

Supplemental Fig. S1. Impact of C6 deficiency on the outcome of *S. aureus*-induced septicemia. **a** Survival of C6-deficient (◆), and wildtype C57BL/6 mice (■) after intravenous infection with 4×10^7 cfu *S. aureus*. **b** Bacterial loads in kidneys of C6-deficient C57BL/6 and wildtype mice at 24 h of infection with *S. aureus*. Each bar represents the mean \pm SD of minimum n = 6 mice/group. No significant differences were detected between C6-deficient and wildtype C57BL/6 mice.

