

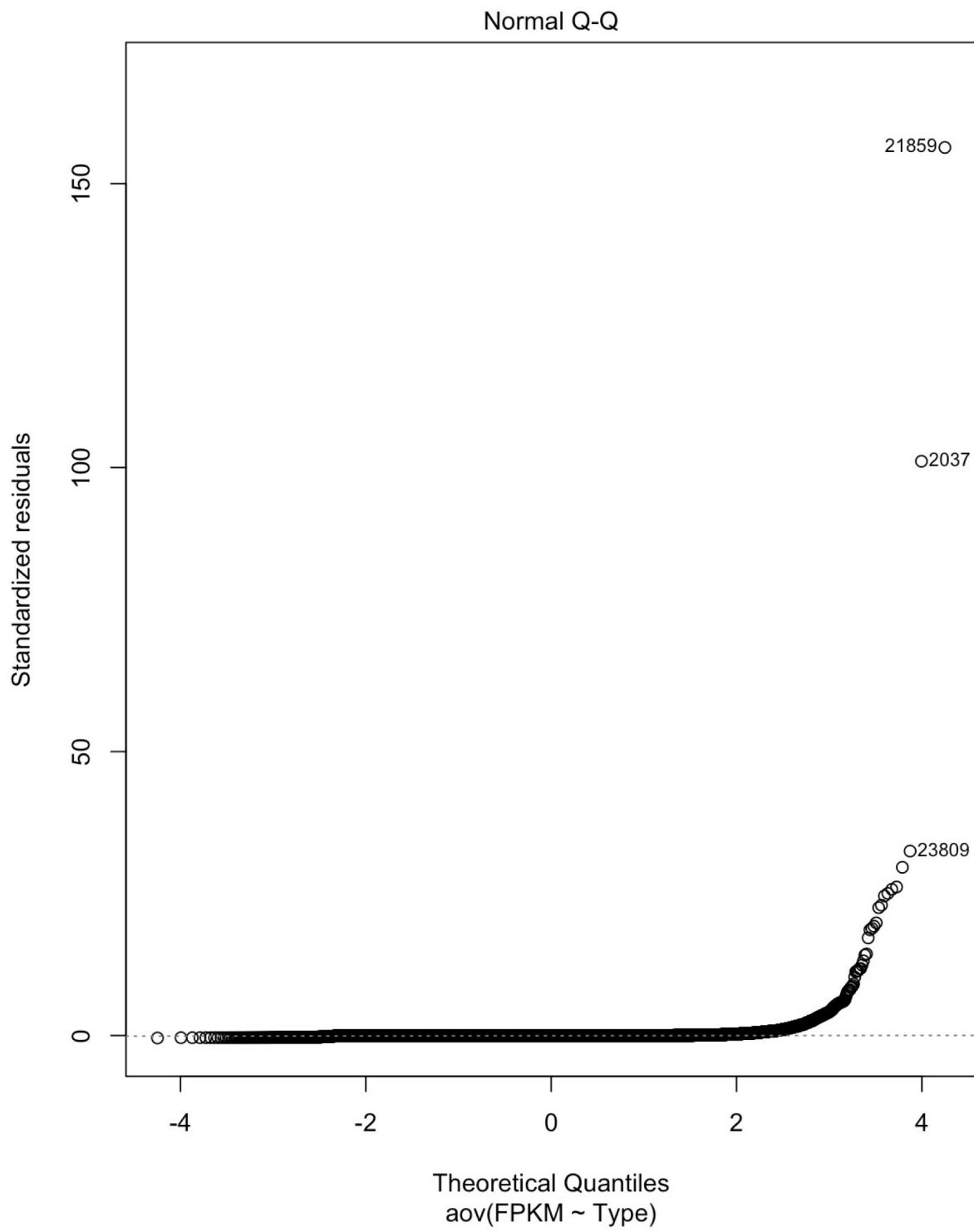
SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 1. STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS OF THE PfRACK1 ALPHAFOOLD PROTEIN MODEL BINDING TO *P. falciparum* 40S RIBOSOME SUBUNIT. All structures displayed are *P. falciparum* proteins/RNA. **(A)** The structure of the *P. falciparum* 80S ribosome (RCSB PDB ID: 3jbo) was structurally aligned with the human 80S ribosome (RCSB PDB ID: 3jag). The model of PfRACK1 was obtain from the AlphaFold protein database and structurally aligned with that of the human 80S bound RACK1. The view shown is that which been previously published arguing for the importance of the regions noted in RACK1 binding to the ribosome. Solid circle: region vital for HsRACK1:Hs80S binding. Dotted circle: Loop region that varies highly species to species, and while not required, may influence binding. **(B)** The same view as above, however ribosomal binding proteins with potential interactions are shown. **(C)** A 180-degree flipped view to show additional RPS16 (uS9) and RACK1 interactions. Note: Region in blue is that when exchanged between human and *P. falciparum* enabled binding of parasite RACK1 to the human 40S ribosome.

RPS3 (uS3) Alignment

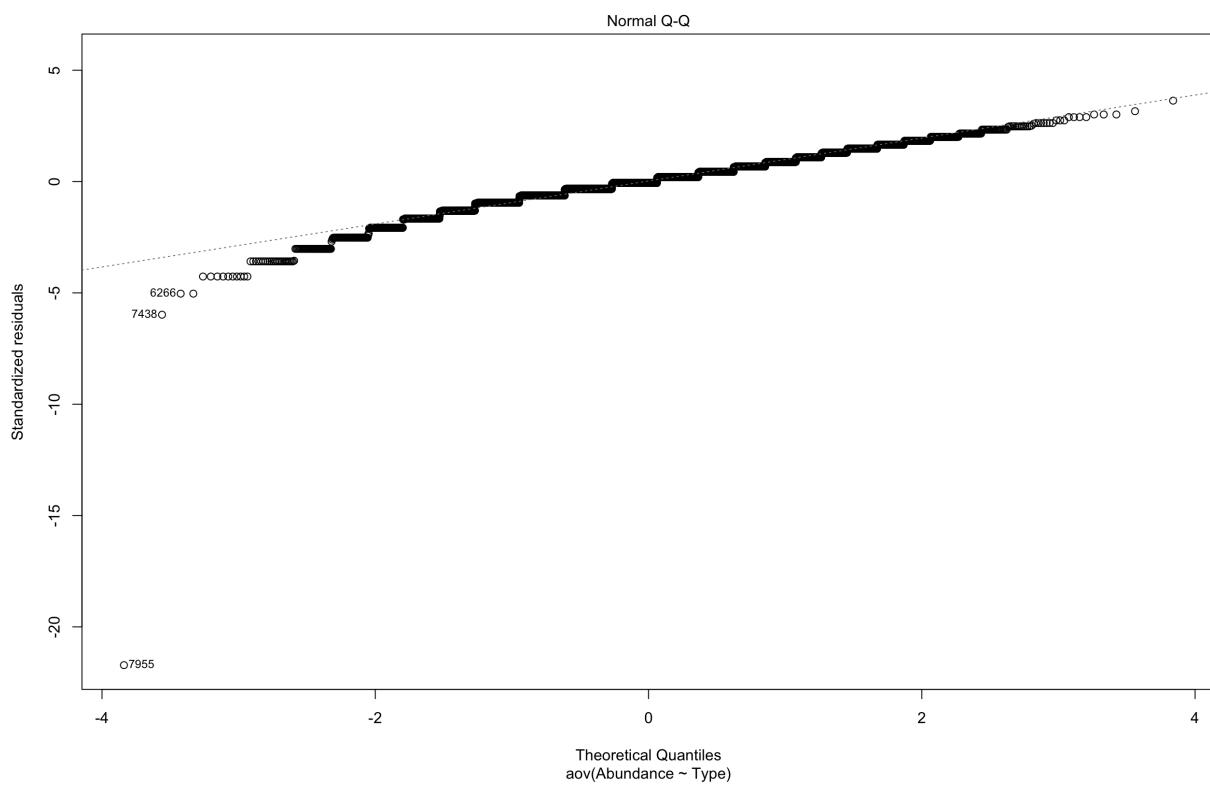
RPS16 (uS9) Alignment

RPS17 (eS17) Alignment

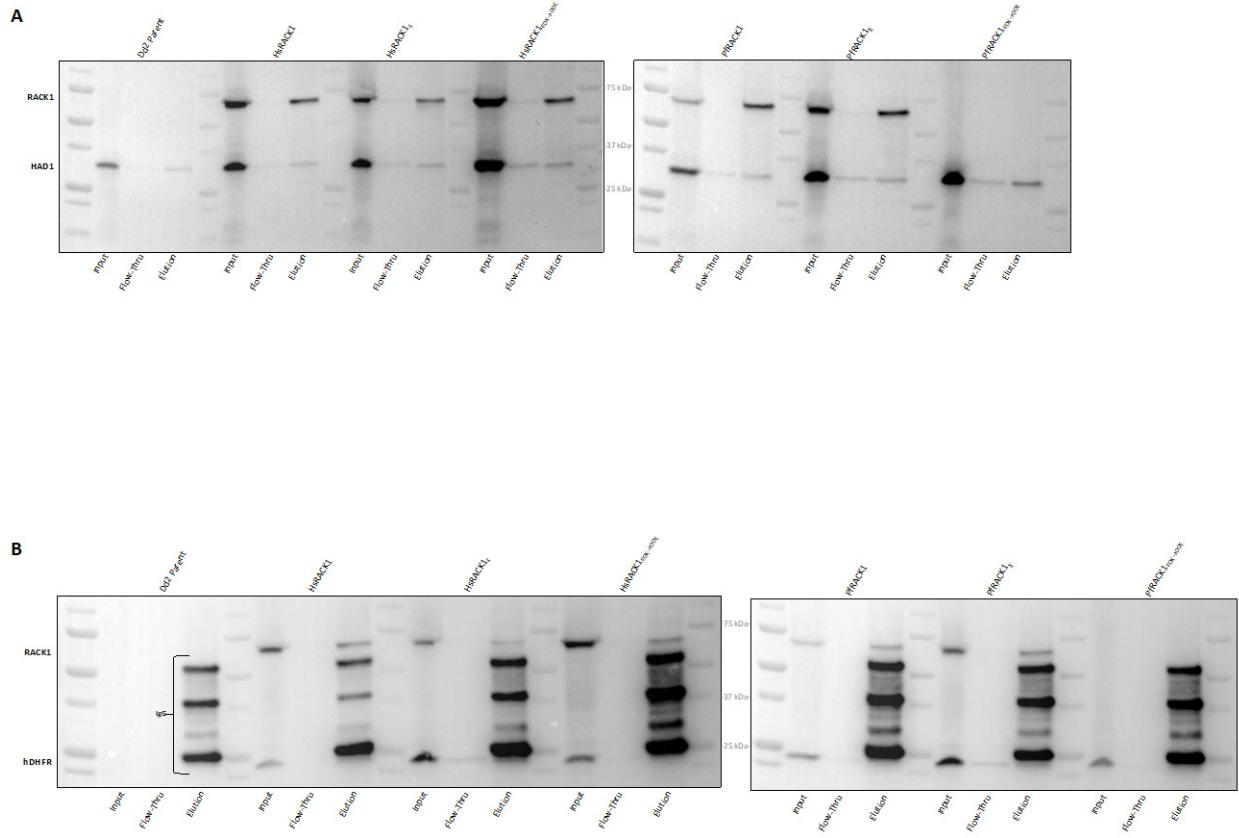
SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 2. MULTIPLE SEQUENCE ALIGNMENT OF *H. SAPIENS* AND *P. FALCIPARUM* RPS3 (uS3), RPS16 (uS9), RPS17 (eS17) PROTEINS. The *H. sapiens* and *P. falciparum* sequences were collected from the UniProt database⁵² and PlasmoDB³¹, respectively, and aligned using the Clustal Ω MSA tool⁵³. Residues in the 3-5 Å range were determined using PyMol.



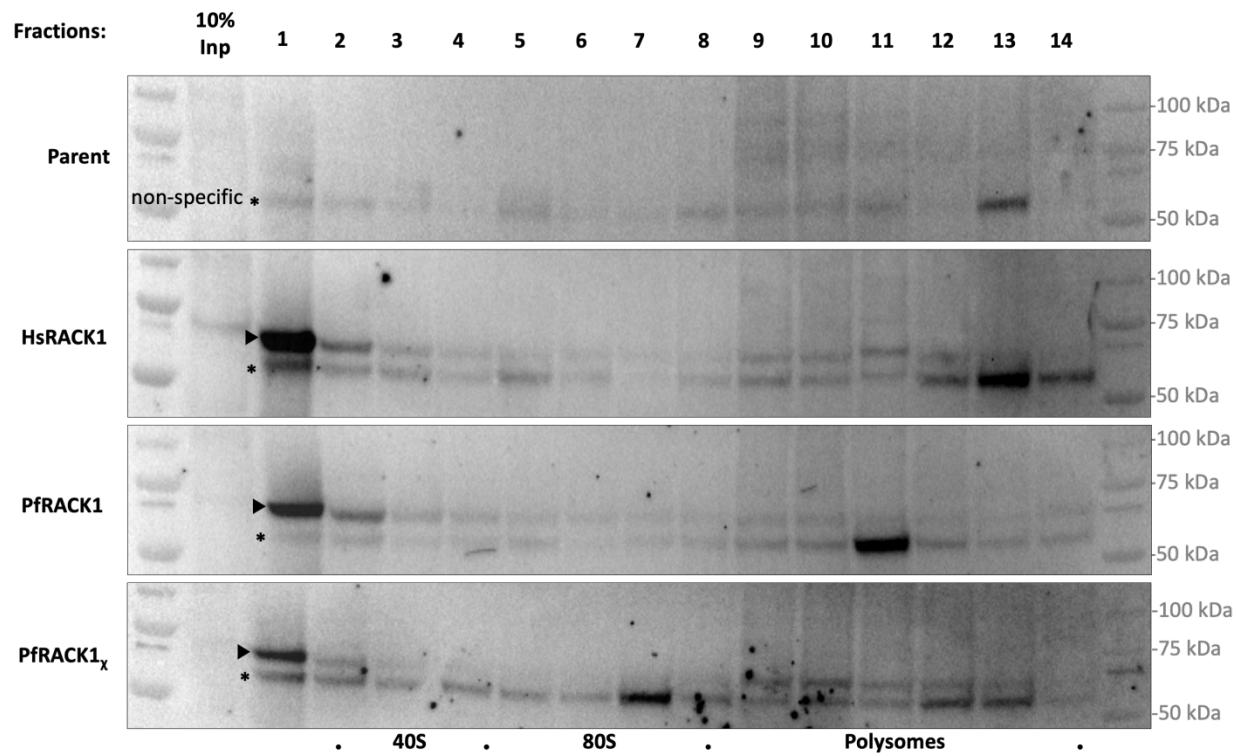
SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 3. PLOT OF RNASEQ DATA NORMALITY.



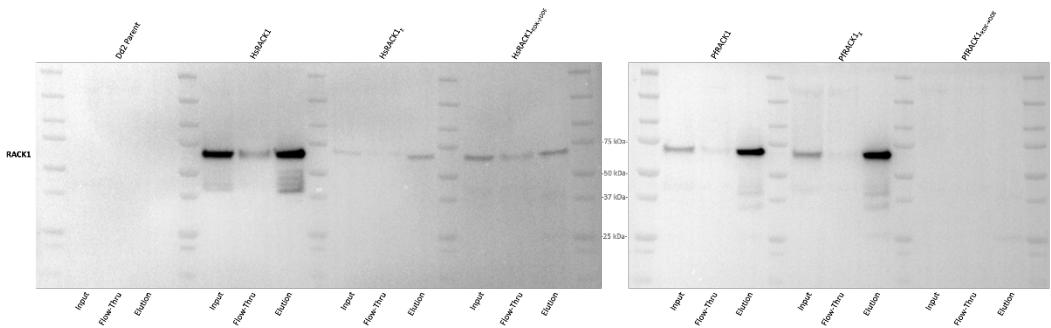
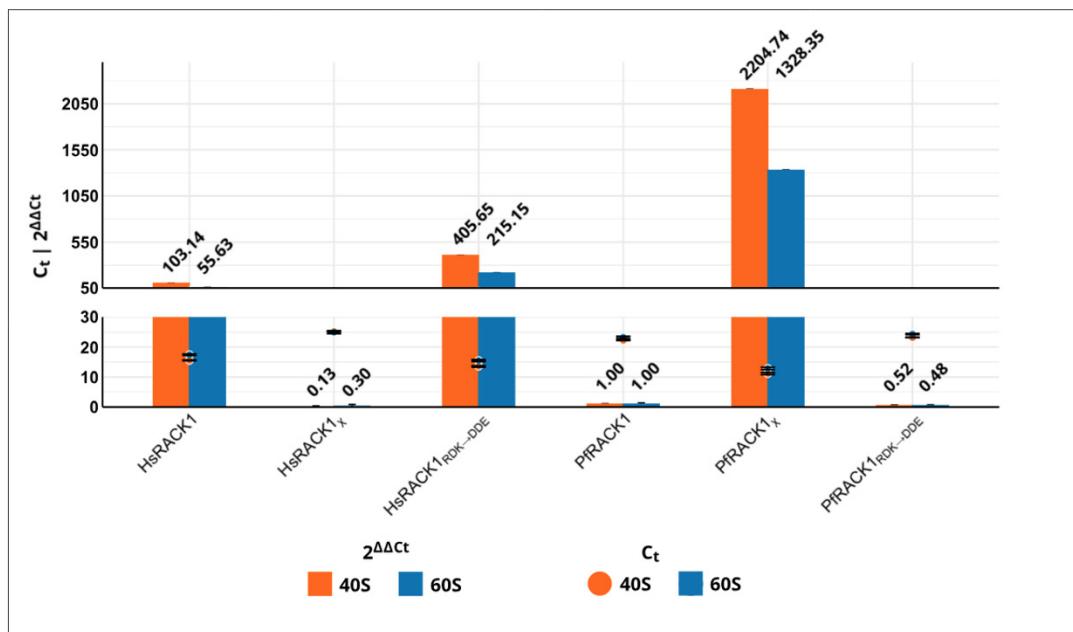
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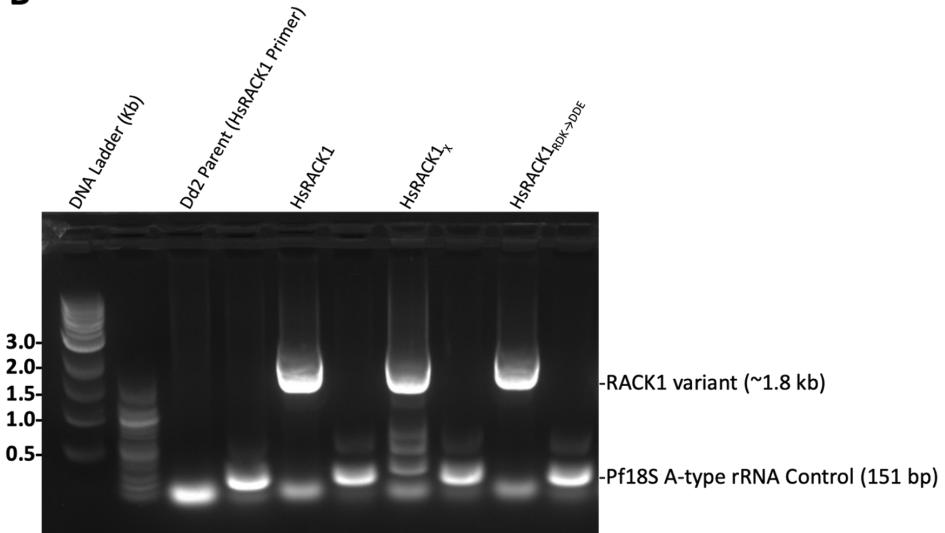
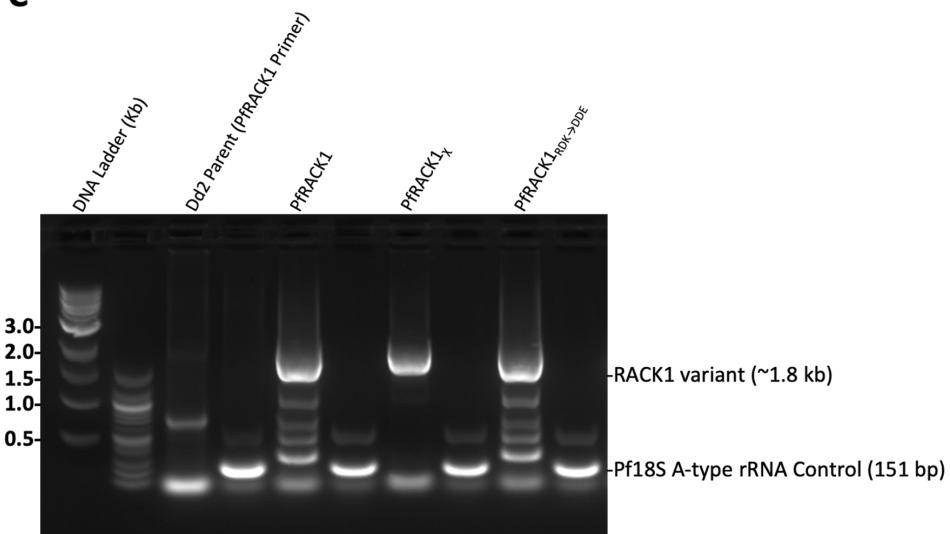
SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE5. HA-IMMUNOPRECIPITATION OF RACK1 VARIANTS EXPRESSED IN *P. FALCI PARUM* Dd2.
(A) Samples were blotted with mouse anti-HA-HRP antibody and rabbit anti-PfHAD1/anti-rabbit-HRP.
(B) Samples were blotted with mouse anti-HA and mouse anti-hDHFR antibodies and subsequently blotted with anti-mouse-HRP antibody demonstrating presence of plasmid resistance containing PfRACK1_{RDK→DDE} mutant.



SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 6. POLYSOME PROFILING OF HsRACK1, PfRACK1, AND PfRACK1_x VARIANTS IN *P. falciparum* Dd2 PARASITES. Polysome profiling fractions generated from *P. falciparum* parasites expressing HsRACK1, PfRACK1, and PfRACK1_x variants were analyzed. Western blot shows RACK1 variant polysome fraction localization. RT-qPCR analysis shows localization of 18S and 28S rRNAs associated with the 40S and 80S subunits, respectively. Asterisk indicates non-specific band found in parent line not correlating to RACK1 variants. Arrowhead indicates RACK1 variant band.

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SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 7. HA-IMMUNOPRECIPITATION OF RACK1 VARIANTS BOUND TO rRNA EXPRESSED IN *P. FALCIPARUM* Dd2. (A) Samples were blotted with mouse anti-HA-HRP antibody to show enrichment of HA-tagged RACK1 variants. (B) RT-qPCR was performed on RNA isolated from HA-immunoprecipitations of parasites expressing the RACK1 variants to examine rRNA binding. Samples were normalized to Dd2 parent line and then to the PfRACK1 wild type variant. The Ct (scatter plot) is displayed for each variant and the $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ (bar graph) was calculated and plotted for each RACK1 variant.

A**B****C****Supplemental Figure 8. Genotyping PCR of RACK1 variants expressed in *P. falciparum* Dd2.**

Total DNA was isolated from *P. falciparum* Dd2 parent line and lines expressing RACK1 variants. Genotyping PCRs generating a product schematized in (A) were performed on *P. falciparum* Dd2 parent and (B) HsRACK1 lines and (C) PfRACK1 lines. Note: PfRACK1 variants are cDNAs recoded for expression in mammalian cells whose sequences differ from the endogenous wild-type. Lanes following RACK1 variant PCR product (~1.8 Kb) is a PCR using 18S rRNA qPCR primers as a control (151 bp).

List of RACK1 sequences used in this manuscript. All sequences are cDNA version without introns.

>recoded P. falciparum RACK1

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