

Table S4. Gene expression in *usv101Δ* relative to WT *C. neoformans*

Locus	Name	Description	% of WT	pval*	Sc Homolog
Melanization					
CNAG_07701	<i>CTR1</i>	high-affinity copper transporter	49	<10 ⁻³	<i>CTR3</i>
Salt resistance					
CNAG_02773	-	monosaccharide transporter	385	<10 ⁻³	<i>STL1</i>
CNAG_02479	-	monosaccharide transporter	274	<10 ⁻⁵	<i>STL1</i>
CNAG_05387	-	galactose transporter	255	<10 ⁻¹¹	<i>HXT5</i>
Cell wall synthesis					
CNAG_03120	<i>AGS1</i>	alpha-glucan synthase	49	<10 ⁻²	<i>MAL12</i>
CNAG_05818	<i>CHS5</i>	chitin synthase	48	<10 ⁻³	<i>CHS3</i>
CNAG_00897	<i>SKN1</i>	acts in beta glucan synthesis	49	<10 ⁻²	<i>KRE6</i>
CNAG_00373	-	glucanase	330	<10 ⁻⁴	<i>SPR1</i>
CNAG_06501	<i>GAS1</i>	glucanosyltransferase	259	<10 ⁻⁴	<i>GAS1</i>
CNAG_01239	<i>CDA3</i>	chitin deacetylase	394	<10 ⁻⁵	<i>CDA2</i>

*All p-values are adjusted for multiple testing