

**Supplementary Table S1.** Differentially expressed genes of the *hemK* mutant  
(q-values < 0.05 and a minimum absolute  $|\log_2(\text{Fold\_change})| > 1$ )

| Locus tag  | Gene name | Gene description                            | Log <sub>2</sub> Fold change |
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| Novel00007 | -         | -   | -1.40                        |
| Novel00013 | -         | -   | -1.24                        |
| Novel00014 | -         | -   | -1.32                        |
| Novel00094 | -         | -   | -4.64                        |
| Novel00102 | -         | -   | -2.60                        |
| Novel00110 | -         | -   | -1.48                        |
| Novel00116 | -         | -   | -1.72                        |
| XAC0076    | avrBs2    | avirulence protein                          | -1.44                        |
| XAC0108    | atsE      | AtsE  | -1.20                        |
| XAC0162    | dctP      | C4-dicarboxylate transport system           | -1.79                        |
| XAC0163    | dctQ      | C4-dicarboxylate membrane transport protein | -1.20                        |
| XAC0172    | XAC0172   | conserved hypothetical protein              | -1.01                        |
| XAC0239    | XAC0239   | conserved hypothetical protein              | -1.06                        |
| XAC0277    | XAC0277   | conserved hypothetical protein              | -1.58                        |
| XAC0286    | avrXacE1  | avirulence protein                          | -2.11                        |
| XAC0315    | XAC0315   | hypothetical protein                        | -1.52                        |
| XAC0330    | cmfA      | conditioned medium factor                   | -1.22                        |
| XAC0345    | ilvD      | dihydroxy-acid dehydratase                  | -1.80                        |
| XAC0346    | XAC0346   | degenerated cellulase                       | -1.05                        |
| XAC0362    | pobB      | phenoxybenzoate dioxygenase beta subunit    | -1.03                        |
| XAC0393    | hpaF      | HpaF protein                                | -1.29                        |
| XAC0394    | hrpF      | HrpF protein                                | -2.46                        |
| XAC0395    | XAC0395   | hypothetical protein                        | -2.02                        |
| XAC0396    | hpaB      | HpaB protein                                | -2.97                        |
| XAC0397    | hrpE      | HrpE protein                                | -3.44                        |
| XAC0398    | hrpD6     | HrpD6 protein                               | -2.84                        |
| XAC0399    | hrpD5     | HrpD5 protein                               | -2.72                        |
| XAC0400    | hpaA      | HpaA protein                                | -3.10                        |
| XAC0401    | hrcS      | HrcS protein                                | -3.72                        |
| XAC0402    | hrcR      | HrcR protein                                | -3.10                        |
| XAC0403    | hrcQ      | HrcQ protein                                | -3.39                        |
| XAC0404    | hpaP      | HpaP protein                                | -2.78                        |
| XAC0405    | hrcV      | HrcV protein                                | -2.70                        |
| XAC0406    | hrcU      | HrcU protein                                | -3.15                        |
| XAC0407    | hrpB1     | HrpB1 protein                               | -3.98                        |
| XAC0408    | hrpB2     | HrpB2 protein                               | -4.39                        |
| XAC0409    | hrcJ      | HrcJ protein                                | -3.80                        |
| XAC0410    | hrpB4     | HrpB4 protein                               | -2.82                        |
| XAC0411    | hrpB5     | HrpB5 protein                               | -2.76                        |

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| XAC0412   | hrcN      | HrcN protein   | -2.32                           |
| XAC0413   | hrpB7     | HrpB7 protein  | -2.20                           |
| XAC0414   | hrcT      | HrcT protein   | -1.65                           |
| XAC0415   | hrcC      | HrcC protein   | -1.38                           |
| XAC0416   | hpa1      | Hpa1 protein   | -4.65                           |
| XAC0417   | hpa2      | Hpa2 protein   | -2.55                           |
| XAC0419   | XAC0419   | conserved hypothetical protein && -                          | -1.44                           |
| XAC0435   | virK      | VirK protein   | -2.47                           |
| XAC0465   | XAC0465   | metalloproteinase  | -1.01                           |
| XAC0501   | XAC0501   | conserved hypothetical protein                               | -1.83                           |
| XAC0543   | XAC0543   | conserved hypothetical protein                               | -2.47                           |
| XAC0545   | aroG      | phospho-2-dehydro-3-deoxyheptonate aldolase%2C phe-sensitive | -1.15                           |
| XAC0552   | XAC0552   | endoproteinase Arg-C   | -2.17                           |
| XAC0605   | XAC0605   | conserved hypothetical protein                               | -1.35                           |
| XAC0606   | XAC0606   | endonuclease   | -1.24                           |
| XAC0612   | engXCA    | cellulase  | -1.32                           |
| XAC0661   | peh-1     | endopolygalacturonase  | -2.42                           |
| XAC0678   | XAC0678   | conserved hypothetical protein                               | -1.13                           |
| XAC0682   | XAC0682   | conserved hypothetical protein                               | -1.28                           |
| XAC0754   | XAC0754   | hypothetical protein   | -2.29                           |
| XAC0795   | xcp       | protease   | -2.19                           |
| XAC0802   | XAC0802   | sulfotransferase   | -1.54                           |
| XAC0803   | XAC0803   | methyltransferase  | -1.28                           |
| XAC0817   | XAC0817   | hypothetical protein   | -1.81                           |
| XAC0878   | pcaH      | protocatechuate 3%2C4-dioxygenase beta chain                 | -1.89                           |
| XAC0879   | ligA      | protocatechuate degradation protein                          | -2.27                           |
| XAC0880   | pcaQ      | transcriptional regulator                                    | -1.72                           |
| XAC0933   | XAC0933   | truncated xylanase   | -1.02                           |
| XAC0999   | cirA      | colicin I receptor   | -1.07                           |
| XAC1059   | ard       | antirestriction protein                                      | -1.61                           |
| XAC1171   | stkXac1   | serine/threonine kinase                                      | -1.62                           |
| XAC1137   | prpB      | carboxyphosphonoenolpyruvate phosphonomutase                 | -1.11                           |
| XAC1172   | XAC1172   | conserved hypothetical protein                               | -1.55                           |
| XAC1187   | XAC1187   | hydroxylase large subunit                                    | -1.31                           |
| XAC1241   | XAC1241   | hypothetical protein   | -1.91                           |
| XAC1266   | hrpXct    | HrpX protein   | -1.24                           |
| XAC1430   | dapD      | 2%2C3%2C4%2C5-tetrahydropyridine-2-carboxylate N-succin      | -1.10                           |
| XAC1431   | XAC1431   | conserved hypothetical protein                               | -1.02                           |

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| XAC1432   | dapE      | succinyl-diaminopimelate desuccinylase  | -1.07                           |
| XAC1471   | XAC1471   | conserved hypothetical protein  | -1.06                           |
| XAC1556   | fucP      | glucose-galactose transporter   | -1.26                           |
| XAC1557   | scrK      | fructokinase  | -1.17                           |
| XAC1666   | tsr       | chemotaxis protein  | -1.07                           |
| XAC1820   | metL      | aspartokinase   | -3.35                           |
| XAC1821   | thrB      | homoserine kinase   | -3.39                           |
| XAC1823   | thrC      | threonine synthase  | -3.60                           |
| XAC1827   | XAC1827   | conserved hypothetical protein  | -3.16                           |
| XAC1828   | hisG      | ATP phosphoribosyltransferase   | -2.43                           |
| XAC1829   | hisD      | histidinol dehydrogenase  | -2.29                           |
| XAC1830   | hisC      | histidinol-phosphate aminotransferase   | -2.36                           |
| XAC1831   | hisB      | imidazoleglycerolphosphate<br>dehydratase/histidinol-phosphate<br>bifunctional enzyme | -2.46                           |
| XAC1832   | hisH      | amidotransferase  | -1.90                           |
| XAC1833   | hisA      | phosphoribosylformimino-5-<br>carboxam  | aminoimidazole -2.21            |
| XAC1834   | hisF      | cyclase   | -2.26                           |
| XAC1835   | hisI      | phosphoribosyl-AMPcyclohydrolase/<br>pyrophosphatase bifunctional enzyme              | -2.40                           |
| XAC1892   | tsr       | chemotaxis protein  | -1.11                           |
| XAC1893   | tsr       | chemotaxis protein  | -1.91                           |
| XAC1894   | tsr       | chemotaxis protein  | -1.37                           |
| XAC1895   | tsr       | chemotaxis protein  | -2.44                           |
| XAC1922   | XAC1922   | hypothetical protein  | -1.07                           |
| XAC2151   | yapH      | YapH protein  | -1.76                           |
| XAC2370   | XAC2370   | conserved hypothetical protein  | -1.24                           |
| XAC2653   | S         | phage-related tail protein  | -2.57                           |
| XAC2654   | XAC2654   | conserved hypothetical protein  | -3.00                           |
| XAC2786   | XAC2786   | conserved hypothetical protein  | -2.36                           |
| XAC2787   | XAC2787   | hypothetical protein  | -1.37                           |
| XAC2830   | fhuA      | TonB-dependent receptor   | -1.30                           |
| XAC2831   | XAC2831   | extracellular serine protease   | -2.72                           |
| XAC2832   | XAC2832   | conserved hypothetical protein  | -2.24                           |
| XAC2833   | XAC2833   | extracellular serine protease   | -1.12                           |
| XAC2853   | XAC2853   | cysteine protease   | -4.49                           |
| XAC2922   | hrpW      | HrpW protein  | -2.74                           |
| XAC2976   | XAC2976   | conserved hypothetical protein  | -1.06                           |
| XAC2990   | XAC2990   | hypothetical protein  | -1.00                           |

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| XAC2992   | XAC2992   | endoproteinase Arg-C                            | -1.55                           |
| XAC3014   | rebB      | RebB protein                                    | -1.70                           |
| XAC3015   | rebB      | RebB protein                                    | -2.13                           |
| XAC3016   | rebA      | RebA protein                                    | -1.93                           |
| XAC3017   | rebB      | RebB protein                                    | -2.87                           |
| XAC3018   | XAC3018   | hypothetical protein                            | -1.13                           |
| XAC3019   | XAC3019   | hypothetical protein                            | -1.03                           |
| XAC3021   | XAC3021   | hypothetical protein                            | -1.97                           |
| XAC3022   | XAC3022   | hypothetical protein                            | -1.20                           |
| XAC3085   | XAC3085   | conserved hypothetical protein                  | -1.12                           |
| XAC3087   | rebB      | rebB protein                                    | -1.81                           |
| XAC3088   | XAC3088   | hypothetical protein                            | -1.28                           |
| XAC3090   | XAC3090   | leucin rich protein                             | -1.88                           |
| XAC3114   | pqqG      | pyrroloquinoline quinone biosynthesis protein G | -1.07                           |
| XAC3191   | btuR      | cob(I)alamin adenolsyltransferase               | -1.37                           |
| XAC3230   | XAC3230   | hypothetical protein                            | -1.53                           |
| XAC3447   | thiC      | thiamine biosynthesis protein                   | -1.93                           |
| XAC3451   | ilvC      | ketol-acid reductoisomerase                     | -2.66                           |
| XAC3452   | ilvG      | acetolactate synthase isozyme II large subunit  | -2.22                           |
| XAC3453   | ilvM      | acetolactate synthase isozyme II small subunit  | -2.53                           |
| XAC3454   | tdcB      | threonine dehydratase catabolic                 | -2.14                           |
| XAC3455   | leuA      | 2-isopropylmalate synthase                      | -1.30                           |
| XAC3488   | suc1      | sugar transporter                               | -1.41                           |
| XAC3489   | fyuA      | TonB-dependent receptor                         | -2.32                           |
| XAC3490   | XAC3490   | amylosucrase or alpha amylase                   | -1.90                           |
| XAC3545   | XAC3545   | protease  | -2.18                           |
| XAC3546   | xadA      | outer membrane protein                          | -1.66                           |
| XAC3604   | XAC3604   | conserved hypothetical protein                  | -1.45                           |
| XAC3646   | XAC3646   | hypothetical protein                            | -1.25                           |
| XAC3647   | pheA      | chorismate mutase                               | -1.79                           |
| XAC3664   | ompW      | outer membrane protein                          | -1.74                           |
| XAC3666   | XAC3666   | hypothetical protein                            | -1.25                           |
| XAC3684   | XAC3684   | conserved hypothetical protein                  | -1.23                           |
| XAC3685   | XAC3685   | conserved hypothetical protein                  | -1.40                           |
| XAC3703   | XAC3703   | conserved hypothetical protein                  | -1.24                           |
| XAC3769   | nucA      | endonuclease precursor                          | -1.50                           |
| XAC3844   | XAC3844   | conserved hypothetical protein                  | -1.00                           |
| XAC3845   | XAC3845   | conserved hypothetical protein                  | -1.13                           |
| XAC3866   | XAC3866   | conserved hypothetical protein                  | -1.61                           |
| XAC3878   | XAC3878   | disulphide-isomerase                            | -1.50                           |

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| XAC3921    | ugt       | glucosyltransferase  | -1.21                           |
| XAC3922    | entF      | ATP-dependent serine activating enzyme   | -1.18                           |
| XAC3963    | XAC3963   | tRNA-Ala   | -2.24                           |
| XAC3964    | XAC3964   | conserved hypothetical protein   | -2.89                           |
| XAC3965    | XAC3965   | conserved hypothetical protein   | -1.67                           |
| XAC3966    | XAC3966   | conserved hypothetical protein   | -1.12                           |
| XAC4007    | XAC4007   | conserved hypothetical protein   | -1.03                           |
| XAC4048    | iroN      | TonB-dependent receptor  | -1.60                           |
| XAC4063    | XAC4063   | hypothetical protein   | -1.07                           |
| XAC4078    | mgtE      | Mg <sup>++</sup> transporter   | -1.72                           |
| XAC4169    | mltA      | transglycosylase associated protein  | -1.05                           |
| XAC4327    | uahA      | urea amidolyase  | -1.83                           |
| XAC4333    | XAC4333   | conserved hypothetical protein   | -1.22                           |
| XAC2859    | XAC2859   | hypothetical protein   | 4.82                            |
| XAC2363    | XAC2363   | hypothetical protein   | 4.05                            |
| Novel00011 | -         | -  | 3.22                            |
| XAC2338    | XAC2338   | conserved hypothetical protein   | 2.73                            |
| XAC2749    | XAC2749   | methylated-DNA-protein-cysteine<br>methyltransferase related protein                       | S- 2.70                         |
| XAC0919    | pntA      | pyridine nucleotide transhydrogenase   | 2.67                            |
| XAC2337    | cydB      | cytochrome D ubiquinol oxidase subunit II  | 2.63                            |
| XAC3658    | XAC3658   | hypothetical protein   | 2.29                            |
| XAC0830    | tauD      | taurine dioxygenase  | 2.21                            |
| XAC2033    | mobA      | molybdopterin guanine dinucleotide synthase &&<br>PF12804:MobA-like NTP transferase domain | 2.11                            |
| XAC0657    | mreC      | rod shape-determining protein  | 2.04                            |
| XAC2264    | XAC2264   | hypothetical protein   | 2.00                            |
| XAC1706    | XAC1706   | conserved hypothetical protein   | 1.96                            |
| XAC3255    | XAC3255   | hypothetical protein   | 1.94                            |
| XAC1639    | sdeB      | atrazine chlorohydrolase   | 1.89                            |
| Novel00097 | -         | PF12836:Helix-hairpin-helix motif  | 1.87                            |
| XAC1181    | XAC1181   | conserved hypothetical protein   | 1.85                            |
| Novel00012 | -         | -  | 1.85                            |
| XAC2951    | comEA     | DNA transport competence protein   | 1.84                            |
| XAC1980    | flgH      | flagellar L-ring protein   | 1.80                            |
| XAC1638    | hutI      | imidazolonepropionase  | 1.77                            |
| XAC1704    | XAC1704   | ABC transporter ATP-binding protein  | 1.76                            |
| XAC2558    | XAC2558   | excinuclease ABC subunit C homolog   | 1.72                            |
| XAC2608    | XAC2608   | VirB6 protein  | 1.69                            |
| XAC3354    | ompW      | outer membrane protein W   | 1.68                            |

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| XAC3927   | XAC3927   | conserved hypothetical protein                                 | 1.66                            |
| XAC0637   | hsIV      | ATP-dependent HsIV protease peptidase subunit HsIV             | 1.65                            |
| XAC2528   | htpG      | heat shock protein G   | 1.64                            |
| XAC2336   | cydA      | cytochrome D ubiquinol oxidase subunit I                       | 1.59                            |
| XAC0453   | XAC0453   | conserved hypothetical protein                                 | 1.59                            |
| XAC0505   | XAC0505   | conserved hypothetical protein                                 | 1.58                            |
| XAC2334   | cydC      | ABC transporter ATP-binding protein                            | 1.57                            |
| XAC0638   | hsIU      | ATP-dependent HsIV protease ATP-binding subunit HsIU           | 1.57                            |
| XAC1300   | hsLR      | heat shock protein 15 homolog                                  | 1.57                            |
| XAC1522   | dnaK      | DnaK protein   | 1.57                            |
| XAC3195   | clpB      | ATP-dependent Clp protease subunit                             | 1.55                            |
| XAC1816   | XAC1816   | hemagglutinin/hemolysin-related protein                        | 1.55                            |
| XAC2146   | XAC2146   | hypothetical protein   | 1.50                            |
| XAC1521   | grpE      | heat shock protein GrpE  | 1.48                            |
| XAC2034   | XAC2034   | conserved hypothetical protein                                 | 1.47                            |
| XAC2335   | strW      | transport protein  | 1.46                            |
| XAC3608   | uptB      | maleylacetoacetate isomerase                                   | 1.46                            |
| XAC2397   | XAC2397   | conserved hypothetical protein                                 | 1.45                            |
| XAC3962   | XAC3962   | hypothetical protein   | 1.43                            |
| XAC1941   | fliR      | flagellar biosynthetic protein                                 | 1.42                            |
| XAC3754   | XAC3754   | conserved hypothetical protein                                 | 1.40                            |
| XAC1635   | hutU      | urocanate hydratase  | 1.40                            |
| XAC1092   | XAC1092   | tRNA-Ser   | 1.39                            |
| XAC2312   | XAC2312   | conserved hypothetical protein                                 | 1.37                            |
| XAC2362   | XAC2362   | conserved hypothetical protein                                 | 1.34                            |
| XAC2200   | XAC2200   | hypothetical protein   | 1.33                            |
| XAC3121   | fepA      | TonB-dependent receptor  | 1.33                            |
| XAC3301   | XAC3301   | conserved hypothetical protein                                 | 1.32                            |
| XAC1937   | flhB      | flagellar protein  | 1.31                            |
| XAC1985   | flgC      | flagellar biosynthesis cell-proximal portion of basal-body rod | 1.30                            |
| XAC4206   | XAC4206   | hypothetical protein   | 1.29                            |
| XAC1151   | hspA      | low molecular weight heat shock protein                        | 1.28                            |
| XAC2978   | ptsH      | phosphotransferase system HPr enzyme                           | 1.28                            |
| XAC3120   | glk       | glucose kinase   | 1.27                            |
| XAC1637   | hutH      | histidine ammonia-lyase  | 1.27                            |
| XAC0541   | groES     | 10kDa chaperonin   | 1.27                            |
| XAC1636   | hutG      | formylglutamate amidohydrolase                                 | 1.26                            |

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| XAC0900    | pms       | peptide methionine sulfoxide reductase  | 1.26                            |
| XAC0627    | XAC0627   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.26                            |
| XAC2399    | htpX      | heat shock protein                      | 1.26                            |
| XAC2742    | btuB      | TonB-dependent receptor                 | 1.25                            |
| XAC1986    | flgB      | flagellar protein                       | 1.25                            |
| XAC1935    | flhF      | flagellar protein                       | 1.23                            |
| XAC4268    | XAC4268   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.22                            |
| XAC0755    | XAC0755   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.22                            |
| XAC0127    | XAC0127   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.22                            |
| XAC2863    | XAC2863   | hypothetical protein                    | 1.21                            |
| XAC2375    | XAC2375   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.21                            |
| XAC1705    | XAC1705   | MFS transporter                         | 1.20                            |
| XAC2783    | trx       | thioredoxin                             | 1.19                            |
| XAC3691    | XAC3691   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.19                            |
| XAC0087    | XAC0087   | hypothetical protein                    | 1.18                            |
| XAC3609    | uptA      | fumarylacetoacetate hydrolase           | 1.17                            |
| XAC3635    | XAC3635   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.16                            |
| XAC0542    | groEL     | 60 kDa chaperonin                       | 1.16                            |
| XAC2483    | XAC2483   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.16                            |
| XAC1741    | recX      | RecX protein                            | 1.16                            |
| Novel00010 | -         | PF00118:TCP-1/cpn60 chaperonin family   | 1.16                            |
| XAC4216    | tatC      | sec-independent protein translocase     | 1.15                            |
| XAC1740    | recA      | RecA protein                            | 1.15                            |
| XAC1984    | flgD      | flagellar protein                       | 1.15                            |
| XAC1955    | fliE      | flagellar protein                       | 1.15                            |
| XAC1593    | XAC1593   | ABC transporter ATP-binding protein     | 1.14                            |
| XAC2228    | XAC2228   | transcriptional regulator tetR family   | 1.14                            |
| XAC3444    | btuB      | TonB-dependent receptor                 | 1.13                            |
| XAC4286    | mutM      | formamidopyrimidine DNA glycosylase     | 1.13                            |
| XAC4104    | XAC4104   | hypothetical protein                    | 1.12                            |
| XAC0077    | XAC0077   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.12                            |
| XAC1950    | fliJ      | flagellar FliJ protein                  | 1.11                            |
| XAC1936    | flhA      | flagellar protein                       | 1.11                            |
| XAC1982    | flgF      | flagellar protein                       | 1.11                            |
| XAC3792    | ribA      | riboflavin biosynthesis protein         | 1.11                            |
| XAC1362    | nerA      | GTN reductase                           | 1.11                            |
| XAC1850    | hadH2     | 3-hydroxyacyl-CoA dehydrogenase type II | 1.10                            |
| XAC2626    | fimT      | fimbrial biogenesis protein             | 1.10                            |
| XAC2080    | XAC2080   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.10                            |
| XAC3755    | XAC3755   | conserved hypothetical protein          | 1.09                            |

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| XAC3363   | blaI      | transcriptional regulator blaI family   | 1.09                            |
| XAC1942   | fliQ      | flagellar biosynthesis  | 1.08                            |
| XAC3353   | XAC3353   | conserved hypothetical protein  | 1.08                            |
| XAC3961   | XAC3961   | transcriptional regulator tetR family   | 1.08                            |
| XAC3636   | XAC3636   | conserved hypothetical protein  | 1.06                            |
| XAC0691   | XAC0691   | conserved hypothetical protein  | 1.05                            |
| XAC0253   | XAC0253   | transcriptional regulator araC family   | 1.05                            |
| XAC3460   | XAC3460   | conserved hypothetical protein  | 1.05                            |
| XAC1278   | XAC1278   | conserved hypothetical protein  | 1.05                            |
| XAC2887   | XAC2887   | conserved hypothetical protein  | 1.04                            |
| XAC0134   | XAC0134   | beta-lactamase  | 1.04                            |
| XAC3823   | XAC3823   | conserved hypothetical protein  | 1.03                            |
| XAC0452   | XAC0452   | 4-hydroxyphenylpyruvate dioxygenase   | 1.02                            |
| XAC0775   | murE      | UDP-N-acetyl muramoylalanyl-D-glutamate-<br>2%2C6-diaminopimelate ligase<br>domain   PF08245:Mur ligase middle domain | 1.01                            |
| XAC2044   | mutT      | 7%2C8-dihydro-8-oxoguanine-triphosphatase   | 1.01                            |
| XAC0772   | mraW      | cell division protein   | 1.00                            |
| XAC4279   | XAC4279   | conserved hypothetical protein  | 1.00                            |
| XAC1981   | flgG      | flagellar biosynthesis cell-distal portion of basal-<br>body rod  | 1.00                            |

**Supplementary Table S2.** List of the enriched KEGG pathways with *Xcc* genes significantly changed in the *ΔhemK* mutant

| KEGGID   | Description                                  | padj   | Gene Name   | Log2 Fold change         | Count |
|--|--|--------|---|--------------------------|-------|
| <b>1. Metabolism (37 pathways)</b>               |  |        |   |                          |       |
| <b>1.1 Global and overview maps (6 pathways)</b> |  |        |   |                          |       |
| xac01230   | Biosynthesis of amino acids                  | 0.0003 | metL/thrC/ilvC/thrB/hisI/hisD/ilvD/hisB/hisF/hisA/ilvG/hisG/tdcB/hisH/pheA/ilvM/dapD/leuA/dapE/aroG/hisC          | -3.6_-1.1                | 21    |
| xac01210   | 2-Oxocarboxylic acid metabolism              | 0.0821 | ilvC/ilvD/ilvG/ilvM/leuA  | -2.7/-1.8/-2.2/-2.5/-1.3 | 5     |
| xac01110   | Biosynthesis of secondary metabolites        | 0.9932 | metL/thrC/ilvC/thrB/hisI/hisD/ilvD/hisB/hisF/hisA/ilvG/hisG/tdcB/hisH/pheA/ilvM/leuA/entF/scrK/ribA/glk/aroG/hisC | -3.6_1.3                 | 23    |
| xac01120   | Microbial metabolism in diverse environments | 0.9932 | metL/thrC/thrB/dapD/uptA/XAC1187/neurA/uptB/dapE/uahA/glk   | -3.6_1.5                 | 11    |
| xac01240   | Biosynthesis of cofactors                    | 0.9932 | thiC/XAC0452/ribA/btuR  | -1.9/1.0/1.1/-1.4        | 4     |
| xac01200   | Carbon metabolism                            | 0.9932 | tdcB/glk  | -2.1/1.3                 | 2     |
| <b>1.2 Carbohydrate metabolism (11 pathways)</b> |  |        |   |                          |       |
| xac00500   | Starch and sucrose metabolism                | 0.5732 | XAC3490/engXCA/scrK/XAC0346/glk   | -1.9/-1.3/-1.2/-1.1/1.3  | 5     |
| xac00650   | Butanoate metabolism                         | 0.9932 | ilvG/ilvM   | -2.2/-2.5                | 2     |
| xac00520   | Amino sugar and nucleotide sugar metabolism  | 0.9932 | scrK/glk  | -1.2/1.3                 | 2     |
| xac00550   | Peptidoglycan biosynthesis                   | 0.9932 | murE  | 1.0                      | 1     |
| xac00040   | Pentose and glucuronate interconversions     | 0.9932 | peh-1   | -2.4                     | 1     |
| xac00051   | Fructose and mannose metabolism              | 0.9932 | scrK  | -1.2                     | 1     |
| xac00640   | Propanoate metabolism                        | 0.9932 | prpB  | -1.1                     | 1     |
| xac00052   | Galactose metabolism                         | 0.9932 | glk   | 1.3                      | 1     |
| xac00630   | Glyoxylate and dicarboxylate metabolism      | 0.9932 | hutG  | 1.3                      | 1     |
| xac00010   | Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis                 | 0.9932 | glk   | 1.3                      | 1     |
| xac00620   | Pyruvate metabolism                          | 0.9932 | leuA  | -1.3                     | 1     |
| <b>1.3 Energy metabolism (2 pathways)</b>        |  |        |   |                          |       |
| xac00190   | Oxidative                                    | 0.9932 | cydB/XAC2338/cydA   | 2.6/2.7/1.6              | 3     |

|  |   |                 |   |  |                               |    |
|--|---|-----------------|---|--|-------------------------------|----|
|  |   | phosphorylation |   |  |                               |    |
| xac00920                                       | Sulfur metabolism                           | 0.9932          | tauD  |  | 2.21                          | 1  |
| <b>1.4 Nucleotide metabolism (1 pathways)</b>  |   |                 |   |  |                               |    |
| xac00230                                       | Purine metabolism                           | 0.9932          | XAC1187   |  | -1.3                          | 1  |
| <b>1.5 Amino acid metabolism (10 pathways)</b> |   |                 |   |  |                               |    |
| xac00340                                       | Histidine metabolism                        | 2.9E-10         | hisI/hisD/hisB/hisF/hisA/hisG/hisH/sdeB /hutU/hutH/hutL/hisC/hutG |  | -2.5_1.9                      | 13 |
| xac00290                                       | Valine, leucine and isoleucine biosynthesis | 1.2 E-10        | ilvC/ilvD/ilvG/tdcB/ilvM/leuA                                     |  | -2.7/-1.8/-2.2/-2.1/-2.5/-1.3 | 6  |
| xac00300                                       | Lysine biosynthesis                         | 0.08214         | metL/dapD/murE/dapE   |  | -3.4/-1.0/1.0/-1.1            | 4  |
| xac00350                                       | Tyrosine metabolism                         | 0.092943        | uptA/XAC0452/uptB/hisC  |  | 1.1/1.0/1.5/-2.4              | 4  |

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| KEGGID  | Description   | padj     | Gene Name           | Log 2Fold change     | Cou nt |
|---|---|----------|---------------------|----------------------|--------|
| xac00260  | Glycine, serine and threonine metabolism            | 0.786303 | metL/thrC/thrB/tdcB | -3.4/-3.6/-3.4/-2.1  | 4      |
| xac00360  | Phenylalanine metabolism                            | 0.806129 | XAC0452/hisC        | 1.0/-2.4             | 2      |
| xac00400  | Phenylalanine, tyrosine and tryptophan biosynthesis | 0.930158 | pheA/aroG/hisC      | -1.8/-1.2/-2.4       | 3      |
| xac00220  | Arginine biosynthesis                               | 0.993188 | uahA                | -1.8                 | 1      |
| xac00330  | Arginine and proline metabolism                     | 0.993188 | XAC0691             | 1.1                  | 1      |
| xac00270  | Cysteine and methionine metabolism                  | 0.993188 | metL                | -3.4                 | 1      |
| <b>1.6 Metabolism of cofactors and vitamins (6 pathways)</b>        |   |          |                     |                      |        |
| xac00770  | Pantothenate and CoA biosynthesis                   | 0.158043 | ilvC/ilvD/ilvG/ilvM | -2.7/-1.8/-2.2/-2.5/ | 4      |
| xac00740  | Riboflavin metabolism                               | 0.993188 | ribA                | 1.1                  | 1      |
| xac00760  | Nicotinate and nicotinamide metabolism              | 0.993188 | pntA                | 2.7                  | 1      |
| xac00790  | Folate biosynthesis                                 | 0.993188 | ribA/mobA           | 1.1/2.1              | 2      |
| xac00130  | Ubiquinone and other terpenoid-quinone biosynthesis | 0.993188 | XAC0452             | 1.0                  | 1      |
| xac00860  | Porphyrin and chlorophyll metabolism                | 0.993188 | btuR                | -1.4                 | 1      |
| <b>1.7 Biosynthesis of other secondary metabolites (1 pathways)</b> |   |          |                     |                      |        |

|          |                           |          |     |     |   |
|----------|---------------------------|----------|-----|-----|---|
| xac00521 | Streptomycin biosynthesis | 0.993188 | glk | 1.3 | 1 |
|----------|---------------------------|----------|-----|-----|---|

## 2. Genetic Information Processing (4 pathways)

### 2.1 Folding, sorting and degradation

|          |                 |          |              |             |   |
|----------|-----------------|----------|--------------|-------------|---|
| xac03060 | Protein export  | 0.993188 | tatC         | 1.2         | 1 |
| xac03018 | RNA degradation | 0.497374 | dnaK/-/groEL | 1.6/1.2/1.2 | 3 |

### 2.2 Replication and repair

|          |                          |          |              |          |   |
|----------|--------------------------|----------|--------------|----------|---|
| xac03440 | Homologous recombination | 0.993188 | recA         | 1.2      | 1 |
| xac03410 | Base excision repair     | 0.96327  | mutM/XAC0606 | 1.1/-1.2 | 2 |

## 3. Environmental Information Processing (3 pathways)

### 3.1 Membrane transport (2 pathways)

|          |                            |          |  |          |    |
|----------|----------------------------|----------|--|----------|----|
| xac03070 | Bacterial secretion system | 0.044174 | hrcJ/hrcV/hrcQ/hrcU/hrcN/tatC/hrcC/hrp B5/hrcR/hrcS/hrcT/XAC2608 | -3.8_1.7 | 12 |
| xac02010 | ABC transporters           | 0.993188 | cydC/strW  | 1.6/1.5  | 2  |

### 3.2 Signal transduction (2 pathways)

|          |                      |          |  |          |    |
|----------|----------------------|----------|--|----------|----|
| xac02020 | Two-component system | 0.993188 | tsr/tsr/engXCA/tsr/tsr/tsr/XAC0346/cydB / XAC2338/cydA | -2.4_2.6 | 10 |
|----------|----------------------|----------|--|----------|----|

## 4. Cellular Processes (3 pathways)

### 4.1 Cellular community – prokaryotes (1 pathways)

|          |                |          |                   |               |   |
|----------|----------------|----------|-------------------|---------------|---|
| xac02024 | Quorum sensing | 0.993188 | XAC3545/ribA/aroG | -2.2/1.1/-1.2 | 3 |
|----------|----------------|----------|-------------------|---------------|---|

### 4.2 Cell motility (1 pathways)

|          |                      |          |  |                          |    |
|----------|----------------------|----------|--|--------------------------|----|
| xac02040 | Flagellar assembly   | 0.000594 | flgH/flgD/flgC/flgG/flgB/flgF/fliJ/flhA/ flhB/fliR/fliE/fliQ | 1.0_1.8                  | 12 |
| xac02030 | Bacterial chemotaxis | 0.930158 | tsr/tsr/tsr/tsr/tsr  | -1.1/-1.1/-1.2/-1.4/-2.4 | 5  |

**Supplementary Table S3.** Bacterial strains and plasmids

| Strains and plasmids                | Relevant characteristic                     | Origin         |
|-------------------------------------|---|----------------|
| <i>X. citri</i> subsp. <i>citri</i> |   |                |
| <i>X. citri</i> jx-6                | Wild type strain                            | Lab collection |
| $\Delta$ hemK                       | hemK mutant of <i>X. citri</i> jx-6         | This study     |
| C- $\Delta$ hemK                    | Complementation strain of $\Delta$ hemK, Gm | This study     |
| <i>E.coli</i>                       |   |                |
| DH5 $\alpha$                        |   | Lab collection |
| Plasmids                            |   |                |
| pK18                                | Suicide vector, Gm                          | Lab collection |
| pK18- $\Delta$ hemK                 | hemK knock-out fragment ligated on pK18, Gm | This study     |
| pBBR1MCS5-V5-                       | hemK complementation fragment ligated on    | This study     |
| hemK                                | pBBR1MCS5, Gm                               |                |

**Supplementary Table S4.** Primers used for strains construction and qRT-PCR analysis

| Primers    | Sequence (5'-3') <sup>a</sup>                  | Purpose                                   |
|------------|--|---|
| hemK-1F    | CGC <b>GGATCC</b> TCCAGCGTCTTGATCACGC<br>CTTC  | For construction of pK18- <i>ΔhemK</i>    |
| hemK-2R    | TCAGCCGCCCTGGCCCGCAGCTGCGGC<br>GAGATCGTCGGACAT | For construction of pK18- <i>ΔhemK</i>    |
| hemK-3F    | ATGTCCGACGATCTCGCCGCAGCTGCCG<br>GCCAGGGCGGCTGA | For construction of pK18- <i>ΔhemK</i>    |
| hemK-4R    | GGG <b>AAGCTT</b> GCATGCCGCTAGAGCGG<br>CCGGA   | For construction of pK18- <i>ΔhemK</i>    |
| hemK-5F    | ACTGTGCAGCGGTCAAGCTGCGCA                       | For detecting of pK18- <i>ΔhemK</i>       |
| hemK-6R    | TAGGCCAGGCCAGCGTGGATC                          | For detecting of pK18- <i>ΔhemK</i>       |
| hemK-F     | TCC <b>CCCGGG</b> ATGTCCGACGATCTGCCG<br>C      | For construction of pBBR1MCS5-<br>V5-hemK |
| hemK-R     | GCA <b>TCTAGA</b> TCAGCCGCCCTGGCCCGCA<br>GCT   | For construction of pBBR1MCS5-<br>V5-hemK |
| pBAD-5'S   | CTGTTCTCCATACCGTT                              | A universal primer for pBBR1MCS5          |
| M13-F      | ACTGGCCGTCGTTTAC                               | A universal primer for pBBR1MCS5          |
| 16s-F      | TCGTATGCGGTATTAGCGTAAGT                        | For qPCR                                  |
| 16s-R      | TTGATCCTGGCTCAGAGTGAAC                         | For qPCR                                  |
| hrpB2-F    | TGGTCGATGTGCAGAACGAT                           | For qPCR                                  |
| hrpB2-R    | ATGGTCAGCTCGTGCATCAA                           | For qPCR                                  |
| hpaA-F     | GACGCTGCAACACACATAACC                          | For qPCR                                  |
| hpaA-R     | GGCTTCGTTCTCTCCTGCT                            | For qPCR                                  |
| hrpE-F     | TGTTCATGGACTTCTGGGCC                           | For qPCR                                  |
| hrpE-R     | GGTGGAACTCTGGTGGAGGC                           | For qPCR                                  |
| virK-F     | GATGTCAGTGTGAGCACCGA                           | For qPCR                                  |
| virK-R     | GGTGAATGCGCATCGGAAA                            | For qPCR                                  |
| hrcC-F     | ACGCATGGCCGATCTTAT                             | For qPCR                                  |
| hrcC-R     | TCCACGGTGTGGATCCAAG                            | For qPCR                                  |
| avrXacE1-F | TCCACGTATCCGATTGAGCG                           | For qPCR                                  |
| avrXacE1-R | ATGGAACCTGGTTGCGGAT                            | For qPCR                                  |
| avrBs2-F   | GGTGTATCTGGATACCGCCG                           | For qPCR                                  |
| avrBs2-R   | TGAAGATGATGCGGCCCTGT                           | For qPCR                                  |
| XAC3545-F  | TGGTGGTCGAGCTAACGAAAC                          | For qPCR                                  |
| XAC3545-R  | CTCAGGTGCCACTGGTACTG                           | For qPCR                                  |
| engXCA-F   | TCGTTACAAGAACGTGCCGA                           | For qPCR                                  |
| engXCA-R   | GGTCGAACATACCGGGTTGT                           | For qPCR                                  |
| XAC3490-F  | GTGGATGTGGACCACGTTCT                           | For qPCR                                  |
| XAC3490-R  | GATAGGCCGTGGAATCCAGG                           | For qPCR                                  |
| XAC2853-F  | CTTGCCCCGATGTACCTGT                            | For qPCR                                  |
| XAC2853-R  | TTTCCAGTCGTAGTTGCCCG                           | For qPCR                                  |
| XAC1893-F  | ACGCAGTTGCAACGTTCTC                            | For qPCR                                  |

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| Primers   | Sequence (5'-3') <sup>a</sup> | Purpose  |
|-----------|-------------------------------|----------|
| XAC1893-R | GTCCAGGTGCTCGAACATCA          | For qPCR |
| XAC1666-F | CAGCATCAACGCCTTCATCG          | For qPCR |
| XAC1666-R | ACATCACCATTAGCATCGCA          | For qPCR |
| hisC-F    | GTTGGTGTTCCTGTGTTCGC          | For qPCR |
| hisC-R    | AGATTGTCGTAACGCCGAG           | For qPCR |

<sup>a</sup>The red ones are restriction sites.