

1 **Supplementary Figures for “Gut microbiota transmission prevents antibiotic-**
2 **induced stochastic loss of colonization resistance”**

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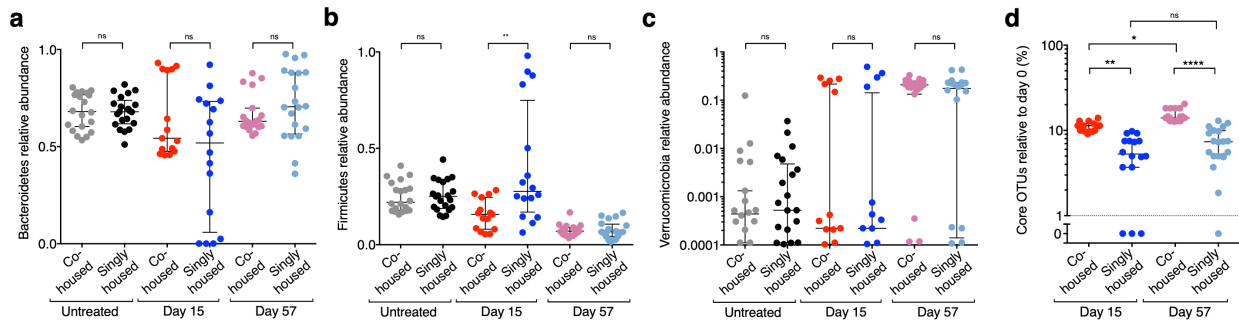
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16 **Supplementary Fig. 1 | Streptomycin treatment leads to increased loss of core OTUs**
 17 **in singly housed mice compared to co-housed mice, but does not differentially affect**

18 **Bacteroidetes, Firmicutes, or Verrucomicrobia relative abundance. a-c, Relative**

19 abundances of the **a**, Bacteroidetes, **b**, Firmicutes and **c**, Verrucomicrobia phyla in the co-
 20 housed and singly housed mice at indicated time points. Data shown are the median, and

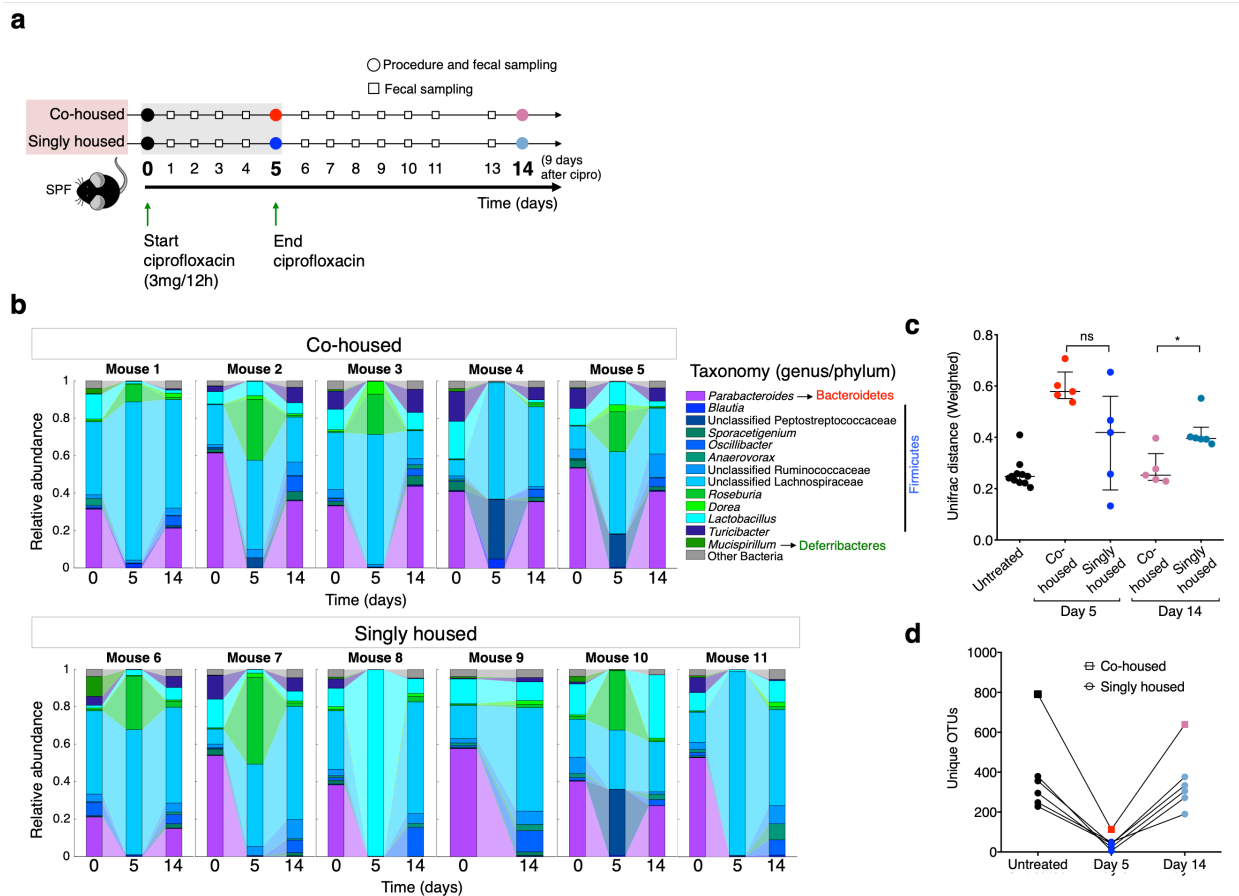
21 the error bars show the interquartile range of $n=15-21$ per group. **d**, Percentage of core
 22 OTUs (defined as OTUs present in every mouse of each group before treatment) present on

23 days 15 and 57, relative to day 0. Data shown are the median, and the error bars show the

24 interquartile range of $n=15-21$ per group. For **a-c** data were analyzed with a Mann-Whitney
 25 test (**: $p < 0.01$; ns, not significant). For **d**, data were analyzed using the Kruskal-Wallis test

26 with Dunn's correction test for multiple comparisons (*: $q < 0.1$, **: $q < 0.05$; ****: $q < 0.001$;

27 ns, not significant).



28 **Supplementary Fig. 2 | Ciprofloxacin treatment results in stochastic extinction of the**
 29 **Bacteroidetes phylum in singly housed mice. a**, Experimental scheme for ciprofloxacin

30 **Bacteroidetes phylum in singly housed mice. a**, Experimental scheme for ciprofloxacin
 31 treatment. Three milligrams of ciprofloxacin was administered orally every 12 h to

32 conventional Swiss Webster mice for 5 days. Microbiota composition was analyzed from
 33 fecal samples collect from day 0 (before antibiotics), day 5 (last day of antibiotic

34 treatment), and day 14 (9 days after stopping antibiotic treatment). **b**, Fecal microbiota

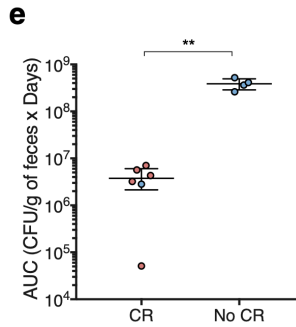
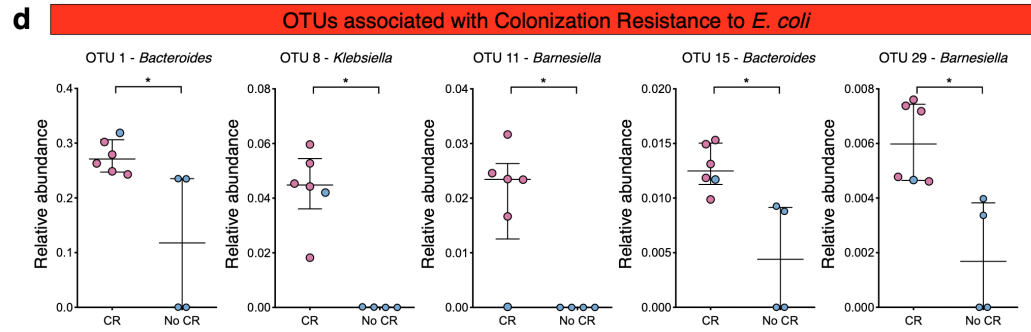
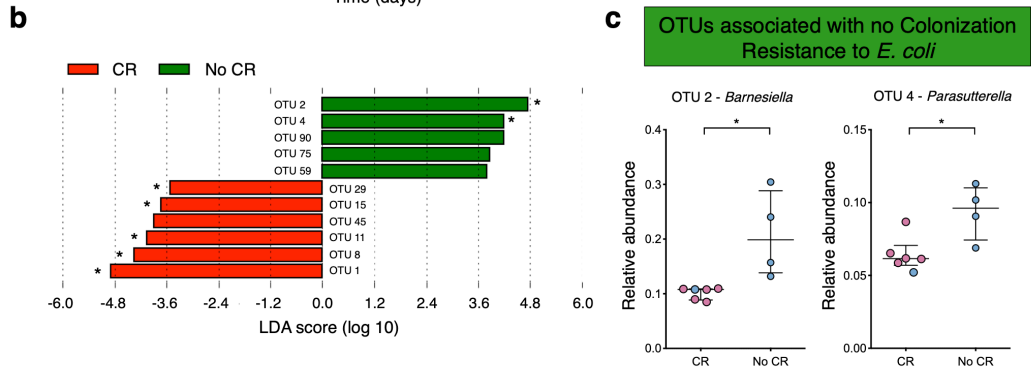
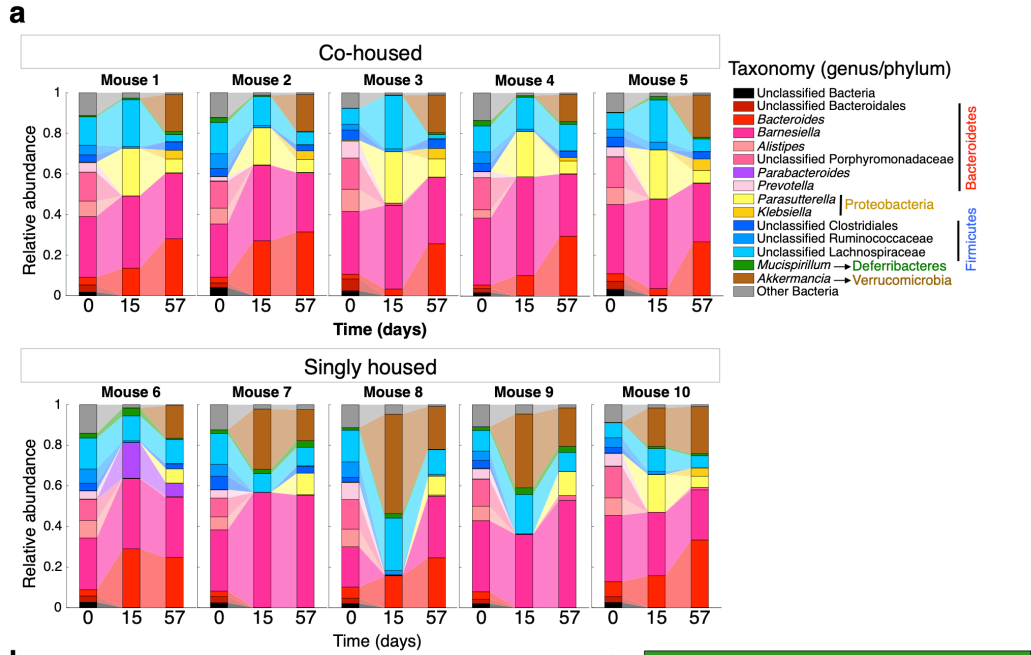
35 compositions of day 0, 5, and 14 of co-housed (Mouse 1-5) and singly housed (Mouse 6-11)

36 mice. Each stacked bar represents the microbiota composition in the indicated mouse at
 37 the indicated time points. The colored segments represent the relative fraction of each

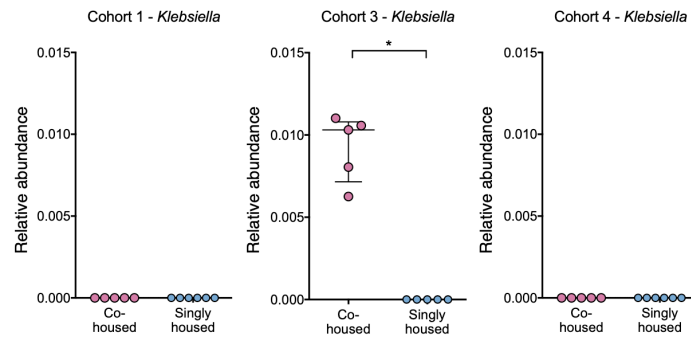
38 genus-level taxon present at >3%. All other genera were combined in the “Other Bacteria”

39 category. **c**, Phylogenetic dissimilarities on each day determined by the mean weighted

40 Unifrac distance of the bacterial communities of each mouse to each other mouse within
41 the same group. Data shown are medians, and the error bars show interquartile range (*:
42 $p < 0.05$; ns, not significant, Mann-Whitney test, $n = 5-6$ per group). **d**, Gamma diversity of gut
43 microbiota of co-housed and singly housed mice at indicated time points ($n = 5-6$ per group).

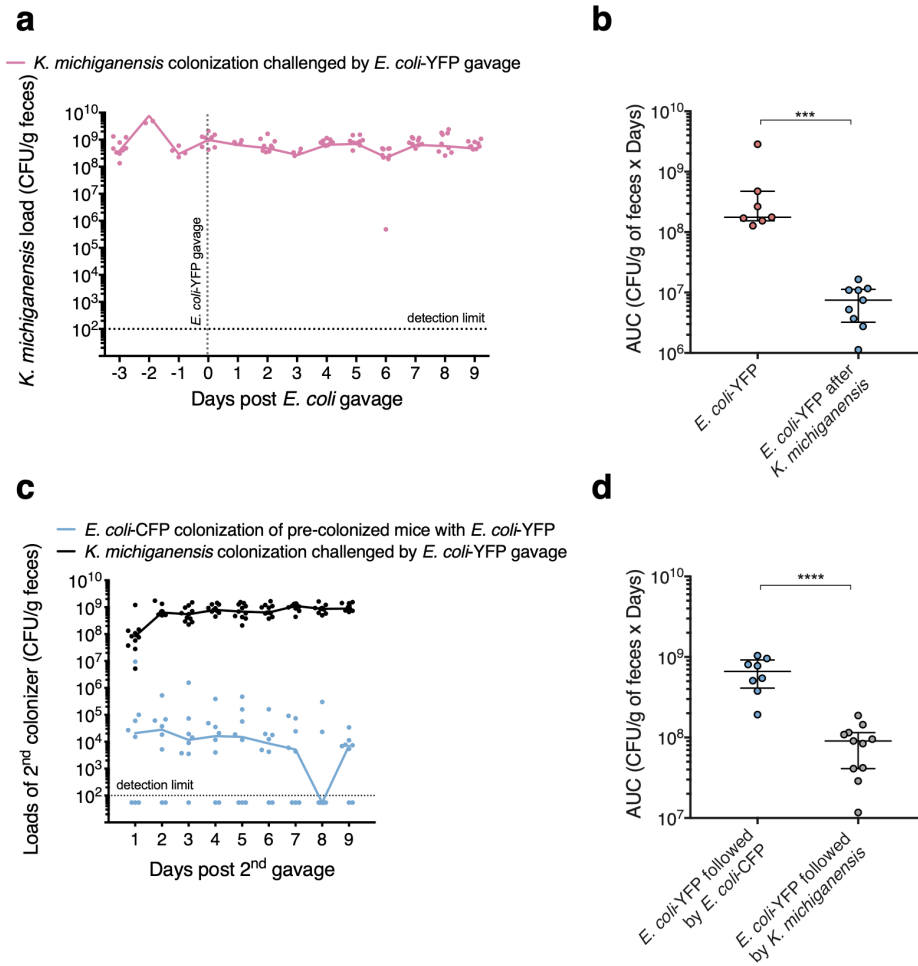


45 **Supplementary Fig. 3| Effects of streptomycin treatment in microbiota composition**
46 **and OTUs associated with colonization resistance to *E. coli* in cohort 2**
47 **(supplementary data for the experiment shown in Fig. 1 and 2). a**, Fecal microbiota
48 composition of untreated (day 0), streptomycin-treated (day 15), and post-streptomycin-
49 treated (day 57) samples of co-housed and singly housed mice from cohort 2. Each stacked
50 bar represents the microbiota composition in each mouse at the indicated time points. The
51 colored segments represent the relative fraction of each genus-level bacterial taxon present
52 at >3%. All other genera were combined in the “Other Bacteria” category. **b**, Histogram of
53 linear discriminant analysis (LDA) scores >2.0 for differentially abundant OTUs on day 57
54 of cohort 2 from the experiment in Fig. 2c, d. (Red) OTUs enriched in mice with
55 colonization resistance to *E. coli* (CR); (green) OTUs enriched in mice lacking colonization
56 resistance (No CR). **c**, Relative abundances of significantly different individual OTUs that
57 are associated with no colonization resistance against *E. coli*. **d**, Relative abundances of
58 significantly different individual OTUs that are associated with colonization resistance
59 against *E. coli*. **e**, Area Under the Curve (AUC) calculated from the dynamics of *E. coli*-YFP
60 CFU/g feces during the cohort 2 experiment of each mouse with and without colonization
61 resistance, showing that *Klebsiella*-associated mice had significantly lower loads of *E. coli*
62 throughout the experiment. In **c-e**, medians and interquartile ranges are shown. Data
63 shown in **c** and **d** were analyzed with the Wilcoxon test using a Benjamini-Hochberg
64 correction (*: $q < 0.1$). Data in **e** were analyzed with the Mann-Whitney test (**: $p < 0.01$).



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66 **Supplementary Fig. 4| *Klebsiella* relative abundance in cohorts 1, 3, and 4.** Relative
 67 abundances of *Klebsiella* in cohorts 1, 3, and 4 at day 57 of the experiment (*Klebsiella*
 68 abundance in cohort 2 is shown in Supplementary Fig. 3d). Medians are shown, and error
 69 bars represent the interquartile range. Data shown were analyzed with the Wilcoxon test
 70 using a Benjamini-Hochberg correction (*: $q < 0.1$).



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Supplementary Fig. 5 | *K. michiganensis* and *E. coli*-CFP colonization loads from

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experiment in Fig. 3c-e. a, Loads of *K. michiganensis* (CFUs/g feces) before and after

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challenge with *E. coli*-YFP ($n=9$ across two independent experiments, Fig. 3d). b, Area

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Under the Curve (AUC) calculated from the dynamics of *E. coli*-YFP CFU/g feces of each

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mouse with and without *K. michiganensis*. Mice associated with *K. michiganensis* had

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significantly lower loads of *E. coli* throughout the experiment ($n=9$ across two independent

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experiments, Fig. 3d). c, *K. michiganensis* ($n=11$, across three independent experiments)

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and *E. coli*-CFP ($n=8$, across two independent experiments) loads (CFUs/g feces) in mice

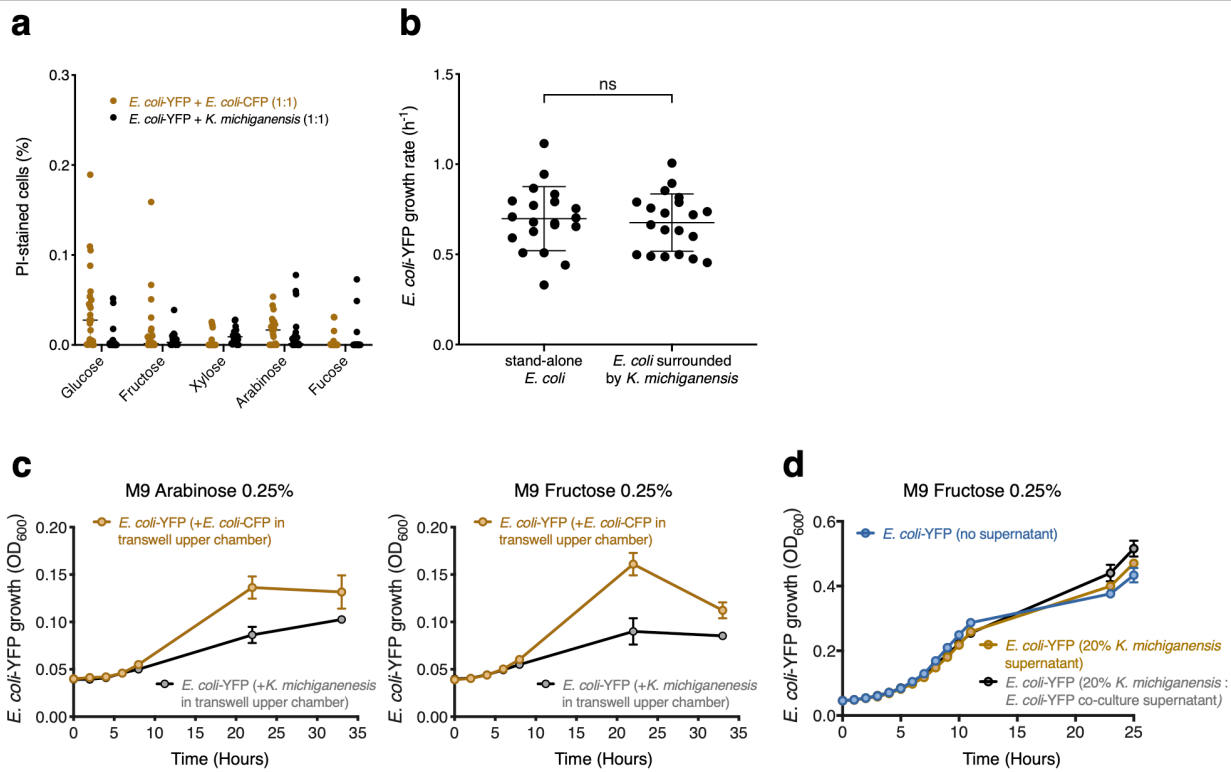
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pre-colonized with *E. coli*-YFP (Fig. 3c, e). d, Area Under the Curve (AUC) calculated from

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the dynamics of *E. coli*-YFP CFU/g feces of each mouse after challenge with *K. michiganensis*

82 or *E. coli*-CFP. Mice challenged with *K. michiganensis* had significantly lower loads of *E. coli*
83 throughout the experiment (n=11, across three independent experiments) as compared to
84 challenge with *E. coli*-CFP (n=8, across two independent experiments; Fig. 3e). In **a** and **c**,
85 circles and lines represent values from individual mice and medians, respectively. In **b** and
86 **d**, medians and interquartile ranges are shown. Data in **b** and **d** were analyzed with the
87 Mann-Whitney test (***: $p < 0.001$; ****: $p < 0.0001$).



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89 **Supplementary Fig 6| No killing of *E. coli* or direct physical inhibition by *K.***

90 ***michiganensis* was observed *in vitro*.** **a**, Co-cultures of *E. coli*-YFP with *E. coli*-CFP or *K.*

91 ***michiganensis* in minimal media containing 0.25% of the indicated carbon source exhibited**

92 **similar percentages of PI-stained cells, suggesting the absence of active killing of *E. coli*.** **b**,

93 **There was no statistically significant difference in the growth rates of *E. coli* microcolonies**

94 **that were well separated from versus surrounded by *K. michiganensis* cells over >50% of**

95 **the periphery in in minimal media with arabinose.** **c**, Cell density of *E. coli*-YFP in the

96 **bottom chamber of a transwell incubated with *K. michiganensis* or *E. coli*-CFP in the upper**

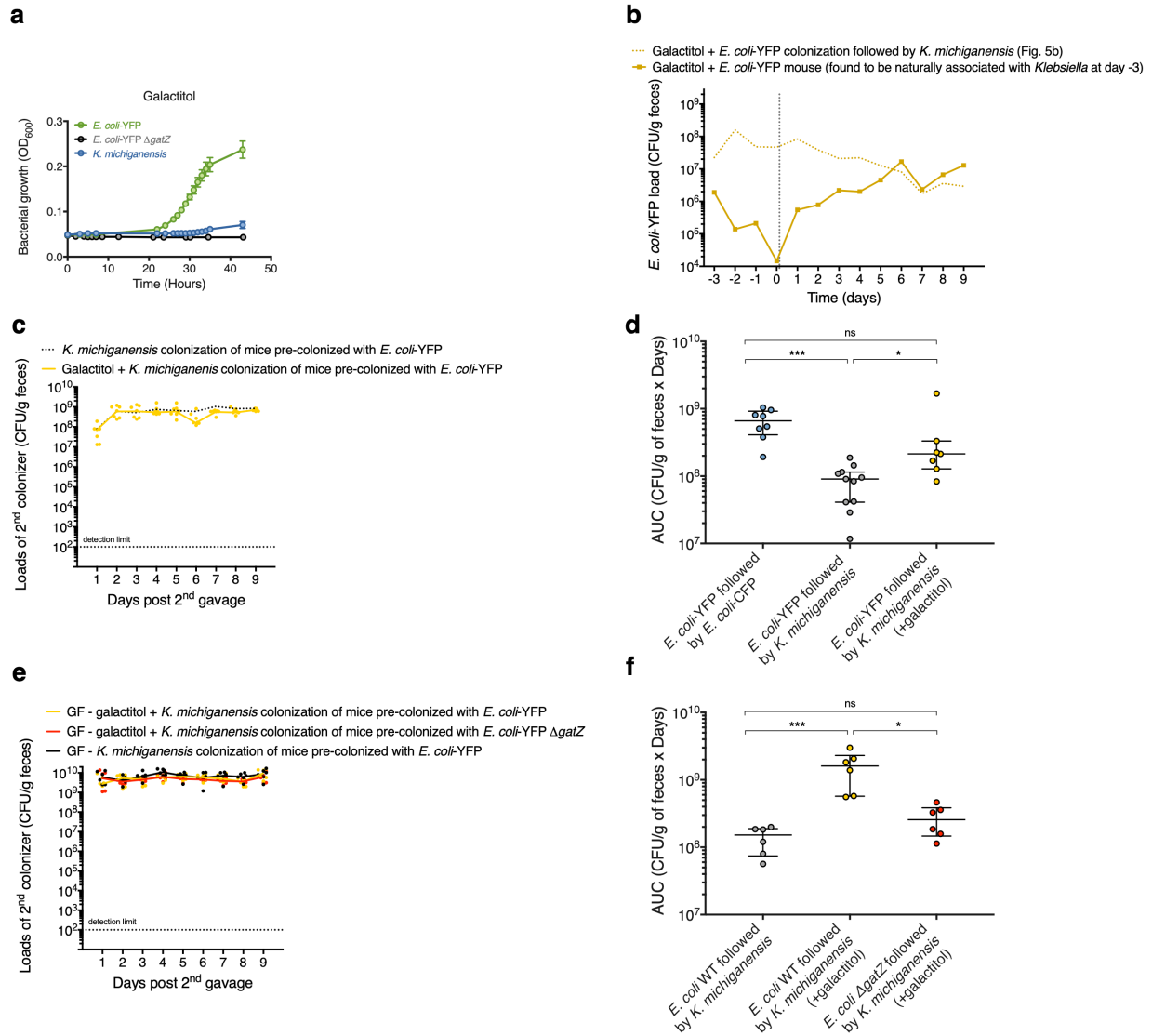
97 **chamber in minimal media with arabinose or fructose. Growth was monitored by OD₆₀₀**

98 **measurements for 35 h (*n*=3 per condition).** **d**, Cell density of *E. coli*-YFP in minimal

99 **medium with fructose with or without supplementation of 20% cell-free spent medium**

100 **from overnight cultures of *K. michiganensis* or *E. coli*-YFP+*K. michiganensis* grown in**

101 minimal medium with fructose. Growth was monitored by OD₆₀₀ measurements for 25 h
102 (*n*=3 per condition). Data in **b** were analyzed with the Mann-Whitney test (ns, not
103 significant). Data in **b-d** represent means and standard deviations.

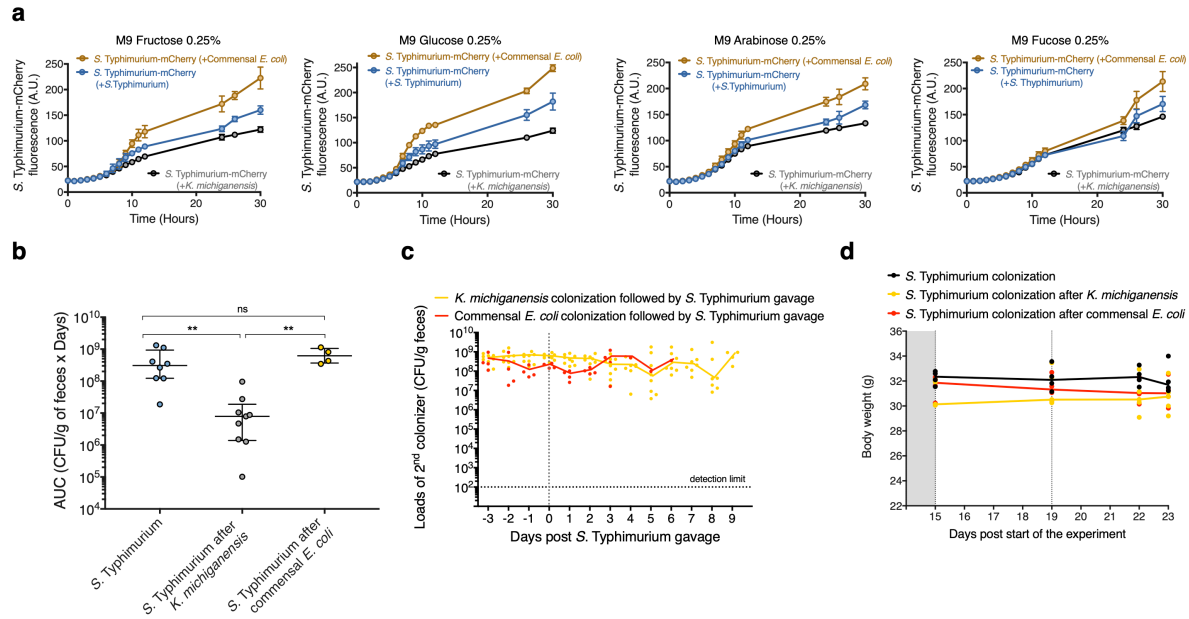


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105 **Supplementary Fig 7| Galactitol can sustain *E. coli*-YFP growth but not *K.***
 106 ***michiganensis* in vitro; *E. coli*-YFP colonization of a singly housed mouse in which**
 107 ***Klebsiella* spp. were not eliminated by streptomycin treatment, and loads of the 2nd**
 108 **colonizer from the experiment shown in Fig. 5. a, Galactitol growth capacity of *K.***
 109 ***michiganensis*, *E. coli*-YFP, and *E. coli*-YFP Δ gatZ alone in minimal media containing 0.25%**
 110 **galactitol. Growth was monitored by OD₆₀₀ measurements at the indicated times for 43 h**
 111 **(n=6 per condition). *K. michiganensis* and *E. coli*-YFP Δ gatZ were unable to grow on**

112 galactitol, in contrast to *E. coli*-YFP. **b**, *E. coli*-YFP loads (CFUs/g feces) decreased
113 immediately after gavage (day -3) in a singly housed mouse found to have maintained
114 *Klebsiella* spp. after streptomycin treatment (yellow solid line). This mouse was not
115 included in the data displayed in Fig. 5b. Dashed yellow line shows the median CFUs/g
116 feces of *E. coli*-YFP from Fig. 5b for comparison. **c**, Yellow line shows *K. michiganensis* loads
117 (CFUs/g feces) in mice pre-colonized with *E. coli*-YFP and drinking water supplemented
118 with 2% galactitol ($n=7$ across two independent experiments, Fig. 5a). Black dashed line
119 show median CFUs/g feces of *K. michiganensis* from the experiment in Fig. 2c,e for
120 comparison (Supplementary Fig. 5c). **d**, Area Under the Curve (AUC) calculated from the
121 dynamics of *E. coli*-YFP CFUs/g feces of each mouse under galactitol after challenge with *K.*
122 *michiganensis* ($n=7$ across two independent experiments, Fig. 5b) comparing with
123 dynamics of *E. coli*-YFP CFUs/g feces of each mouse under non-supplemented water with
124 and without *K. michiganensis* (data from Supplementary Fig. 5d). Mice under galactitol
125 treatment have significantly higher *E. coli* loads throughout the experiment when
126 compared with mice in non-supplemented water, even in the presence of *K. michiganensis*.
127 **e**, *K. michiganensis* loads (CFUs/g feces) in germ-free mice pre-colonized with *E. coli*-YFP or
128 *E. coli*-YFP $\Delta gatZ$ with non-supplemented or supplemented drinking water with 2%
129 galactitol ($n=6$ per condition across two independent experiments, Fig. 5c). **f**, Area Under
130 the Curve (AUC) calculated from the dynamics of *E. coli*-YFP CFUs/g feces of each germ-free
131 mouse under non-supplemented or supplemented drinking water with 2% galactitol after
132 challenge with *K. michiganensis* ($n=6$ per group across two independent experiments, Fig.
133 5d). Mice under galactitol treatment have significantly higher *E. coli*-YFP loads throughout
134 the experiment when compared with mice in non-supplemented water or *E. coli*-YFP $\Delta gatZ$

135 in mice under galactitol treatment, even in the presence of *K. michiganensis*. Data in **a**
136 represent means and standard deviations. In **c** and **e** circles and lines represent values from
137 individual mice and medians, respectively. In **d** and **f**, median and interquartile range is
138 shown. Data in **d** and **f** data were analyzed using Kruskal-Wallis test with Dunn's correction
139 test for multiple comparison (* $q < 0.1$; *** $q < 0.01$; ns, not significant).



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141 **Supplementary Fig. 8 | Competition for simple sugars of *K. michiganensis* and**
 142 **commensal *E. coli* with *S. Typhimurium*, and colonization loads of *K. michiganensis***

143 **and commensal *E. coli* from the experiment in Fig. 6. a, *S. Typhimurium*-mCherry**
 144 **growth capacity in co-cultures with *K. michiganensis*, commensal *E. coli* or an isogenic *S.***
 145 ***Typhimurium* (with no fluorescent marker) in minimal media containing 0.25% of the**
 146 **indicated carbon source. *S. Typhimurium*-mCherry growth was monitored by mCherry**
 147 **fluorescence quantification ($n=6$ per condition). **b, Area Under the Curve (AUC) calculated****
 148 **from the dynamics of *S. Typhimurium* CFUs/g feces of each mouse in the first 3 days after *S.***
 149 ***Typhimurium* challenge in mice pre-colonized with *K. michiganensis* ($n=9$ across 2**
 150 **independent experiments), as compared to mice not pre-colonized or pre-colonized with a**
 151 **commensal *E. coli* ($n= 8$ across 2 independent experiments and $n=4$ in 1 experiment,**
 152 **respectively; Fig. 6). Mice colonized with *K. michiganensis* had significantly lower *S.***
 153 ***Typhimurium* loads as compared to mice not pre-colonized or pre-colonized with a**
 154 **commensal *E. coli*. **c, Loads of *K. michiganensis* and commensal *E. coli* (CFUs/g feces) before****

155 and after challenge with *S. Typhimurium* ($n=4-9$, Fig. 6b). **d**, Mice body-weight is unaffected
156 by *K. michiganensis* or commensal *E. coli* colonization (Day 19). Data in **a**, represent means
157 and standard deviations. In **b**, median and interquartile range is shown. Data in **b** was
158 analyzed using the Kruskal-Wallis test with Dunn's correction test for multiple
159 comparisons (**: $q < 0.05$; ns, not significant). In **c,d** circles and line represent values from
160 individual mice and medians, respectively.

Litter ID	Number of mice per litter	Date of birth	<i>Klebsiella</i>
1	9	09/01/18	-
2	8	27/01/18	-
3	8	18/02/18	-
4	8	23/02/18	+
5	9	26/02/18	-
6	8	11/03/18	-
7	8	19/03/18	+
8	7	19/03/18	+
9	7	30/03/18	-
10	9	16/04/18	-
11	13	20/04/18	-
12	11	28/04/18	-
13	6	18/05/18	-
14	12	25/05/18	+
15	8	30/05/18	-
16	6	04/06/18	-
17	7	17/06/18	-
18	8	26/06/18	-
19	8	10/07/18	-
20	8	10/08/18	-
21	6	27/08/18	-
22	6	06/09/18	+
23	10	15/09/18	+
24	5	09/10/18	+
25	8	21/10/18	-
26	9	02/11/18	-
27	11	21/12/18	-
28	9	17/01/19	-

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162 **Supplementary Table 1** – List of mice cohorts tested for *Klebsiella* presence. Seven out of
163 twenty eight litters (25%) were *Klebsiella*-positive.

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