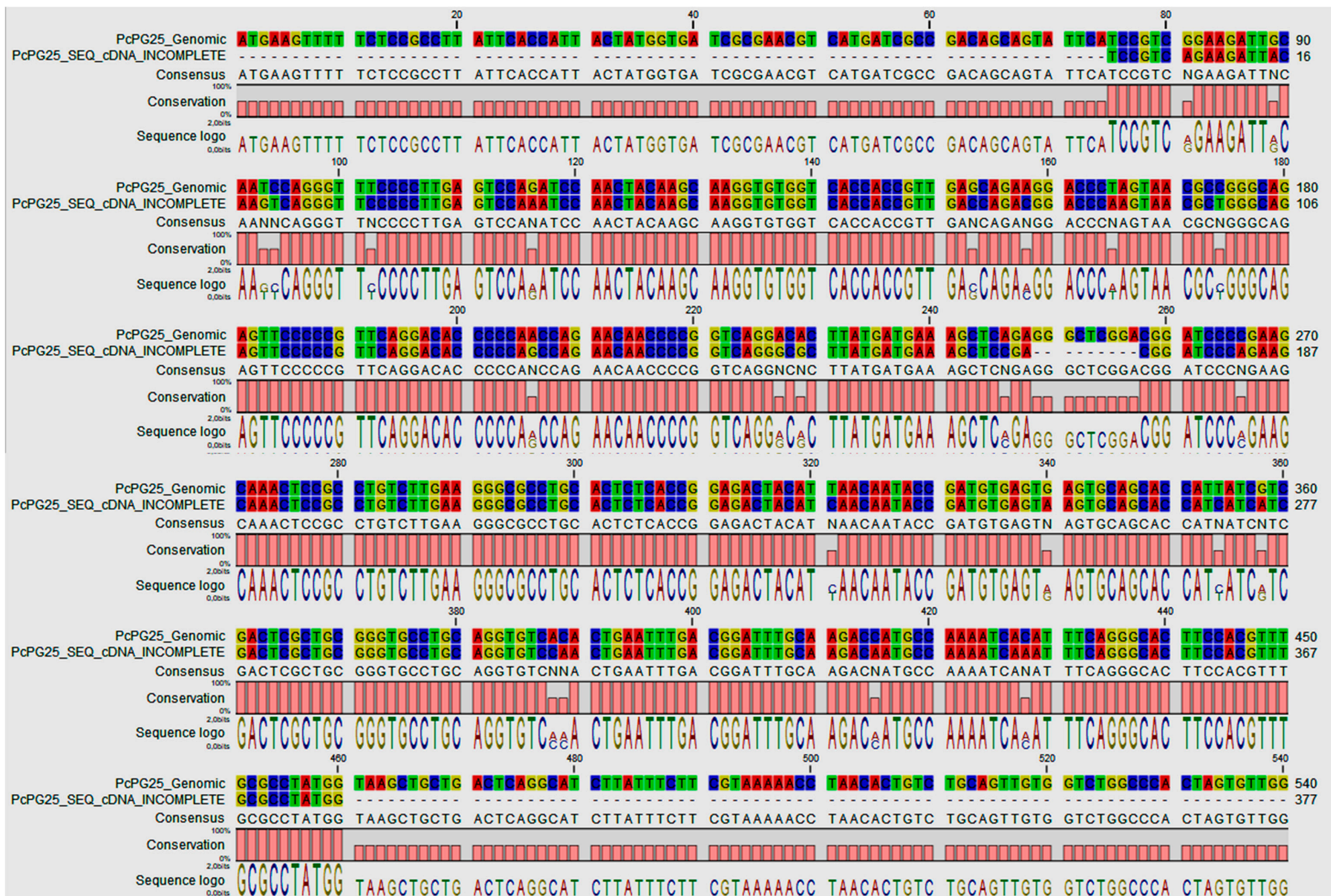




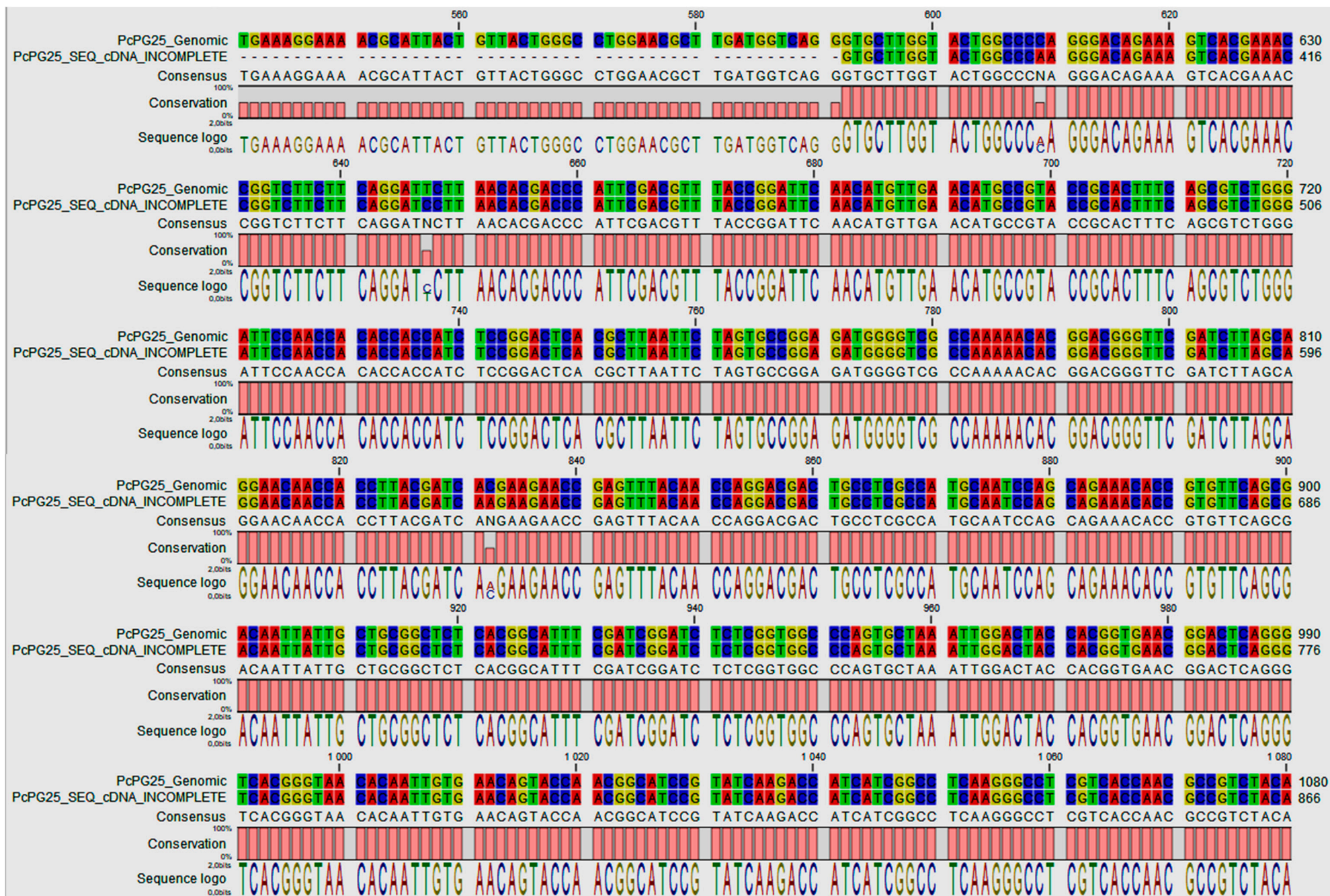


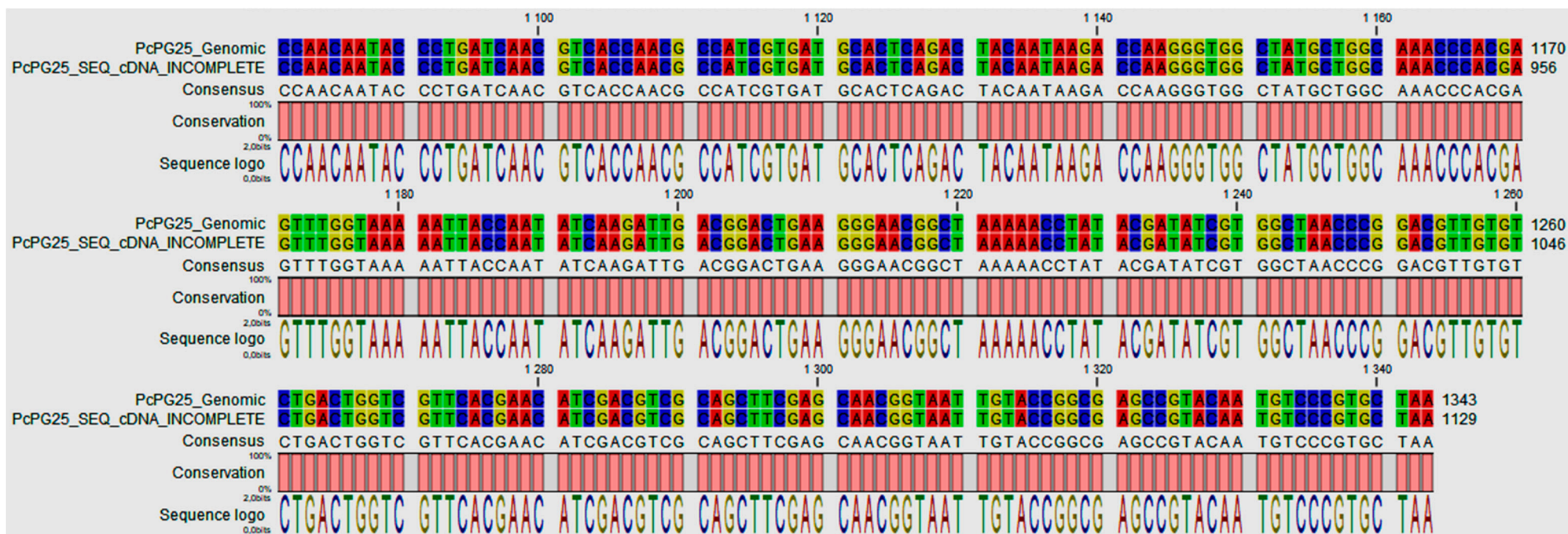












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**Table S4. Representation of the intron exon boundaries of polygalacturonase genes from *Phytophthora cinnamomi*-GKB4 genome (accession: JAFJYM000000000) using Augustus for gene prediction.**

<b>Gene name</b>	<b>Gene</b>	<b>Start codon</b>	<b>CDS1</b>	<b>CDS2</b>	<b>CDS3</b>	<b>Stop codon</b>	<b>No. of exons</b>
<i>pcpg1</i>	3159477-3160685	3160683-3160685	3159477-3160496	3160563-3160685	none	3064418-3064420	2
<i>Pcpg2</i>	3159477-3160685	3160683-3160685	3159477-3160685	none	none	3159477-3159479	1
<i>Pcpg3</i>	687409-688584	688582-688584	687409-688584	none	none	687409-687411	1
<i>Pcpg4</i>	699645-700820	699645-699647	699645-700820	none	none	700818-700820	1
<i>Pcpg5</i>	3117095-3118339	3118337-3118339	3117095-3118339	none	none	3117095-3117097	1
<i>Pcpg6</i>	3062862-3063947	3062862-3062864	3062862-3063947	none	none	3063945-3063947	1
<i>pcpg7</i>	690379-691554	691552-691554	690379-691554	none	none	690379-690381	1
<i>pcpg8</i>	3060266-3061351	3061349-3061351	3060266-3061351	none	none	3060266-3060268	1
<i>Pcpg9</i>	696762-697853	696762-696764	696762-697853	none	none	697851-697853	1
<i>Pcpg10</i>	3175783-3177147	3177145-3177147	3175783-3177147	none	none	3175783-3175785	1
<i>Pcpg11</i>	3179776-3181194	3181192-3181194	3179776-3181194	none	none	3179776-3179778	1
<i>Pcpg12</i>	3183124-3184542	3183124-3183126	3183124-3184542	none	none	3184540-3184542	1
<i>Pcpg13</i>	108265-109683	109681-109683	108265-109683	none	none	108265-108267	1
<i>Pcpg14</i>	111608-113050	111608-111610	111608-113050	none	none	113048-113050	1

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<i>Pcpg16</i>	3054273-3055432	3054273-3054275	3054273-3054539	3054608-3055432	none	3055430-3055432	2
<i>Pcpg17</i>	3056638-3057808	3056638-3056640	3056638-3056895	3056984-3057808	none	3057806-3057808	2
<i>Pcpg19</i>	1649208-1650521	1650519-1650521	1649208-1650035	1650108-1650521	none	1649208-1649210	2
<i>Pcpg22</i>	444730-446301	446299-446301	444730-446301	none	none	444730-444732	1
<i>Pcpg25</i>	422021-423363	423361-423363	422021-422773	422905-423363	none	422021-422023	2

**Table S5. Protein sequence similarity of full-length and partial putative polygalacturonase proteins of *Phytophthora cinnamomi* to PG proteins from *Phytophthora* spp., based on BLASTP analyses.**

<b>New gene name</b>	<b>Query ID from the South African genome</b>	<b>NCBI accession</b>	<b>Query coverage</b>	<b>E-value</b>	<b>% Identity</b>	<b>Species description</b>	<b>Reference</b>
PcPG1	OL334941	AAN05466	99%	0.0	90.82%	Polygalacturonase 7 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]
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PcPG3	OL334943	KUF94019	99%	0.0	84.65%	Endopolygalacturonase 2 [ <i>P. nicotianae</i> ]	[2]
PcPG4	OL334944	KUF94019	99%	0.0	84.65%	Endopolygalacturonase 2 [ <i>P. nicotianae</i> ]	[2]
PcPG5	OL334945	AAN05466	99%	0.0	99.52%	Polygalacturonase 7 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]
PcPG6	OL334946	AAN34613	99%	0.0	100%	Polygalacturonase 2 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]
PcPG7	OL334947	KUF94019	99%	0.0	79.69%	Endopolygalacturonase 2 [ <i>P. nicotianae</i> ]	[2]
PcPG8	OL334948	AAN34614	99%	0.0	99.72%	Polygalacturonase 3 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]
PcPG9	OL334949	POM75086	99%	0.0	78.51%	Polygalacturonase [ <i>Phytophthora palmivora</i> var. <i>palmivora</i> ]	[3]
PcPG10	OL334950	AAN05465	99%	0.0	99.78%	Polygalacturonase 10 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]
PcPG11	OL334951	KUF84330	96%	0.0	73.03%	Polygalacturonase [ <i>P. nicotianae</i> ]	Unpublished
PcPG12	OL334952	KUF84330	96%	0.0	73.03%	Polygalacturonase [ <i>P. nicotianae</i> ]	Unpublished

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PcPG25	OL334965	AAN05464	87%	0.0	80.68%	Polygalacturonase 17 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]
PcPG26	OL334966	AAN05466	99%	0.0	99.44%	Polygalacturonase 7 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]

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PcPG29	OL334969	XP_009520006	98%	3e-83	83.87%	Polygalacturonase [ <i>Phytophthora sojae</i> ]	[4]
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PcPG34	OL334974	AAN05466	99%	3e-62	69.09%	Polygalacturonase 7 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]
PcPG35	OL334975	AAN05466	78%	7e-40	63.43%	Polygalacturonase 7 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]
PcPG36	OL334976	AAN05466	94%	5e-24	73.97%	Polygalacturonase 7 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]
PcPG37	OL334977	AAN05467	65%	1e-19	72.31%	Polygalacturonase 8 [ <i>P. cinnamomi</i> ]	[1]

**Table S6. Full-length and partial polygalacturonase sequences from *Phytophthora cinnamomi*.**

<b>PG gene ID</b>	<b>Predicted protein (aa)</b>	<b>Signal peptide &amp; position</b>	<b>GH28 domain</b>	<b>Catalytic (G/QDD &amp; G/SHG) &amp; Binding domains (NTD &amp; RIK)</b>	<b>Full-length/ partial</b>
PcPG1	381 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG2	403 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG3	392 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG4	392 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG5	415 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG6	362 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes – complete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG7	392 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG8	362 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - complete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG9	364 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG10	455 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG11	473 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - complete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG12	473 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - complete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG13	473 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - complete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG14	481 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes - complete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG15	356 aa	No <sup>a</sup>	_____		Partial
PcPG16	364 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes – incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length

The \_\_\_ is an indication that the sequence was removed for further analysis, and the blank spaces indicate that further analysis was not conducted for the sequence, and therefore there are no results to record.



**Table S6. Full-length and partial polygalacturonase sequences from *Phytophthora cinnamomi***

<b>PG gene ID</b>	<b>Predicted protein (aa)</b>	<b>Signal peptide &amp; position</b>	<b>GH28 domain</b>	<b>Catalytic (G/QDD &amp; G/SHG) &amp; Binding domains (NTD &amp; RIK)</b>	<b>Full-length/ partial</b>
PcPG17	361 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes – complete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG18	349 aa	No <sup>a</sup>	_____		Partial
PcPG19	414 aa	Yes 22 – 23	Yes – incomplete	QDD & SHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG20	340 aa	No <sup>a</sup>	_____		Partial
PcPG21	328 aa	No <sup>c</sup>	_____		Partial
PcPG22	524 aa	Yes 19 – 20	Yes – incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG23	400 aa	Yes 20 – 21	Yes – incomplete	QDD & GHG and NTD & RIK	Partial
PcPG24	470 aa	No <sup>b</sup>	_____		Partial
PcPG25	404 aa	Yes 22 – 23	Yes – incomplete	QDD & SHG and NTD & RIK	Full-length
PcPG26	189 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG27	267 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG28	185 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG29	158 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG30	158 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG31	183 aa	_____			Partial

<sup>a</sup>The sequence is missing nucleotides in the N-terminal region and has no signal peptide.

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**Table S6. Full-length and partial polygalacturonase sequences from *Phytophthora cinnamomi***

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<b>PG gene ID</b>	<b>Predicted protein (aa)</b>	<b>Signal peptide &amp; position</b>	<b>GH28 domain</b>	<b>Catalytic (G/QDD &amp; G/SHG) &amp; Binding domains (NTD &amp; RIK)</b>	<b>Full-length/ partial</b>
PcPG32	175 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG33	183 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG34	138 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG35	161 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG36	73 aa	_____			Partial
PcPG37	89 aa	_____			Partial

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<sup>b</sup>The sequence has an N-terminal region but no signal peptide.

<sup>c</sup>The sequence has no N-terminal region.



**Figure S4. A multiple sequence alignment of the polygalacturonase protein sequences from *Phytophthora cinnamomi*.** The sequences above contained the required length and signal peptide. The highly conserved cysteine regions (disulphide bridges) in the N-terminal region (top) middle region and C-terminal region (bottom), are marked with blue boxes as shown

above. The PGs analysed contained one to three disulphide bridges. All PG sequences contained the binding domains (NTD & RIK; Domain I & IV) marked in dark red boxes, and the catalytic domains (Q/KDD & G/SHG; Domain II & III) marked in green boxes. The invariantly conserved Y residue (Domain V) is marked by the purple box and present in all PGs analysed. PcPG23 lacked a region towards the end of the polypeptide chain, rendering the protein as a partial sequence.

**Table S7: Log 2-Fold Change gene expression of PG genes from *P. cinnamomi* at 12 hpi, 24 hpi and 120 hpi during colonization of the susceptible avocado rootstock (R. 012) normalized to mycelia.**

NCBI Gene ID	New Gene ID	Normalized read	12 hpi vs. mycelia		24 hpi vs. mycelia		120 hpi vs. mycelia	
		count in mycelia	Fold Change	padj	Fold Change	padj	Fold Change	padj
<b><i>OL334941</i></b>	<b><i>pcpg1</i></b>	7,089050687	3,727133085	0,361369021	5,427063328	0,112128501	4,952595388	0,070323646
<b><i>OL334945</i></b>	<b><i>pcpg5</i></b>	12,53317935	7,179905644	0,011031321	5,68872165	0,047685514	9,253379578	2,17858E-06
<b><i>OL334949</i></b>	<b><i>pcpg9</i></b>	0,819837188	9,357377939	NA	8,82799846	NA	8,695524147	0,162009609
<b><i>OL334956</i></b>	<b><i>pcpg16</i></b>	92,69623888	-1,528584691	0,253232764	-1,667478691	0,116585993	-0,843269809	0,022920738
<b><i>OL334957</i></b>	<b><i>pcpg17</i></b>	0,164551001	5,576107637	NA	5,046727525	NA	2,367419336	NA
<b><i>OL334959</i></b>	<b><i>pcpg19</i></b>	4,816470763	0,622915905	NA	1,051579347	NA	-3,502069754	0,014409235
<b><i>OL334962</i></b>	<b><i>pcpg22</i></b>	19,22077692	0,785236322	0,781956919	4,683865954	0,000203064	-3,339728694	0,061227151
<b><i>OL334965</i></b>	<b><i>pcpg25</i></b>	0,972332323	9,357384537	NA	8,828005058	NA	8,933289208	0,149438017

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