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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A filamentous fungal cell having reduced UDP-galactofurano-
nose is provided. The fungal cell may, in certain embodi-
ments, contain a nuclear genome comprising an inactivated
UDP-galactopyranose mutase (UDP-galp mutase) gene and a
recombinant nucleic acid for expression of a protein. Also
provided are methods of producing a protein using the subject
fungal cell, as well as methods of producing the subject
fungal cell.