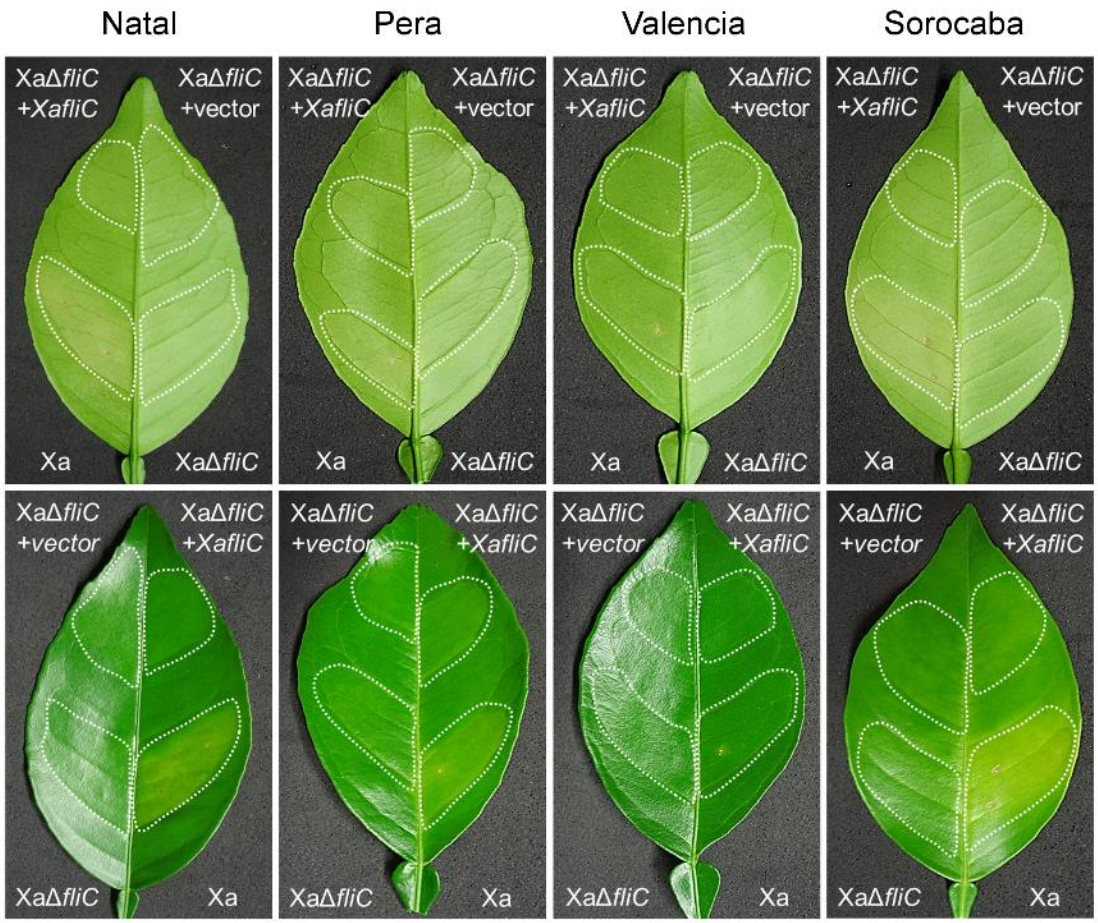


**Figure S3. Deletion of the *fliC* gene in Xa is not sufficient to induce canker symptoms on sweet oranges**. 'Natal', 'Pera', 'Valencia' and 'Sorocaba' leaves were infiltrated with a water suspension (OD600nm = 0.1) of Xa or the corresponding XaΔ*fliC* mutants (areas surrounded by dashed lines). While no cancer pustule developed in the leaf sectors infiltrated with the *XaΔfliC* mutant, a reduction in the yellowing of the leaf is observed in these leaf sectors, compared to leaf sectors infiltrated with Xa, particularly in 'Natal', 'Pera' and 'Sorocaba' leaves.