

Supplemental Figure 3. Efficiency of pore formation by *S. flexneri* strains expressing single cysteine substitutions in IpaB. Quantification of hemoglobin release upon infection of sheep erythrocytes with *S. flexneri*  $\Delta ipaB$ , *S. flexneri*  $\Delta ipaB$  expressing wildtype IpaB (pWT) or a single cysteine substitution derivative. The abundance of hemoglobin release was quantified at A<sub>570</sub> from at least three independent experiments. Means  $\pm$  SEM are plotted. Black dots represent values obtained from individual experiments. \*, p<0.05; ANOVA with Dunnett's *post hoc* test comparing each cysteine substitution mutant to *S. flexneri*  $\Delta ipaB$  producing WT IpaB (pWT); the difference for each other strain is not significant.