

Table S1: The sequences of primers used in assessment of virulence genes expression.

<i>Gene</i>	primers	Nucleotide sequence	Amplicon size [bp]
<i>algD</i>	forward	ATGCGAATCAGCATCTTTGGT	1310
	reverse	CTACCAGCAGATGCCCTCGGC	
<i>lasB</i>	forward	GGAATGAACGAAGCGTTCTC	300
	reverse	GGTCCAGTAGTAGCGGTTGG	
<i>toxA</i>	forward	GGTAACCAGCTCAGCCACAT	352
	reverse	TGATGTCCAGGTCATGCTTC	
<i>plcH</i>	forward	GGAAGCCATGGGCTACTTCAA	307
	reverse	AGAGTGACGAGGAGCGGTAG	
<i>plcN</i>	forward	GTTATCGCAACCAGCCCTAC	466
	reverse	AGGTCGAACACCTGGAACAC	
<i>exoS</i>	forward	CTTGAAGGGACTCGACAAGG	504
	reverse	TTCAGGTCCGCGTAGTGAAT	
<i>nan1</i>	forward	AGGATGAATACTTATTTTGAT	1316
	reverse	TCACTAAATCCATCTCTGACCCGATA	