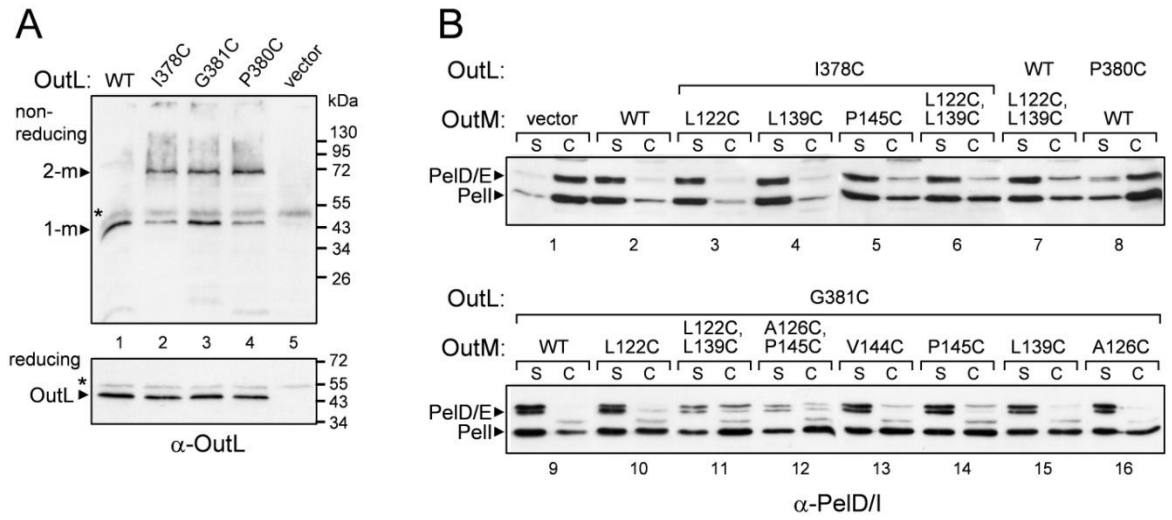

Figure S2. Disulfide-bonding patterns and functionality of cysteine variants of OutL and OutM co-expressed in *D. dadantii* A5434Δ*outL*. (*A*), disulfide-bonding analysis of OutL/M variants. (*B* and *C*), secretion activity of OutL/M variants. *D. dadantii* A5434Δ*outL pecS* cells, carrying a pTdB-oLoM plasmid co-expressing mutant *outL* and *outM* alleles (indicated on top), were grown, treated and analyzed with either GST-OutL antibodies (*A*), or PelD and PelI antibodies (*B*), as in Fig. 4. The positions of OutL monomers (1-m) and dimers (2-m) are indicated by arrowheads. Non-specific specie interacting with GST-OutL antibodies are shown by asterisks. In (*A*), the amounts of formed dimers reflect the proximity of the respective residues from adjacent protomers. In (*B*), the quantity of secreted proteins present in the culture supernatant reflects the efficiency of secretion.