



Figure S1. TEM micrographs of *E. coli* at 24 h with or without induction by 0.2% L-arabinose. (A) and (B) show *E. coli* TOP10 + pBAD (the vector control) and (C) and (D) *E. coli* TOP10 + pBAD *mcr-1*. (E) to (H) show partially magnified images of figures (A) to (D), respectively. Most cells had an intact membrane and the electron density of cytoplasmic region is homogeneous.