

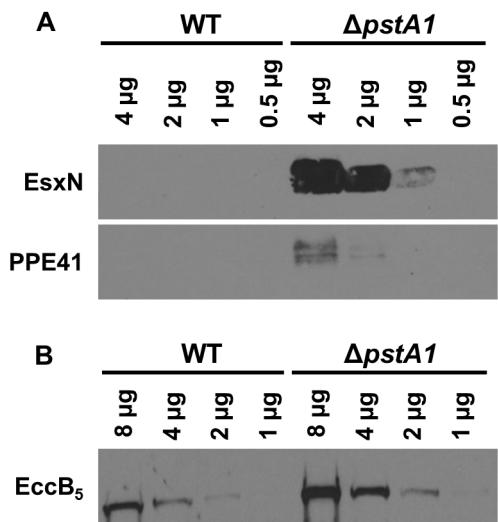
## **Supplementary Information**

### **Phosphate Starvation: a Novel Signal that Triggers ESX-5 Secretion in *Mycobacterium tuberculosis***

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**Figure S1.** Quantification of ESX-5 proteins produced and secreted by the  $\Delta pstA1$  mutant. Proteins were isolated from wild-type *M. tuberculosis* Erdman (WT) or the  $\Delta pstA1$  mutant cultured in Sauton's complete medium without Tween-80 for 5 days. The indicated amounts of culture filtrate (A) or cell lysate (B) were subjected to SDS-PAGE and Western blot analysis. Antibodies used are indicated.

**Supplementary Table 1. Oligonucleotides used for real-time quantitative RT-PCR (qRT-PCR), EMSA probes, and standard RT-PCR.**

Gene or primer	F primer sequence (5'-3')	R primer sequence (5'-3')
<i>sigA</i>	TGCAGTCGGTGCTGGACAC	CGCGCAGGACCTGTGAGCGG
16S rRNA	GAGATACTCGAGTGGCGAAC	GGCCGGCTACCCGTCGTC
<i>esxM</i>	GGCGGGCCGTTTGAG	CGCGGACGCCACAT
<i>esxN</i>	TCAGGCCATCGTTCGTGAT	TGGAAGTTACGGCCCAACTG
<i>espG<sub>5</sub></i>	CGTTGCGCCTGAGTTACGTT	CTCGTTAGCCAGTCATTGGAA
<i>eccD<sub>5</sub></i>	CCAACGCCAGTTCG	AGCCTCACCGAGCTCTGA
<i>mycP<sub>5</sub></i>	CGTGCATGCTGCCAACAT	GTGCACGCTGGTCGATGA
<i>ppe41</i>	GGTCCAGTGGTGATGCAGTT	CACACAGAGGTCGGTCAGC
<i>eccB<sub>5</sub></i>	TGACGCCGGAGCAGGTAA	GGCAAAGCGTCGAACAATG
<i>modD</i>	CGGTTGGAGGATTCAAGCTT	GTGCTGAACCGTAGTCGAAGT
<i>espA</i>	GGCGCCAAGAAAGGTCTC	CCGGGATGTAGGTCAGGTC
<i>esxB</i>	GGCAGAGATGAAGACCGATG	ACCTGGTCGATCTGGGTTT
<i>ppe27-pe19 Ig1</i>	CGCTTTACTGTGGCGTTACC	CCCGTTCGCAAGTGTTCAC
<i>ppe27-pe19 Ig3</i>	CGGGTGGCATCGAAATCA	GCAACGGCTCTCTGCAAGA
<i>ppe27-pe19 Ig4</i>	TCTTGCAGAGAGCCGTTGCT	CGGCTGTGTGGTCACGAA
<i>pe19</i>	GGCGAACTACAGGGTATTGG	GCAACTACTCCGGTGGTTGGA
<i>dnaN</i>	TTTTCTGCGGGTGCCGATGATG	TTCCGAGCGAACGAACTCAAA
<i>esxNR3</i>		TGGAAGTTACGGCCCAACTG
<i>espG5R1</i>		TCATACTCTGCTGTGTGTTCCACT