

Figure S1. The $\triangle seb$ -1 strain is sensitive to pH stress. The sensitivity of the wild-type, $\triangle seb$ -1, and $\triangle seb$ -1 complemented strains to pH was evaluated by cultivating the strains at 30°C for two days at three different pH values: pH 5.8, 4.2, and 7.2. WT: wild-type strain; $\triangle seb$ -1: strain mutated in the ORF NCU02671; $\triangle seb$ -1 seb-1*: $\triangle seb$ -1 complemented strain ($\triangle seb$ -1 his-3::Pccg-1-seb1-sfgfp).