



S4 Fig. Several core microcolony genes are involved in microcolony adhesion or invasion. *Candida albicans* knockouts of eight transcriptional regulators were quantitated for adhesion (90 min incubation) and invasion (4.5 h) on TR146 epithelial monolayers and compared to wild-type CA14 cells. For adhesion and invasion, non-adherent *C. albicans* cells were removed by washing, and adherent cells fixed with 4% formaldehyde. For invasion, epithelial cells were also permeabilized and adherent *Candida* cells were stained with anti-*Candida* antibody and Alexa Fluor 488. Asterisks indicate statistically significant differences compared to WT cells, * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$, *** $p < 0.001$. ND: No data.