



S13 Figure. Growth kinetics of *K. pneumoniae* T6SS mutants.

Growth kinetics of *K. pneumoniae* 51245 (Kp52145), 52145- $\Delta clpV$ ($\Delta clpV$), 52145- $\Delta vgrG1$ ($\Delta vgrG1$), 52145- $\Delta vgrG2$ ($\Delta vgrG2$), 52145- $\Delta vgrG4$ ($\Delta vgrG4$), 52145- $\Delta vgrG2\Delta vgrG1$ ($\Delta vgrG2\Delta vgrG1$), 52145- $\Delta vgrG1\Delta vgrG4$ ($\Delta vgrG1\Delta vgrG4$), 52145- $\Delta vgrG2\Delta vgrG4$ ($\Delta vgrG2\Delta vgrG4$), 52145- $\Delta vgrG2\Delta vgrG1\Delta vgrG4$ ($\Delta vgrG2\Delta vgrG1\Delta vgrG4$) in LB broth (LB) (A) and 2% glucose M9 minimal media supplemented with thiamine and MgSO₄ (M9-0.2% glucose) (B) over 24 h at 37°C. Values are presented as the mean \pm SD of three independent experiments measured in triplicate.