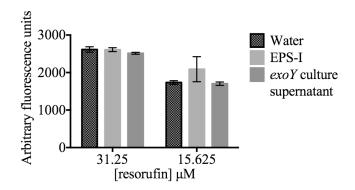


Supplemental Figure S1. Exopolysaccharides decrease H_2O_2 in a concentration dependent way. The amount of H_2O_2 detected by Amplex Red when incubated with 10 μ g EPS-I (open squares); 5 μ g EPS-II (triangles); or 2.5 μ g EPS-I (open inverted triangles). Error bars indicate standard deviation (not visible in all data points due to small error).



Supplemental Figure S2. Exopolysaccharides do not interfere with detection of resorufin fluorescence. The amount of resorufin fluorescence detected when incubated with water, 7 µg EPS-I, or *exoY* culture supernatant. Error bars indicate standard deviation.