



Fig. S4 $\Delta KatG2$ mutants showed increased sensitivity to exogenous H_2O_2 during conidial germination.

(A) Conidial germination percentages of PH-1, $\Delta KatG2$ mutant (M1) and complemented strains (C1) in liquid CM were examined after 4 and 6 h of exposure to 1 mM H_2O_2 . Scale bar=50 μm . More than 200 conidia were scored for each line. Asterisks indicate significant differences (Student's *t*-test, $P<0.05$).