

Figure S5. Real-time RT-PCR measurement of gene expression. Expression of the *speB*, *arcC* and *emm1* gene transcriptions were measured in total cellular RNA extracts from early log planktonic, late log planktonic, early stationary planktonic, early biofilm (8-h), maturing biofilm (16-h), or late biofilm (10-day) cultures. Transcript levels are represented as the ratio of expression at a given time point versus expression in early log phase. Error bars indicate standard error.