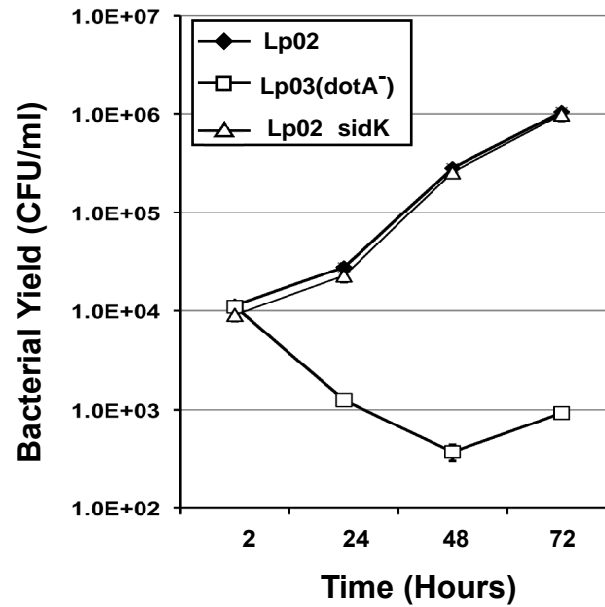
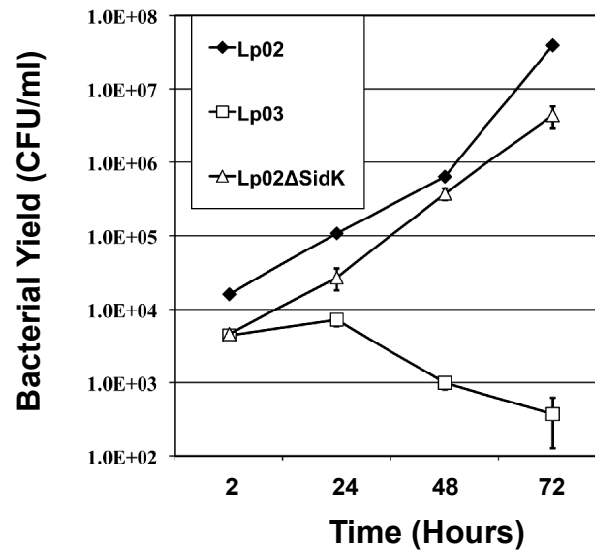


**A****B**

**Fig. S1** Deletion of *sidK* did not affect intracellular growth of *L. pneumophila*. Indicated bacterial strains grown to post-exponential phase were used to infect mouse macrophages (**A**) or *Dictyostelium discoideum* (**B**). Infections were synchronized 1 h after uptake and the total bacterial counts at indicated time points were determined by lysing infected cells with 0.02% saponin and plating appropriately diluted lysates on CYE plates. Data shown are one representative experiment done in triplicates. Similar results are obtained in more than three independent experiments.