



Figure S2: Detection of phages in the supernatant of planktonic *S. oneidensis* MR-1 cultures. Cell-free supernatants of 30 hour planktonic cultures of mutant strains exclusively harbouring MuSo2 ($\Delta\text{Mu}1\Delta\lambda$, lane 1), MuSo1 ($\Delta\text{Mu}2\Delta\lambda$, lane 2) and LambdaSo ($\Delta\text{Mu}1\Delta\text{Mu}2$, lane 3), of the phage-less mutant ($\Delta\Delta\Delta$, lane 4), and the wild type (lane 5) were spotted on soft agar lawns of wild-type cells (upper panel) and phage-less mutant cells (lower panel).