

Abstract**Production of dextran**

- 5 The invention relates to a bacterial strain which produces dextran, to a process for the production of dextran, to a process for the production of an additive containing an enzyme involved in the biosynthesis of dextran, and to the use of this dextran, this enzyme and/or a strain producing
- 10 this dextran and this enzyme in the manufacture of a food product or cosmetic composition.