

Table S1. Primers used in this study

Primer Name	Primer sequence 5' to 3'	Purpose
csgB_UFP1	gaaatgatttaatttctttaaagtacgaccaggtccagggtgacaacatgGTGTAGGCTGGAGCTGCTTC	Curli <i>csgBAC</i> deletion
csgC_DRP2	gcagaccattctctccagattcatcttatgctc gatatttcaacaaattaATGGGAATTAGCCATGGTCC	Curli <i>csgBAC</i> deletion
csgBAC_F	gatcggtagcagggcaagaagaatgactg	Curli complementation
csgBAC_R	gatcaagcttgaaccattctgtgggcagtt	Curli complementation
Csg_F3	tcggtgtagtcctttcgtea	Verifying Primers for Curli mutant
Csg_R1	attcgcagcagaccattctc	Verifying Primers for Curli mutant
rpoS_UFP1	cttttgcttgaatgttccgtcaagggatcacgggtaggagccaccttatgGTGTAGGCTGGAGCTGCTTC	<i>rpoS</i> deletion
rpoS_DRP2	gaaaaaggccagcctcgcttgagactggcctttctgacagatgcttacttaATGGGAATTAGCCATGGTCC	<i>rpoS</i> deletion
rpoS_F	gatcggtagcccccataacgacacaatgctg	RpoS complementation
rpoS_R	gatcaagcttttgagtgcagaagagcagga	RpoS complementation
rpoS_UF	cccataacgacacaatgctg	Verifying Primers for RpoS mutant (upstream <i>rpoS</i>)
pKD3-c1	ttatacgcaaggcgacaagg	Verifying Primers for RpoS mutant (upstream <i>rpoS</i>)
rpoS_DR	ttgagtgcagaagagcagga	Verifying Primers for RpoS mutant (downstream <i>rpoS</i>)
pKD3-c2	gatcttccgtcacaggtagg	Verifying Primers for RpoS mutant (downstream <i>rpoS</i>)