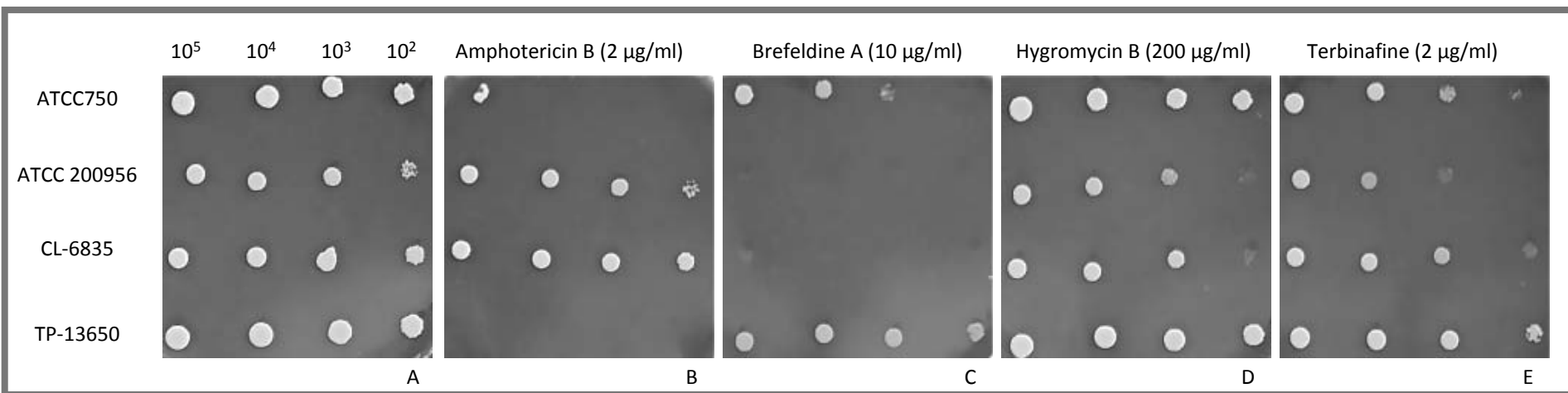


Supplementary Table 1.- Oligonucleotides used for PCR amplification and sequencing of *ERG11* and *ERG3* genes.

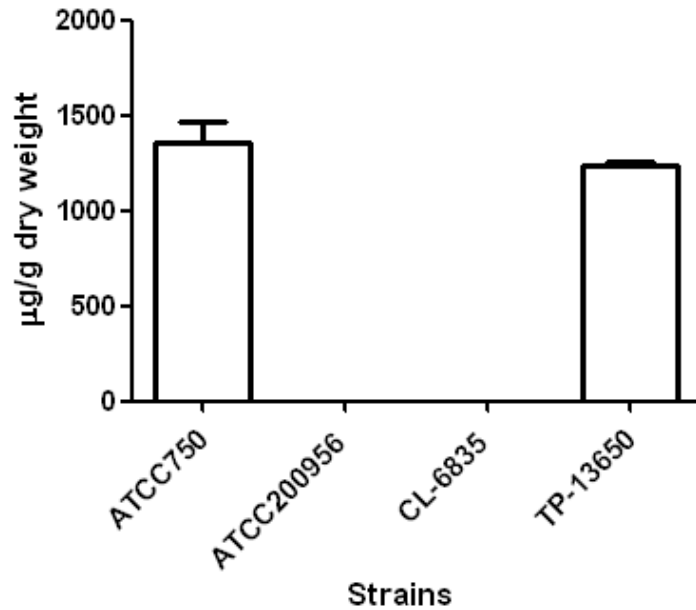
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<i>Erg3 PCR amplification</i>				
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ERG3R3	antisense	GTCATCAACTTTACCTTCAAG	PCR amplification and sequencing	This work
<i>Erg11 PCR amplification</i>				
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ERG11R1	antisense	ATTGATGCCATCAATGGCAG	Erg11 sequencing	[1]
ERG11F2	sense	ATCCCACAGGCTTATTTGAAA	Erg11 sequencing	[1]
ERG11R2	antisense	GGTCTCTTTCCTTGGTTTTG	Erg11 sequencing	[1]
ERG11F3	sense	TGCTGAAGAAGCTTATACCC	Erg11 sequencing	[1]
ERG11R3	antisense	CAAGGAATCAATCAAATCTCTC	Erg11 sequencing	[1]
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ERG11R4	antisense	AGCAGGTTCTAATGGTAAGG	Erg11 sequencing	[1]
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ERG11R5	antisense	TCCCAAGACATCAAACCCTG	Erg11 sequencing	[1]
ERG11R5b	antisense	TGCGGTACAGGTGATCTGTG	PCR amplification and sequencing	This work

*[1] Vandeputte P, Larcher G, Bergès T, Renier G, Chabasse D, Bouchara JP. 2005. Mechanisms of azole resistance in a clinical isolate of *Candida tropicalis*. *Antimicrob. Agents Chemother.* 49:4608-4615.

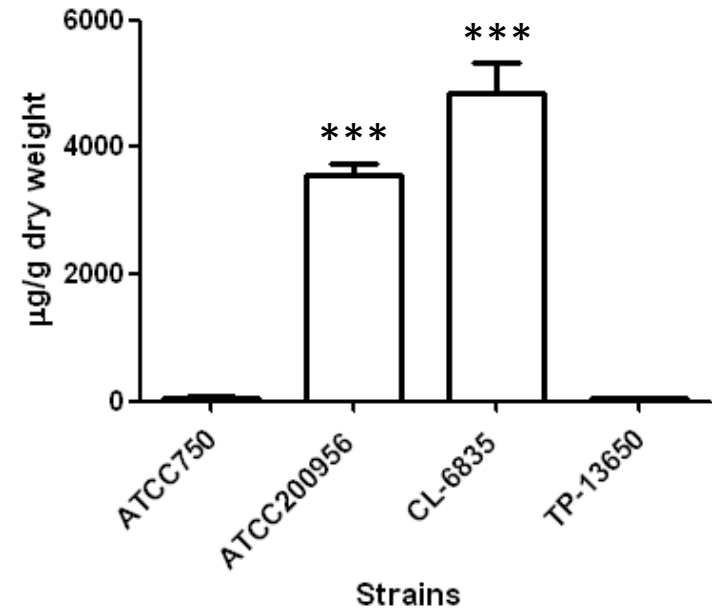


S2_Figure 2. Metabolic inhibitors susceptibility assays. Serial dilutions of *C. tropicalis* susceptible and resistant to azoles (ATCC750 and TP-13650) and *C. tropicalis* with cross-resistance to azole drugs and AmB (ATCC200956 and CL-6835) were spotted onto the agar plates containing the different drugs at the indicated concentrations (B, C, D and E). A drug-free YNB medium was included as control (A). The plates were incubated for 48 h at 37°C.

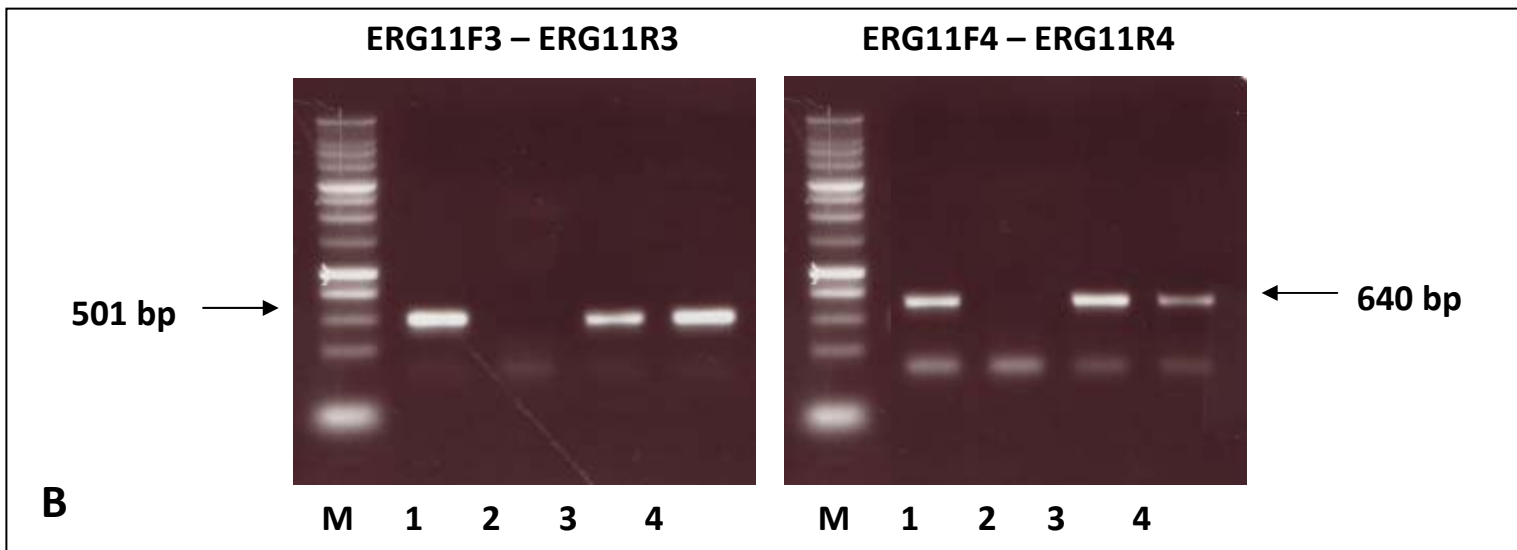
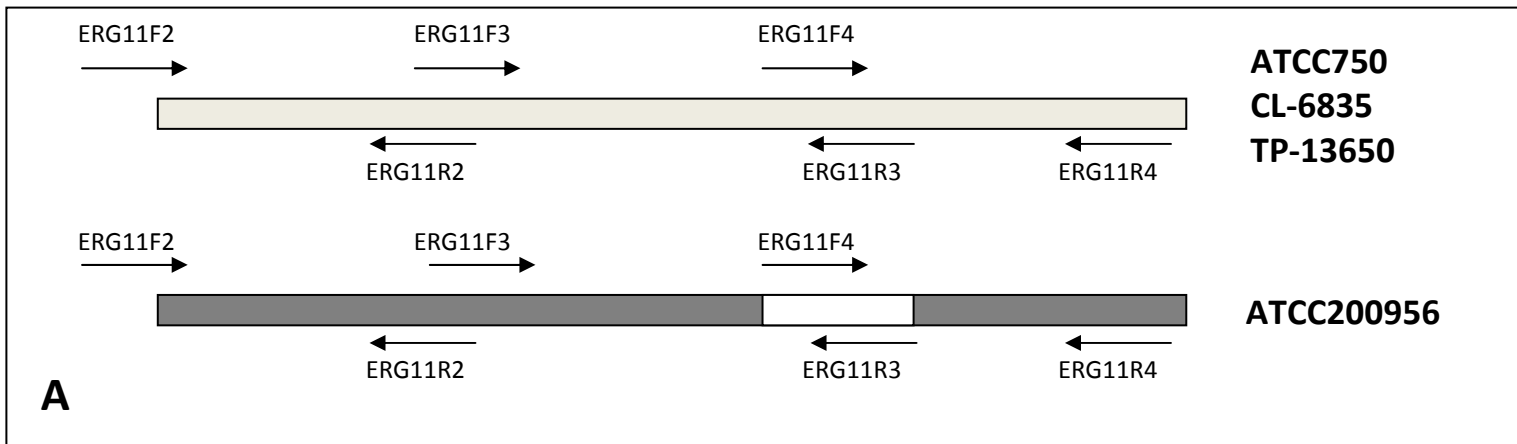
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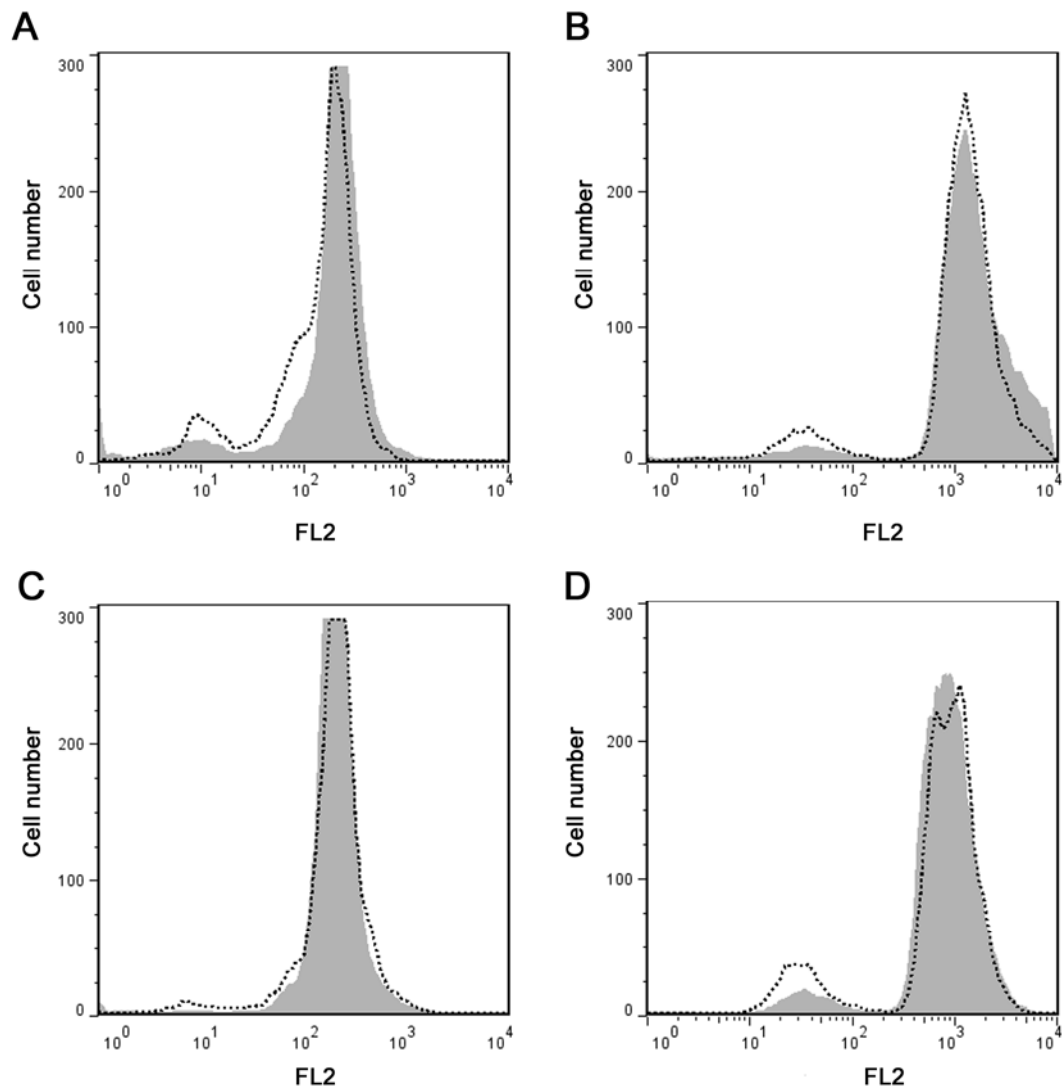
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S3_Figure 3.- Total amount of ergosterol (A) and 14-methyl sterols (B). Ergosterol was found in ATCC750 and TP-13650 strains (A). *Candida tropicalis* strains with cross-resistance to azole drugs and AmB, ATCC200956 and CL-6835, presented mostly 14-methyl sterols (B). C-14 methylated sterols were composed of 14-methyl fecosterol, 4,14-dimethylcholesta-8,24-dien-3 β -ol, lanosterol and eburicol. ***p <0,0001.



S4_Figure 4. Agarose gel electrophoresis of amplified PCR products of *CtERG11*. (A) Forward and reverse primers (PF3 + PR3, PF4 + PR4) (Supplementary Table 1) were used to amplify a specific region of *CtERG11* sequence where the *ERG11* gene deletion was located. (B) Lane 1: ATCC750, lane 2: ATCC200956, lane 3: CL-6835 and lane 4: TP-13650. Lane M: marker (1 Kb Ladder).



S5_Figure 5. Flow cytometric quantification of Rhodamine 6G (R6G) uptake and efflux in *C. tropicalis*. Yeast cells (10^7) were incubated with R6G ($10\ \mu\text{M}$) in YEPD for 30 min at 30°C , in constant shaking. Fluorescence intensity was quantified after washing with PBS (grey area). Fluorescence intensity was newly quantified (black line) following a further incubation in YEPD. A) ATCC750, B) ATCC200956, C) TP-13650, D) CL-6835.