ABSTRACT

The present invention relates to a cellulase-producing fungus strain of *Talaromyces pinophilus* and active mutants derived therefrom for producing cellulolytic enzymes and a cellulolytic enzyme complex. The cellulolytic enzyme complex of the strain is particularly useful for degrading lignocellulosic materials. The invention also relates to a method of producing a supernatant comprising a cellulolytic enzyme complex derived from *the strain* and active mutants derived therefrom, as well as methods of using the cellulolytic enzyme complex for degrading lignocellulosic materials.

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