

Genome-Wide Identification by Transposon Insertion Sequencing of *Escherichia coli* K1 Genes Essential for *in vitro* Growth, Gastrointestinal Colonizing Capacity and Survival in Serum

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Table S1. Tab 1: Genes identified by TraDIS as essential for growth of *E. coli* A192PP in Luria-Bertani (LB) broth. Systematic ID, gene identifier in annotated A192PP genome (1); strand, strand location of coding DNA sequence (CDS); gene, predicted gene annotation; size, size of CDS (bp); function, predicted function; pvalue_essential, value of essentiality determined from gamma distribution; K12, essential for growth of *E. coli* K12 MG1655 (2); EC958, essential for growth of *E. coli* ST131 urinary isolate (3); KEGG_no, KEGG orthology number; KEGG_description, KEGG predicted function; ko_no, KEGG pathway number; ko_description, KEGG pathway description; EC_no, Enzyme Commission number (EC number) for enzyme classification. Tab 2: KEGG pathways enriched for, or depleted of, *E. coli* A192PP essential genes. KEGG pathway, KEGG pathway description; whole, total number of CDS in the *E. coli* A192PP genome for each category; Whole%, percentage of CDS for each category in the *E. coli* A192PP genome; Essential, number of CDS defined as essential by TraDIS; Essential%, percentage of CDS for each category; Dif%, Essential% minus whole%; %genome, ratio Essential:Whole (D:B) X 100.

Table S2. *E. coli* K1 A192PP genes required for GI colonization. GeneID, A192PP genome systematic gene number; Norm_in, normalised read depth in input pool; Norm_MSI, normalised read depth in from TraDIS library recovered from the middle section of the small intestine (MSI) 4 h after initiation of colonization; log₂FoldChange, log₂ (Norm_out/Norm_in); * indicates number approaching negative infinity due to division of zero reads in output pool; pval, p-value; Gene, predicted gene name; Function, manually curated gene function; PROKKA function, automated functional annotation using an *E. coli* custom library.

Table S3. *E. coli* K1 A192PP genes required for survival in human serum. GeneID, A192PP genome systematic gene number; Function, manually curated gene function; PROKKA function, automated functional annotation using an *E. coli* custom library. Log₂-fold change value and a *p* value for each mutant of each gene are provided.

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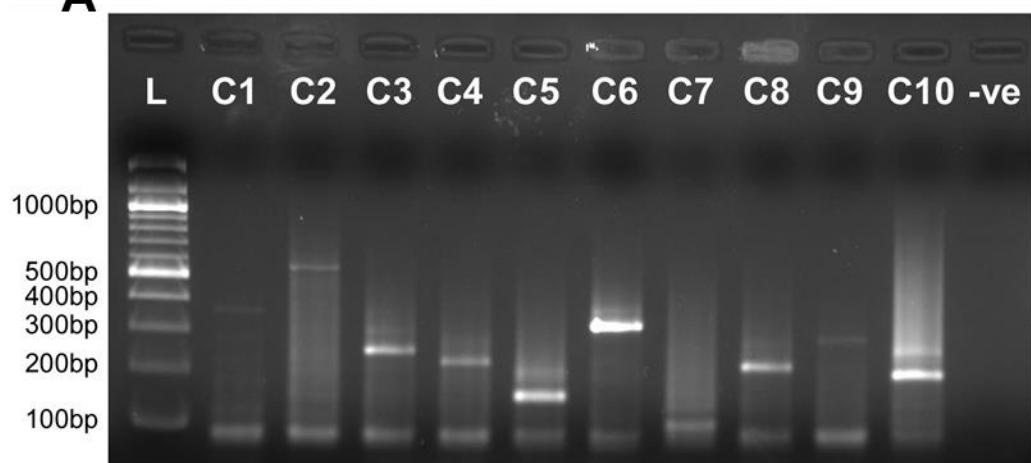
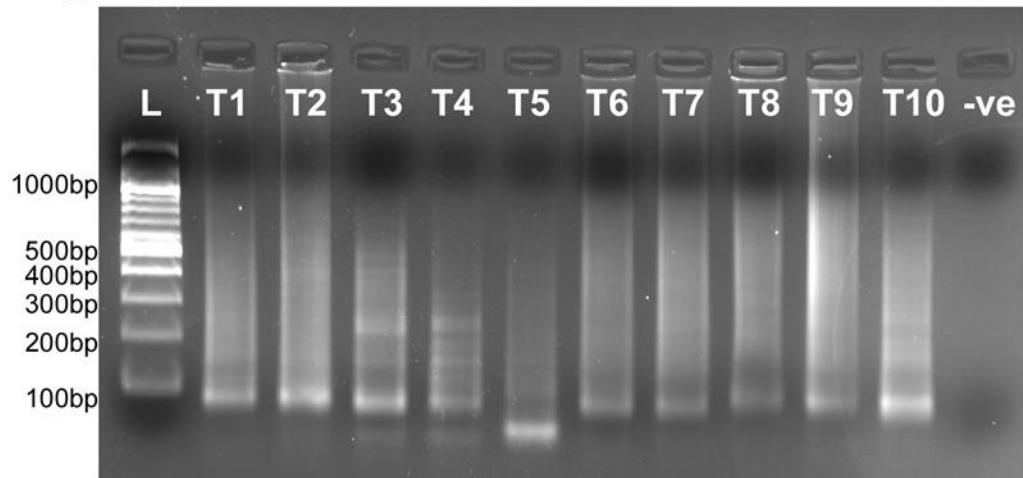
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FIG S1. Linker PCR was employed to assess Tn5 insertion site diversity in: (A) ten individual adjacent colonies grown on antibiotic-supplemented Luria-Bertani agar and (B) ten individual pools of 2000-5000 colonies each.

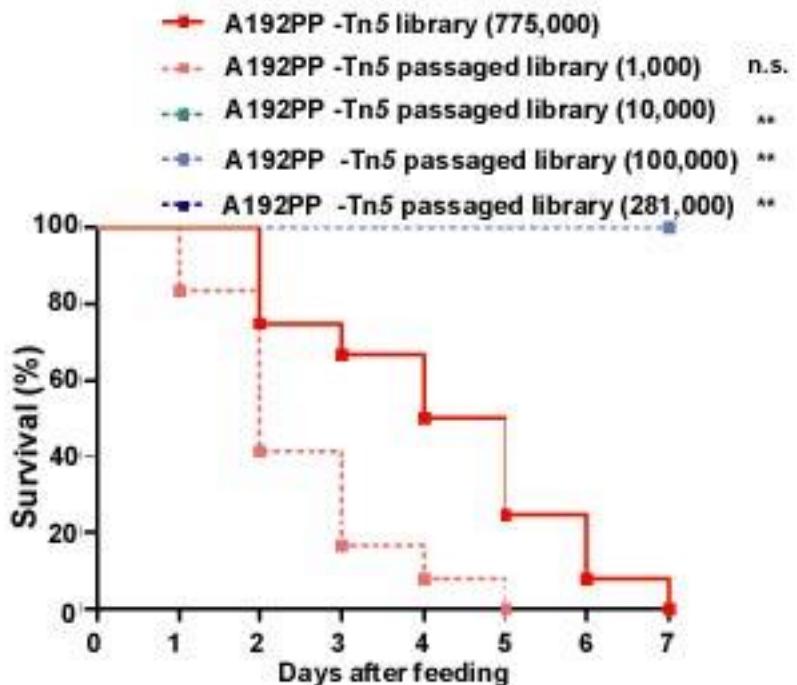


FIG S2. High-complexity cultured *E. coli* A192PP-Tn5 libraries are avirulent in neonatal rats. Survival of P2 rats colonized with *E. coli* A192PP-Tn5 libraries of differing complexities (1,000, 10,000, 100,000 or 281,000 mutants). Libraries were cultures in LB broth (8 h; 37°C) prior to initiation of colonization. Pups ($n = 12$ for each group) received $2\text{-}4 \times 10^6$ CFU by the oral route. Log-rank [Mantel-Cox] was used to compare rat survival following administration of cultured libraries with the uncultured complete library of 775,000 mutants: ns, non-significant, * $P < 0.05$, ** $P < 0.01$.

Table S4: Oligonucleotides for construction of targeted mutants

Gene	Primer	Sequence (5' to 3')
<i>lacZ</i>	<i>lacZ</i> -P1	tggattccatcgaaatacggcagacatggctgcccgttattatgttaggctggagcttc
	<i>lacZ</i> -P2	tatgttgtgaaattgtgagcgaataacaattcacacaggatacagctcatatgaatatcctcttag
<i>neuC</i>	<i>neuC</i> -P1	ctagactgaatatgaaatagtccgagactttgacaatgctaagagaagtgttaggctggagcttc
	<i>neuC</i> -P2	tgagaatcataacgaaaacaaaggactttttctagtccataaccatataaatcctcttag
<i>rfaH</i>	<i>rfaH</i> -P1	cgttaagctttctatcctgcggccgattaaacggataagacttgcattgttaggctggagcttc
	<i>rfaH</i> -P2	ctggctgcaccacggatgcaatgtcaaaacactttggattgcgttcatatgaatatcctcttag
<i>traL</i>	<i>traL</i> -P1	gtgaaatccttcaattacaacccctgttattttccggcttcgcataaagtgttaggctggagcttc
	<i>traL</i> -P2	cttatgataaataaaagtgtcaaaattacaattacacggacataaaaacatataaatcctcttag
<i>vasL</i>	<i>vasL</i> -P1	tctgcgtcatctcaaacacggcaggagccgtactgtggcaagtaacgcgtgttaggctggagcttc
	<i>vasL</i> -P2	aggtcacatatccattttgtacataatccccgtatgttactgtactatgaatatcctcttag
<i>waaW</i>	<i>waaW</i> -P1	atagtactcatcctaattattatgttaactcagacatccatgattttagttaggctggagcttc
	<i>waaW</i> -P2	taaaaaattaaaaggcaagcgtaaaccacacgtcaaaacggaaaccatataaatcctcttag
<i>yaeQ</i>	<i>yaeQ</i> -P1	cgtattccgttacaatggcctctgttgcggaaaggatgttgcgtgttaggctggagcttc
	<i>yaeQ</i> -P2	actcgccatcagggtatgcacatgtcgaaatcataatcatgaaggttcatatgaatatcctcttag
<i>yjiG</i>	<i>yjiG</i> -P1	gccgatgaaatttcatcgcaacttggcccttttagaaatggattttgttaggctggagcttc
	<i>yjiG</i> -P2	acaatcattcctgtgttgcattatattcatctgtacatataaatcctcttag
0678	0678-P1	tagaaagtaaaattatcgacatttatgcacacatgtcattaccgtgttaggctggagcttc
	0678-P2	aaggcggttatgcacacaacgcctactgttcatctttccatataaatcctcttag
3010	3010-P1	tcgcgaagaataatgtactggcaaaggatgttgcgttataatgttaggctggagcttc
	3010-P2	tatctataaacaacccatccgttgcattttgtcatatgttagccatataatcctcttag

Table S5: Oligonucleotides for confirmation of targeted mutants

Gene	Primer	Sequence (5' to 3')	Fragment size	
			wildtype	Δ
<i>lacZ</i>	<i>lacZ</i> -ampF	ATGCCGTAATAATCCACAGC	3917	1600
	<i>lacZ</i> -ampR	TGCCATGTCCGGTTTCAA		
<i>neuC</i>	<i>neuC</i> - ampF	GACAATGCCAGGAAAACAAG	1510	1600
	<i>neuC</i> - ampR	AAACGAAATAGCGGAGATTGT		
<i>rfaH</i>	<i>rfaH</i> - ampF	ACCACGGATGCCATGTCA	664	1600
	<i>rfaH</i> - ampR	GTTCATCTTGCGATGCTGT		
<i>traL</i>	<i>traL</i> - ampF	ACACGATTCTATTGGCCCTT	873	1600
	<i>traL</i> - ampR	GTATTTTCGGCTTCGCAT		
<i>vasL</i>	<i>vasL</i> - ampF	TCTGCCGGATCTCAGTCTGAT	1854	1600
	<i>vasL</i> - ampR	GGGCCACAGTCAAGAGGTTAA		
<i>waaW</i>	<i>waaW</i> - ampF	GGGTAATCATTGCTCATCGTG	1308	1600
	<i>waaW</i> - ampR	GGTAAAAGCTGTACGGCAGA		
<i>yaeQ</i>	<i>yaeQ</i> - ampF	AACTCTTTCGCAAGGTGA	771	1600
	<i>yaeQ</i> - ampR	AAAACGCGAGATGAATAGCCG		
0678	0678- ampF	TGTCAGGGAGTGAAGAGACAA	705	1600
	0678- ampR	AAGTGCCTCGTTACCGTCAT		
3010	3010- ampF	TTCTGTTCTAGATGCAAGGGC	318	1600
	3010- ampR	ATGATGAACTGGCAAAGGA		
<i>wzzE</i>	<i>wzzE</i> -ampF	AAACGCAACTCGTAGAAA	1195	1600
	<i>wzzE</i> -ampR	GGCGCGTACCAATACAGTCA		

Table S6: Oligonucleotides for construction of complemented mutants

Gene	Primer	Sequence (5' to 3')
<i>neuC</i>	<i>neuC</i> -sall-F	CTAGTCGTCGACGACAATGCCAGGAAAACAAG
	<i>neuC</i> -sphI-R	GACTAGGCATGCAAACGAAATAGCGGAGATTGT
<i>rfaH</i>	<i>rfaH</i> -sall-F	CTAGTCGTCGACACCACGGATGCCAATGTCA
	<i>rfaH</i> -sphI-R	GACTAGGCATGCGTTCATCTTGCATGCTGT
<i>traL</i>	<i>traL</i> -sphI-F	GACTAGGCATGCACACGATTCTATTGGCCCTT
	<i>traL</i> -sall-R	CTAGTCGTCGACGTATTTCCGGCTTCGCAT
<i>waaW</i>	<i>waaW</i> -sall-F	CTAGTCGTCGACGGGTAAATCATTGCTCATCGTG
	<i>waaW</i> -sphI-R	GACTAGGCATGCGTAAAAGCTGTACGGCAGA