

S1 Table. A table showing the percentages of metacyclic like promastigotes present in the stationary phase cultures of wild type *L. donovani*, R231C RagC mutant and the RagC null mutant.

	Cell density in stationary phase	Metacyclic cells from 2×10^8 stationary cells	The metacyclic promastigotes rate (%)
WT <i>L. donovani</i>	$7.925 \times 10^7/\text{ml}$	1.475×10^6	0.7375
R231C RagC	$6.325 \times 10^7/\text{ml}$	7.4×10^6	3.7
RagC null mutant	$6.425 \times 10^7/\text{ml}$	6.71×10^6	3.355