

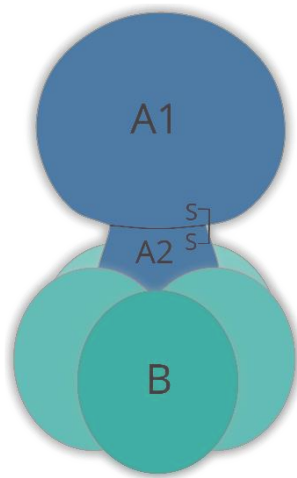
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Tab. S1. Characteristics of the *Shigella* and STEC AB₅ Shiga toxins

	Stx	Stx1	Stx2	Reference
Organism	<i>Shigella dysenteriae</i>	STEC	STEC	
Subtypes	1a	1a, 1c, 1d	2a-o	Scheutz et al., 2012 Yang et al., 2022
Protein sequence identity to Stx of <i>S. dysenteriae</i>	100 %	91 – 99 %*	~ 55 %*	Bergan et al., 2012
No. of amino acids		A1: 251 A2: 42	A1: 250 A2: 47	Li & Tumer, 2017
Active site in StxA1	Glu 167	Glu 167 covered by the A2 chain in the holotoxin (A1-A2)	Glu 166 open conformation in the holotoxin (A1-A2)	Yamasaki et al., 1991 Steyert et al., 2012 Jackson, 1990
Bacterial growth media and Stx production	n.k.	Culture media affect bacterial growth and concentration of Stx in supernatants		Rocha & Piazza, 2007
Activity of StxA1 on SRL RNA	n.k.	$k_{cat} = 21.5 \text{ min}^{-1}$; lower compared to Stx2A1	$k_{cat} = 62.6 \text{ min}^{-1}$; higher compared to Stx1A1	Basu et al., 2015
Optimal pH for activity	n.k.	<i>in vitro</i> : acidic pH (pH 4.5)		Basu et al., 2015
Activity and temperature	Activity loss $\geq 65^\circ\text{C}$	Activity loss $\geq 65^\circ\text{C}$	Activity loss $\geq 85^\circ\text{C}$	Chan & Ng, 2016

* Sequence identities of all Stx subtypes are summarized in Bergan *et al.*, 2012; n.k., not known

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Sub-unit	MW [kDa]	No. of amino acids (without signal peptide)		Function	Reference
		Stx1	Stx2		
A	32	293	297	A1 and A2 connected by disulfide bridge after cleavage by furin	Gyles et al., 1988 Scheutz et al., 2012
A1	27.5	251	250	Enzymatic activity, 28S rRNA N-glycosidase activity	Scheutz et al., 2012
A2	4.5	42	47	Indispensable for holotoxin structure	Menge, 2020
B	7.7	69	68–70	Binding to Gb3/CD77 receptor	Takeda et al., 1993

Fig. S1. Structure of the STEC AB5 toxin Shiga toxin (Bergan et al., 2012) and characteristics of Stx1 and Stx2 A and B subunits.

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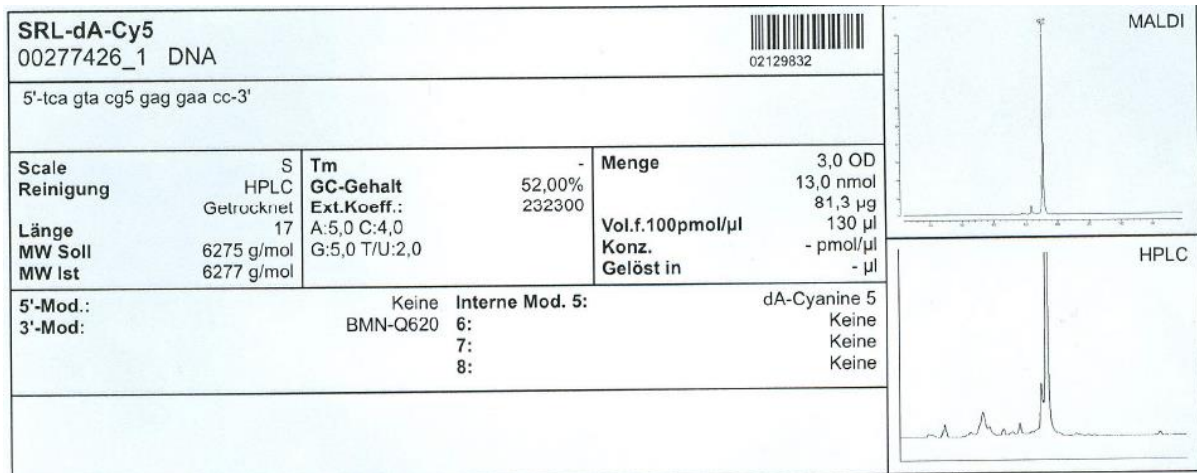
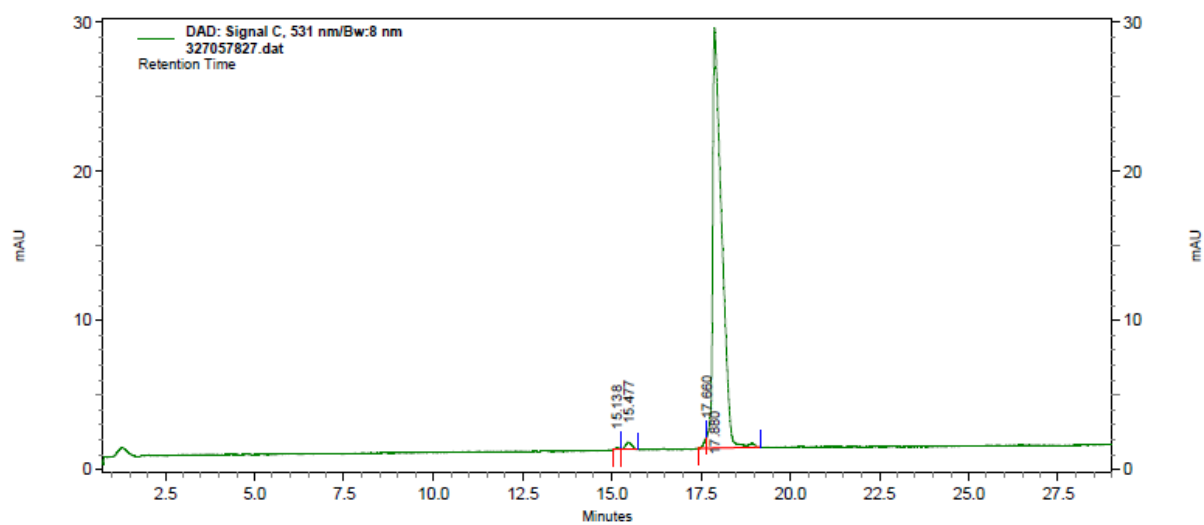


Fig. S2. Quality control analysis report of StxSense 1 (biomers.net).

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DAD: Signal C, 531 nm/Bw:8 nm Results

Peak #	Time	Height	Area	Area Percent
1	15.14	293	2387	0.2
2	15.48	1108	14277	1.3
3	17.66	1460	7702	0.7
4	17.88	59110	1033939	97.7
Totals		61971	1058305	100.0

Fig. S3. Quality control analysis report of StxSense 2 (integrated DNA Technologies, idt).

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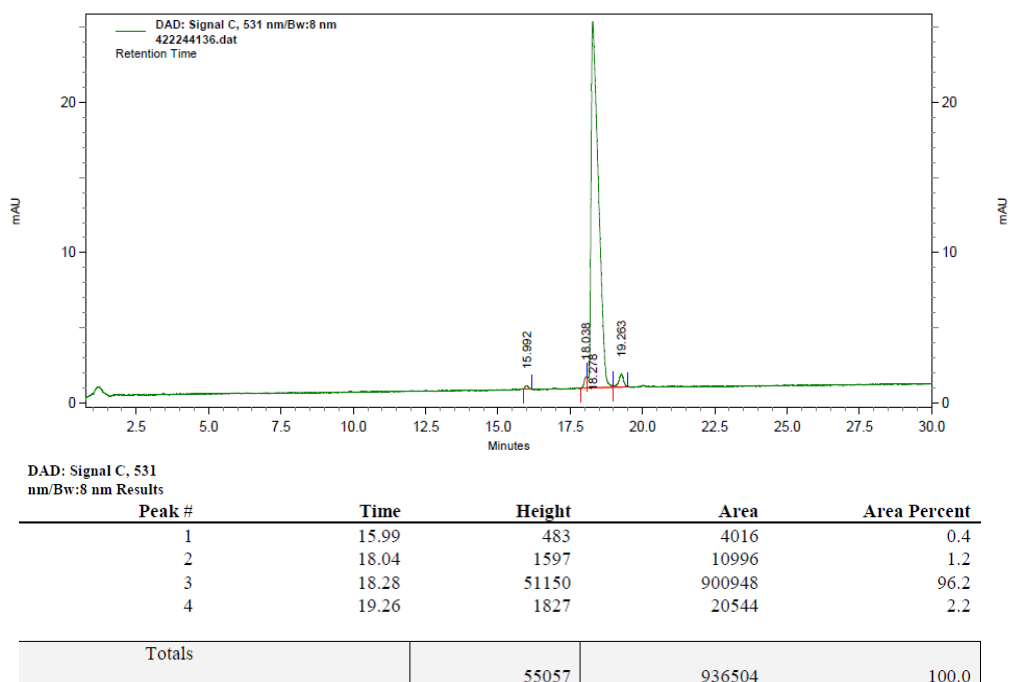


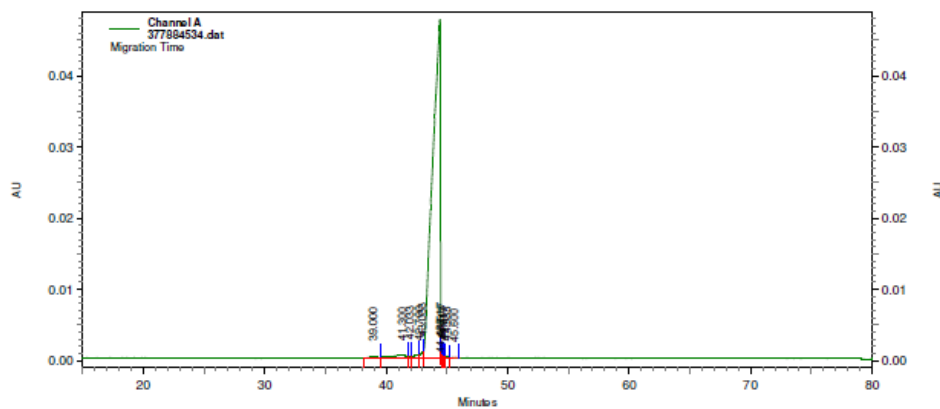
Fig. S4. Quality control analysis report of StxSense 3 (integrated DNA Technologies, idt).

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Integrated DNA Technologies

Analytical OligoPro CE Report

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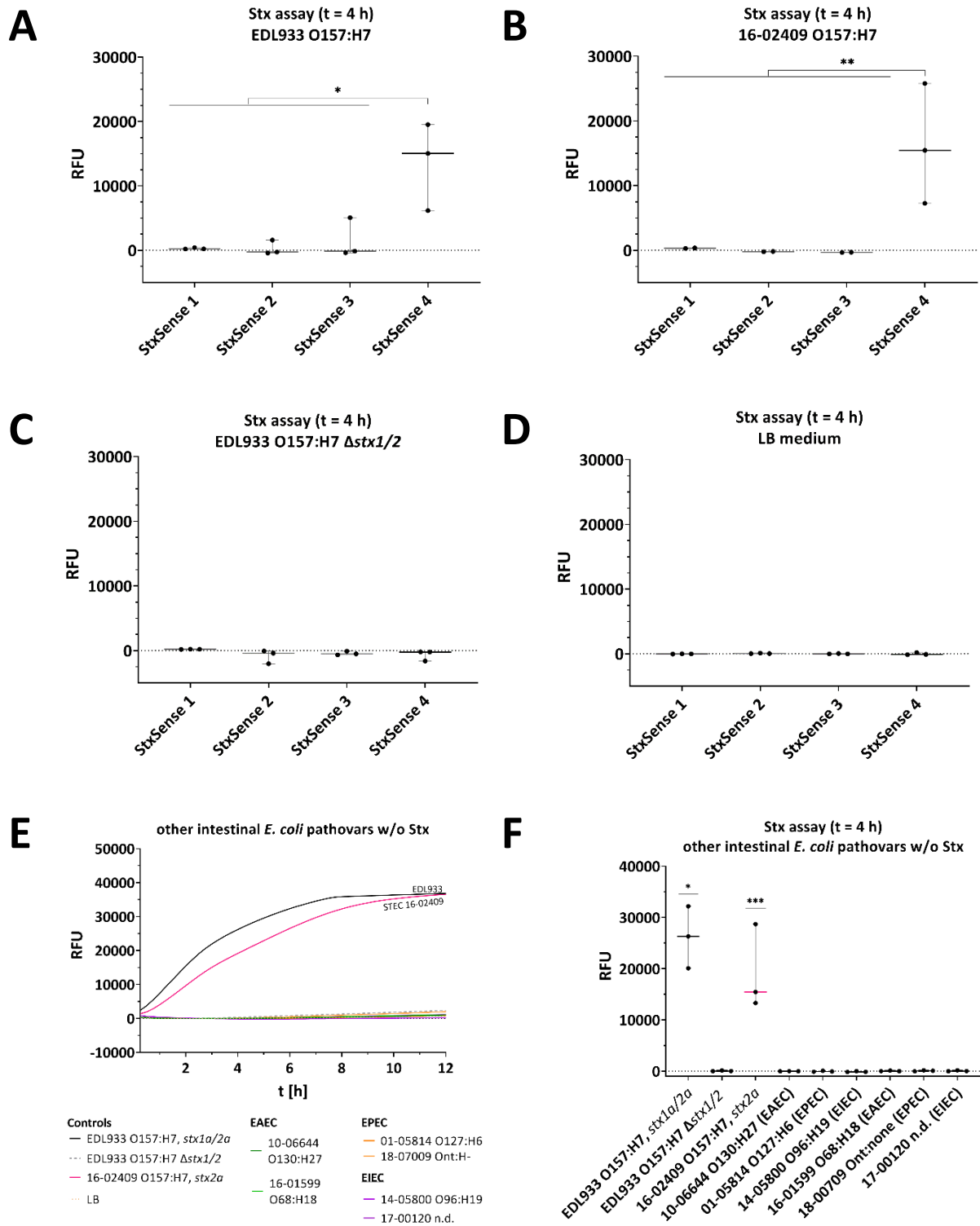


Channel A Results

Peak #	Time	Height	Corrected Area	Corrected Area Percent	
1	39.00	145	160	0.4	
2	41.30	372	757	1.7	
3	42.03	284	92	0.2	
4	42.70	456	294	0.7	
5	43.03	821	258	0.6	
6	44.43	47506	42884	95.9	
7	44.52	879	50	0.1	
8	44.62	433	45	0.1	
9	44.72	292	43	0.1	
10	44.98	269	86	0.2	
11	45.60	70	31	0.1	
Totals			51527	44700	100.0

Fig. S5. Quality control analysis report of StxSense 4 (integrated DNA Technologies, idt).

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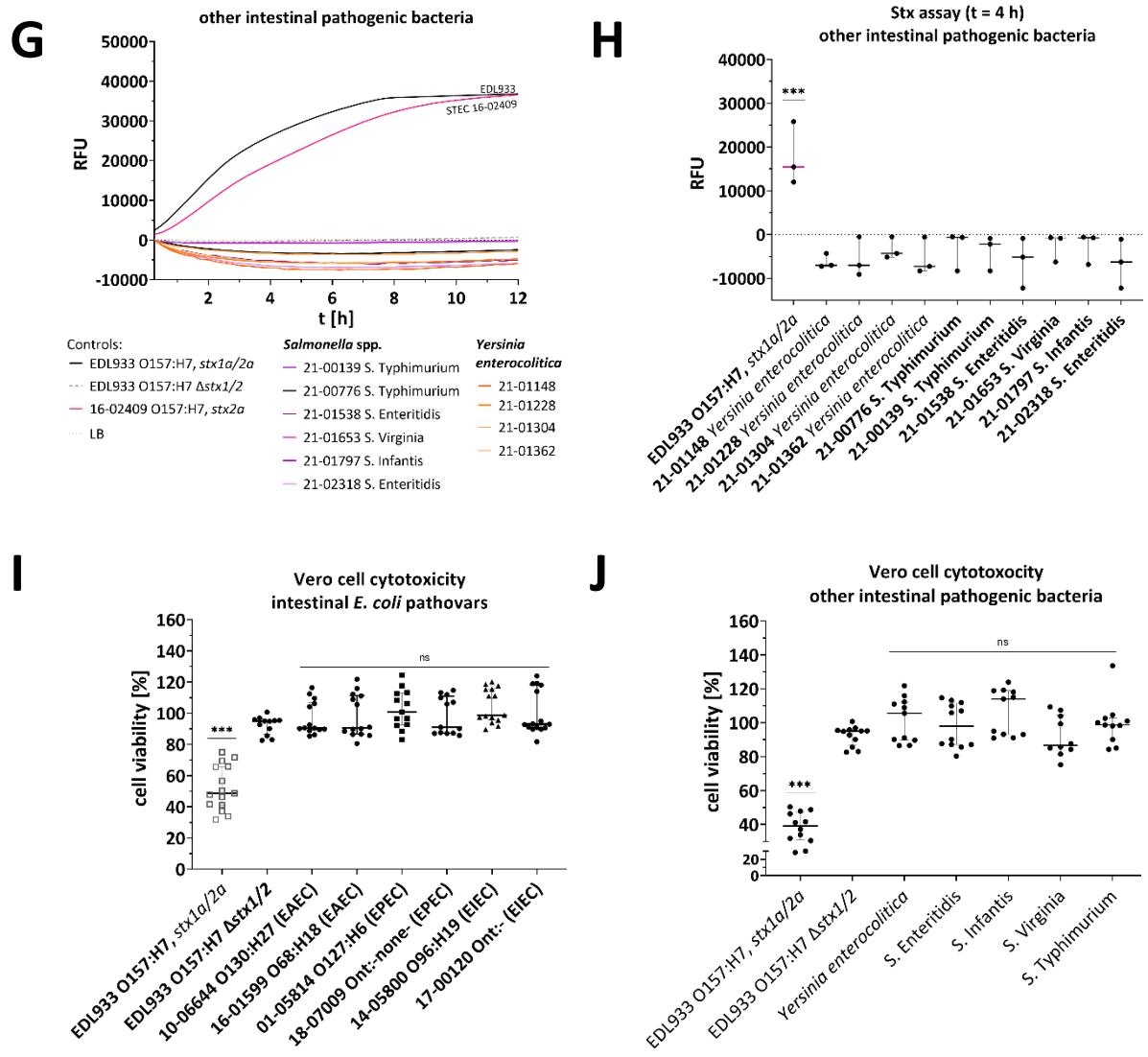
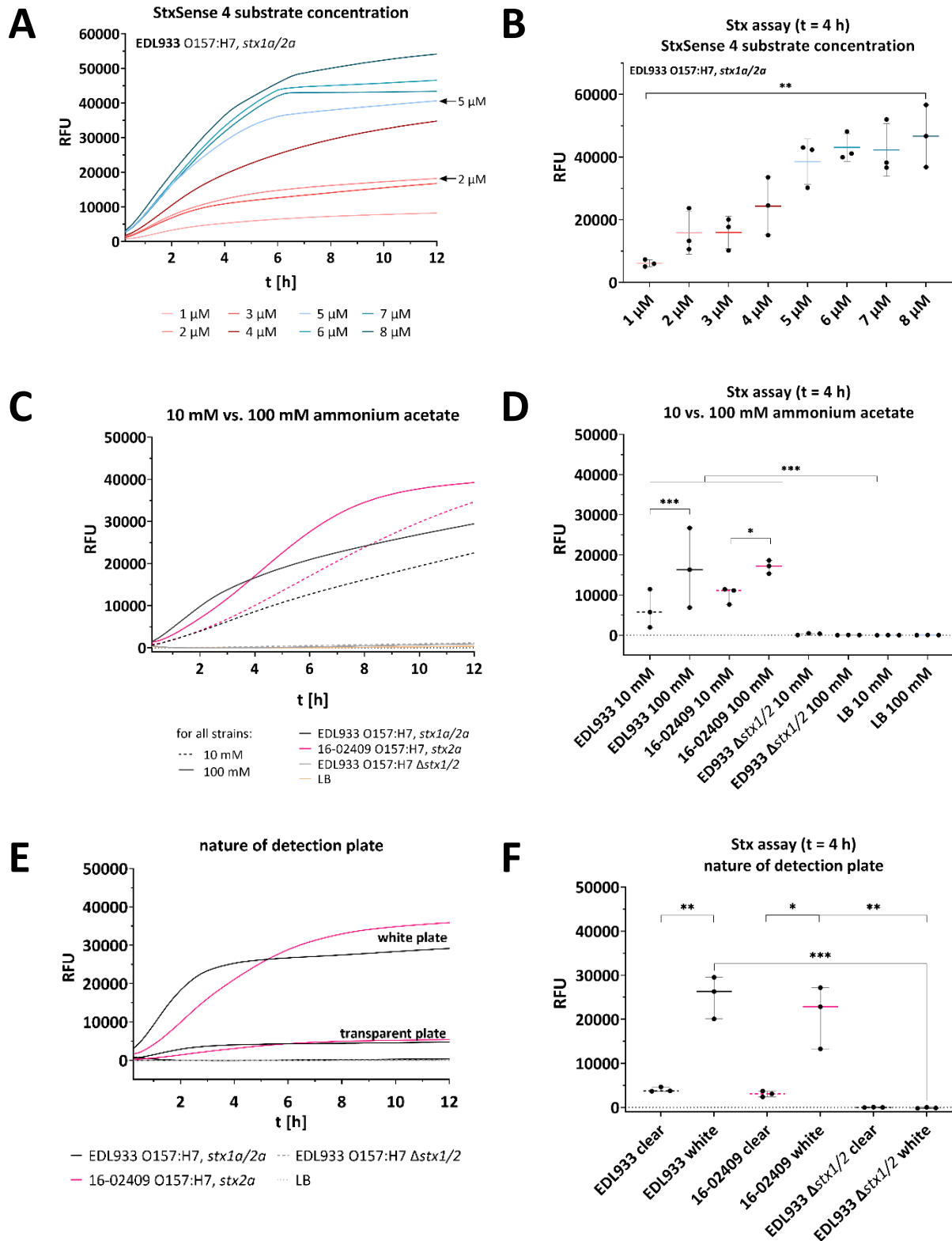


Fig. S6. Statistics of the Stx enzyme activity assay for STEC and controls. Statistics of the Vero cell cytotoxicity and Stx enzyme activity assay for other intestinal pathogenic bacteria producing no Stx. Detected fluorescence as a marker of substrate hydrolysis by Stx from different culture supernatants after 4 h incubation of (A) EDL933 O157:H7, *stx1a/2a*; (B) 16-02409 O157:H7, *stx2a*, (C) EDL933 O157:H7 Δ *stx1/2*, and (D) LB using the four SRL substrates. Data refer to the data shown in Fig. 2. Other intestinal *E. coli* pathovars: (E and F) Stx enzymatic activity assay for culture supernatants for up to 12 h (E) or for 4 h (F) and (I) Vero cell cytotoxicity assay. Other intestinal pathogenic bacteria: (G and H) Stx enzymatic activity assay for culture supernatants for up to 12 h (H) or for 4 h (I) and (J) Vero cell cytotoxicity assay. For Vero cell cytotoxicity assay, cell viability of Vero cells was analyzed using MTT assay after inoculation with diluted bacterial culture supernatants (1:400) for 48 h. For statistics of Stx enzymatic activity assay, RFU at 4 h reaction time and 44 °C are shown. The results represent the medians of triplicate samples (n = 3) and are representative of three independent experiments. Error bars represent standard deviation. Statistical analysis was performed by unpaired, double-sided t test (A-D, F, H), Mann-Whitney test (I and J) (*, p < 0.05; **, p < 0.01; ***, p < 0.001), with results compared to those of EDL933 O157:H7 Δ *stx1/2*. RFU, Relative Fluorescent Unit.

Ramming et al., Fig. S7: assay conditions



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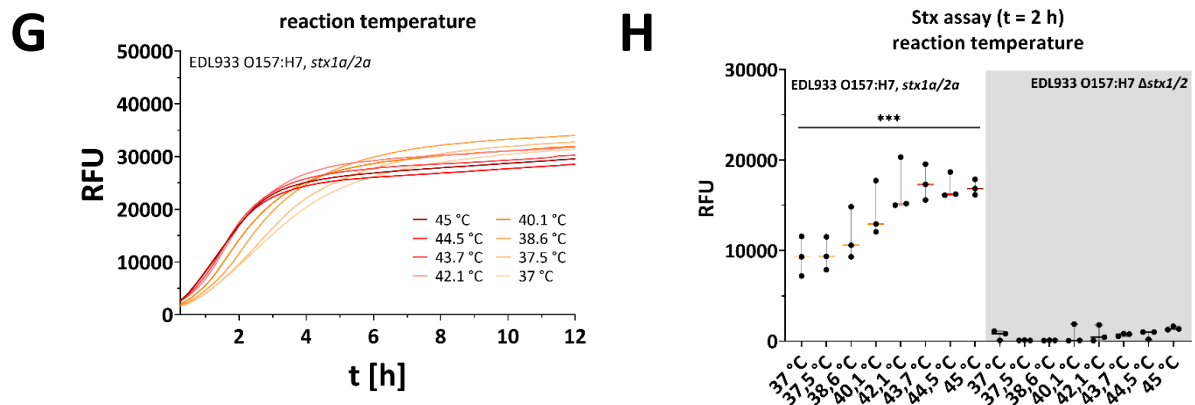
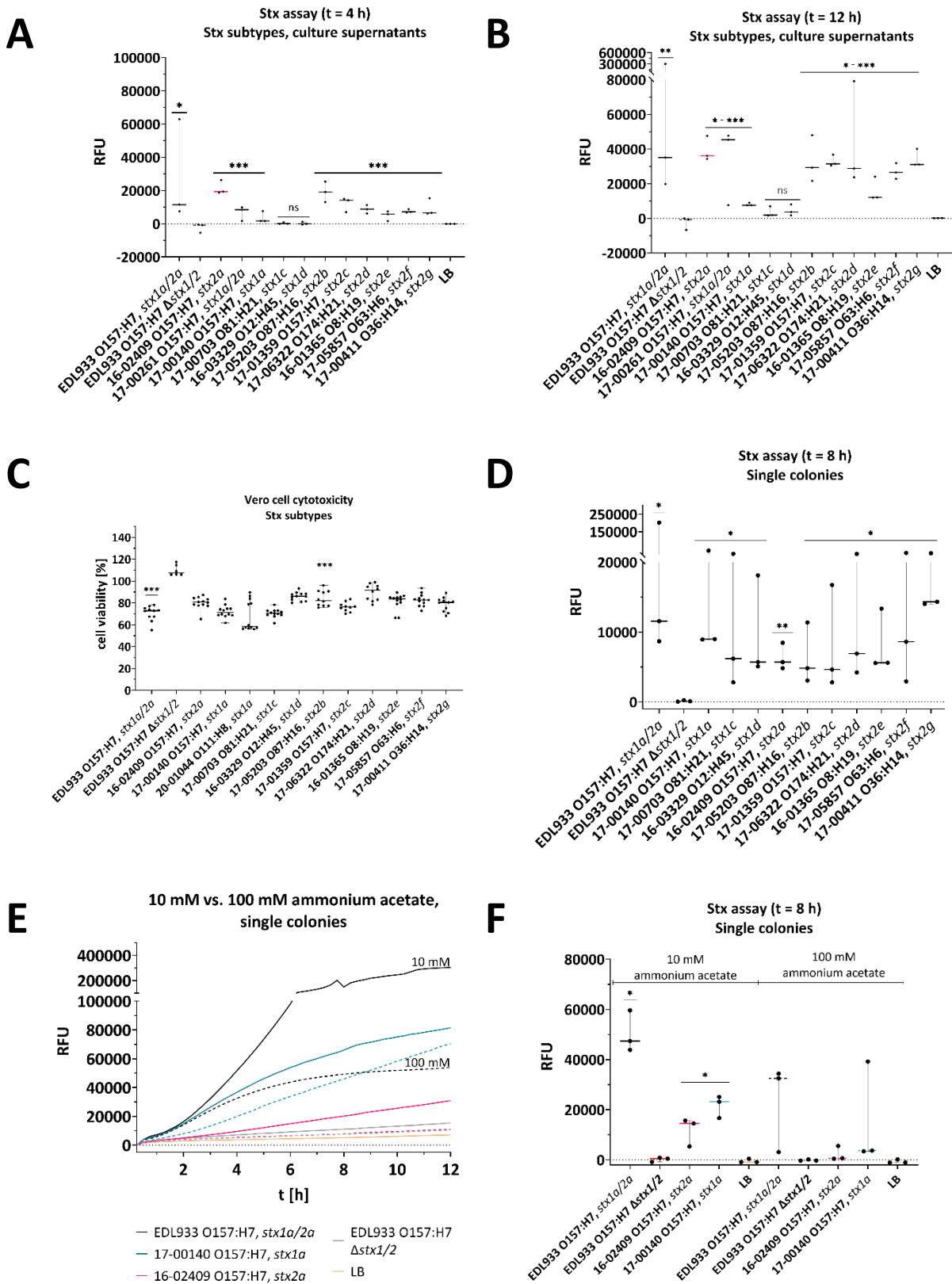


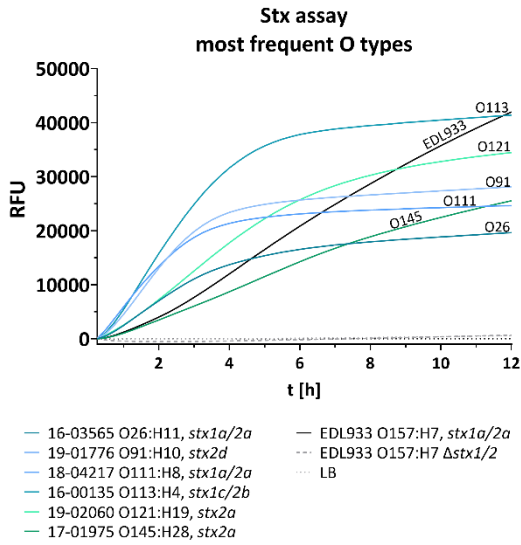
Fig. S7. Optimal assay conditions for Stx detection in culture supernatants. Detected fluorescence as a marker of substrate hydrolysis by Stx from positive control EDL933 O157:H7, *stx1a/2a* and/or test strain STEC 16-02409 O157:H7, *stx2a*, and negative control EDL933 O157:H7 Δ *stx1/2*. **(A and B)** Optimal fluorescence readout for Stx was achieved using SRL substrate StxSense 4 concentrations from 2 μ M in 100 mM ammonium acetate. **(C and D)** 100 mM ammonium acetate yielded in higher fluorescence signals *stx2a*-producing strain compared to 10 mM ammonium acetate. **(E and F)** Using a white 96 well plate instead of a clear plate was essential for fluorescence detection of Stx-positive samples. **(G and H)** Reaction temperatures above 43.7 °C were optimal Stx detection. Reaction conditions for (A, B, E, F) were 44 °C, 100 mM ammonium acetate, 2 μ M StxSense 4. The results represent the medians of triplicate samples (n = 3) and are representative of three independent experiments. Error bars represent standard deviation. Statistical analysis was performed by Mann-Whitney test for non-normally distributed samples (B, H) and unpaired, double-sided t test (D, F) (*, $p < 0.05$; **, $p < 0.01$; ***, $p < 0.001$), with results compared to those of EDL933 O157:H7 Δ *stx1/2* (negative control; -- [grey dashed lines]). RFU, relative fluorescence units; t [h], time [hours].

Ramming et al., Fig. S8: Stx-producing strains (belongs to Fig. 4)

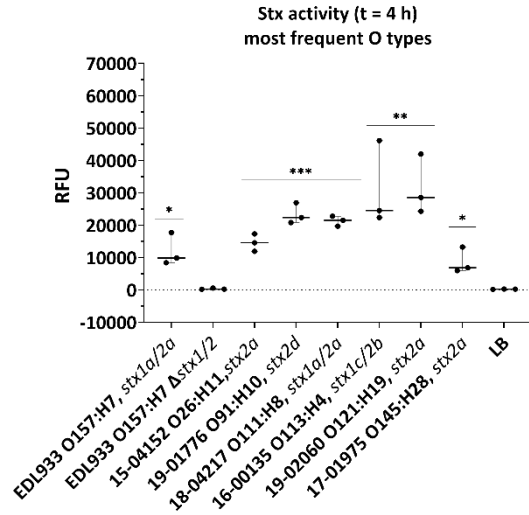


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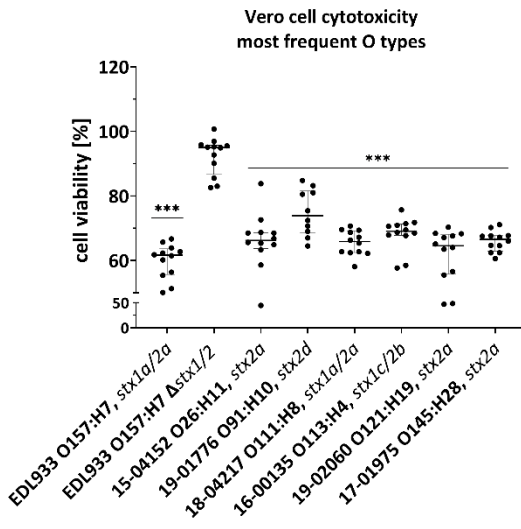
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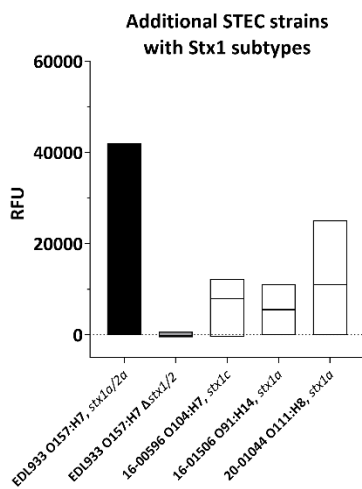
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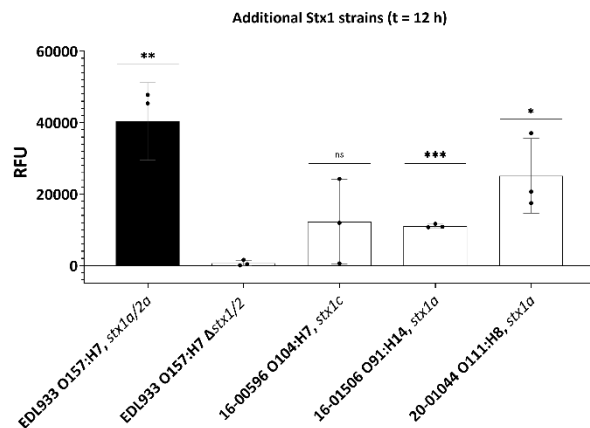
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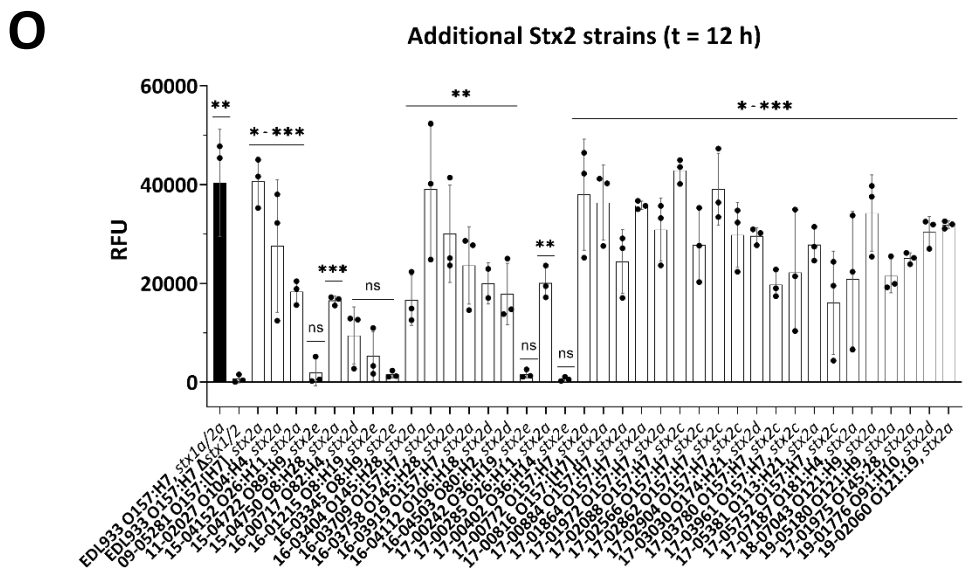
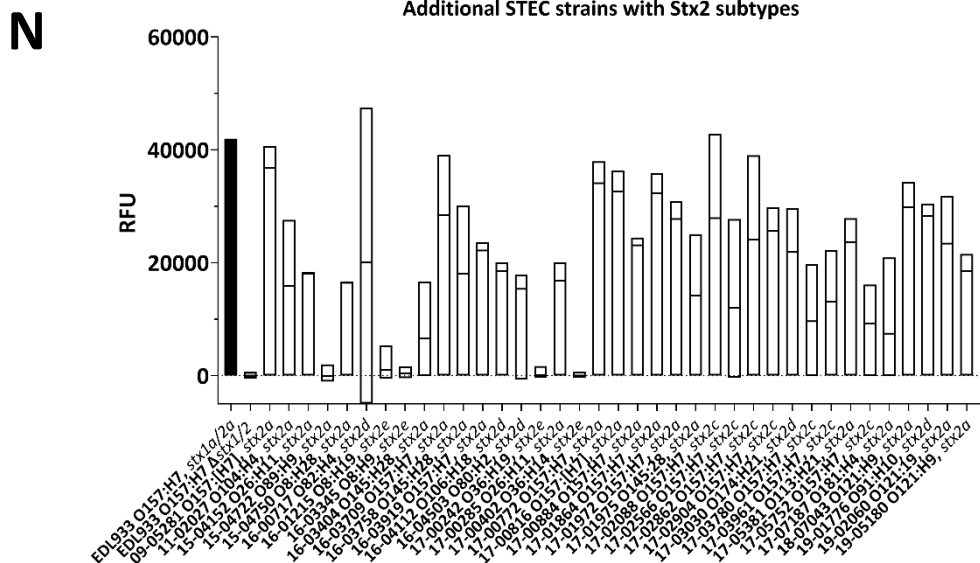
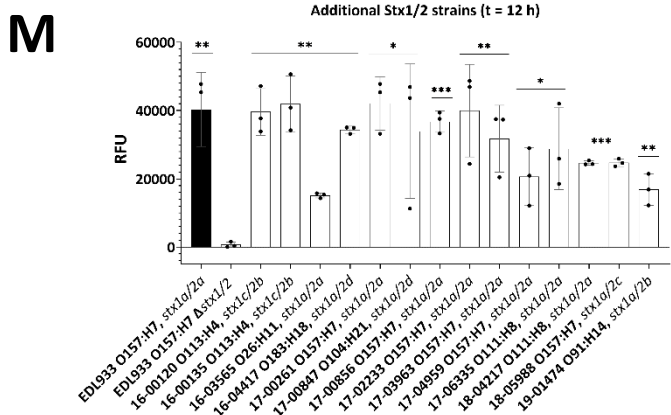
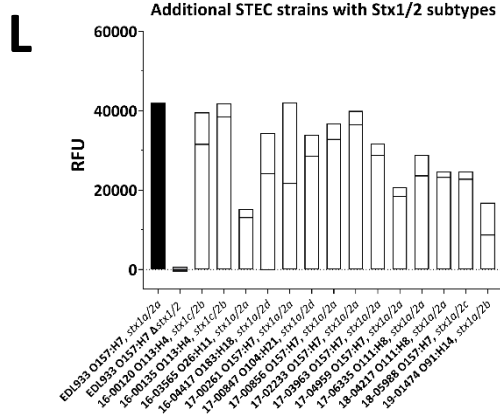
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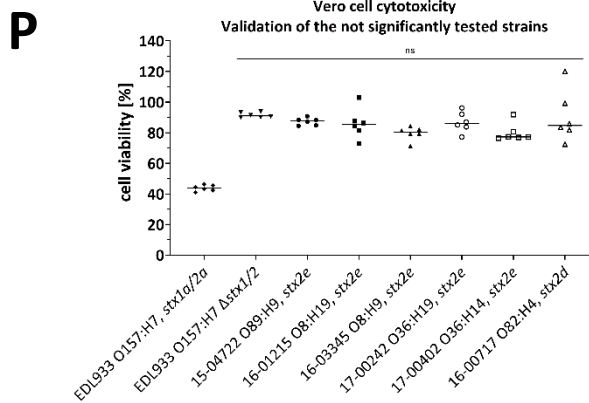


Fig. S8. Statistics of Vero cell cytotoxicity assay and Stx activity assay for Stx1 and Stx2 subtypes (see Fig. 4A). (A, B, D-H, J-O) Detected fluorescence of Stx activity from (A and B) culture supernatants of STEC strains covering Stx1a-Stx1d and Stx2a-2g at (A) 4 h and (B) 12 h; (D) single colonies of STEC strains covering Stx1a-Stx1d and Stx2a-2g, (E and F) single colonies of STEC strains and influence of 10 mM vs. 100 mM ammonium acetate, (G and H) most frequent serotypes; (J to O) Detected fluorescence of culture supernatants of different STEC strains comprising (J and K) Stx1, (L and M) Stx1/2, (N and O) Stx2, with positive control EDL933 O157:H7, *stx1a/2a* (black filled bar), and negative control EDL933 O157:H7 Δ *stx1/2* (grey filled bar) as floating bars (min to max RFU) with line at the median RFU over 12 h and statistics. (J to O) were performed within the same analysis. Shown are the RFU of culture supernatants at 4 h reaction time in 100 mM ammonium acetate, if not stated otherwise, 2 μ M StxSense 4, 44 °C, white reaction plate. (C, I and P) Cell viability of Vero cells was analyzed using MTT assay after inoculation with diluted bacterial culture supernatants (1:400) for 48 h: (C) STEC strains comprising different Stx subtypes, (I) most frequent serotypes. Data refer to the data shown in Fig. 4, (P) Verification of STEC strains not significantly tested within the STEC detection assay. The results are medians of triplicate samples (n = 3) of three independent experiments. Error bars represent standard deviation. Statistical analysis was performed by Mann-Whitney test (A, B, D-F, H, K, M, O) and unpaired, double-sided t test (C, I) (*, p < 0.05; **, p < 0.01; ***, p < 0.001), with results compared to those of EDL933 O157:H7 Δ *stx1/2*. RFU, Relative Fluorescent Unit; ns, not significant.

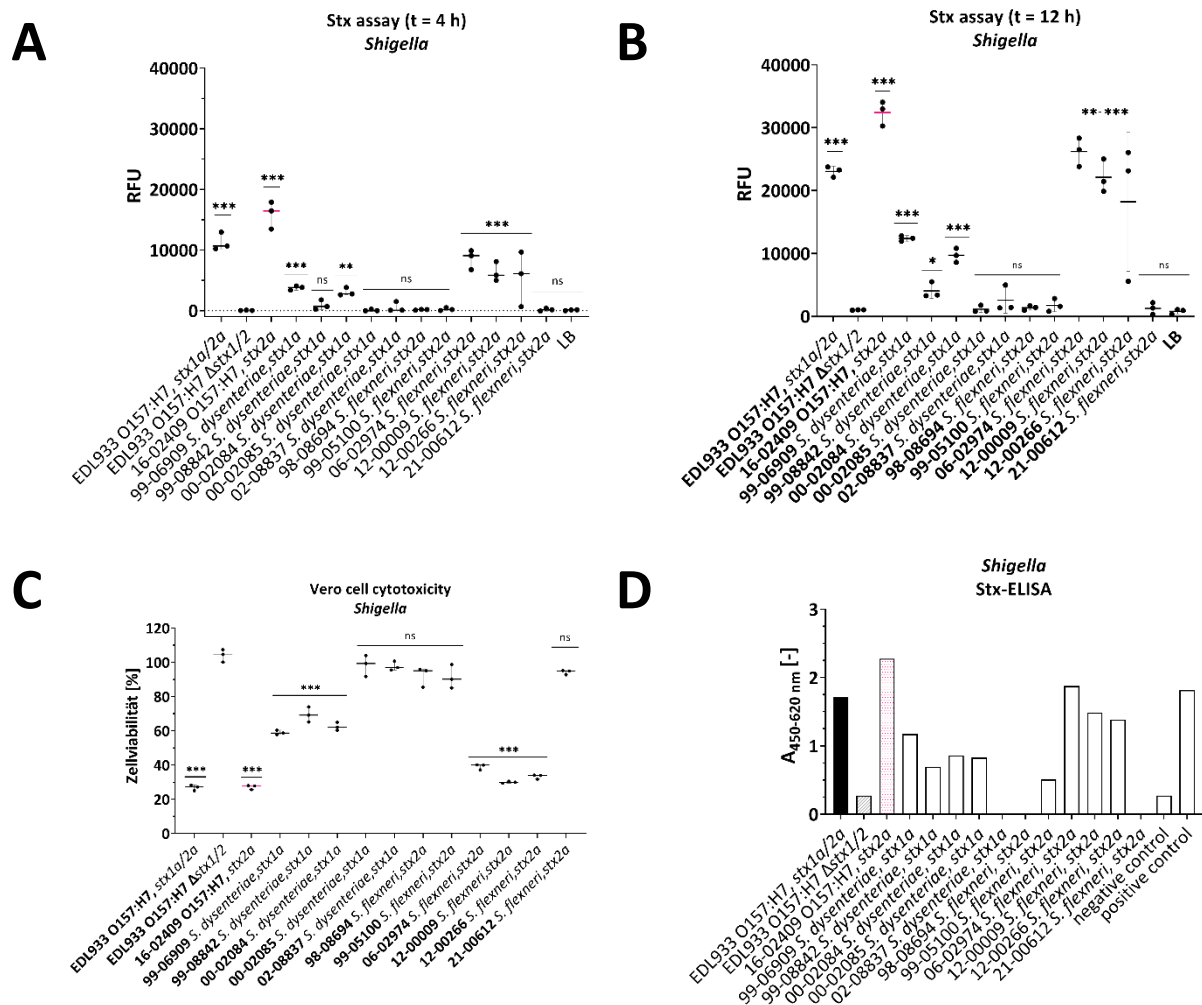
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Fig. S9. Statistics of Vero cell cytotoxicity assay and Stx activity assay for different *Shigella* strains. (A and B) Detected fluorescence of culture supernatants of different *Shigella* spp. strains and positive control EDL933 O157:H7, *stx1a/2a*, STEC strain 16-02409 O157:H7, *stx2a* and negative control EDL933 O157:H7 Δ *stx1/2* at (A) 4h and (B) 12 h. The assay was performed using 100 mM ammonium acetate, 2 μ M StxSense 4, 44 $^{\circ}$ C. (C) Cell viability of Vero cells was analyzed using MTT assay after inoculation with diluted bacterial culture supernatants (1:400) for 48 h. (D) Commercial Stx ELISA (R-Biopharm AG, Darmstadt, Germany) of culture supernatant (OD₆₀₀ of 3.0) from different *Shigella* strains detecting Stx1 and Stx2 (n = 1). All other results are medians of triplicate samples (n = 3) of three independent experiments. Error bars represent standard deviation. Statistical analysis was performed by Mann-Whitney test (A) and unpaired, double-sided t test (B) (*, p < 0.05; **, p < 0.01; ***, p < 0.001) with results compared to those of EDL933 O157:H7 Δ *stx1/2*. RFU, Relative Fluorescent Unit; ns, not significant.

Table S2: STEC strains used in the study (Ramming et al., xxx).

In total, 65 STEC strains were analyzed for Stx activity. The determined genome sequences were uploaded to the European Nucleotide Archive under the study Acc. No. PRIB832361 (Lang et al., 2019; Lang et al., 2023). The STEC serotype was determined using Whole Genome Analysis, classical serotyping or PCR-based serotyping (Scheut et al., 2012; Lang et al., 2019). *eaeA* presence was determined using Whole Genome Analysis or PCR-based serotyping (Schmidt et al., 1993; Lang et al., 2019). n.d., not determined; +, positive analysis test result; -, negative analysis test result; ns, not significant.

Strain No.	Year of isolation	O group	H type	MLST sequence type	Accession No.	stx1 subtype	stx2 subtype	eaeA	Reference	FRET assay supernatant	where to find?
1 EDL933	2001	157	7	11	GCF_000732965.1	stx1a	stx2a	+	Perna et al., 2001	+	pos control
2 EDL933 Δ stx1/z	2007	157	7	n.d.	-	-	-	+	Gobert et al., 2007	-	neg control
3 09-05281	2009	157	-/[7]	n.d.	n.d.	-	stx2a	+	This study	+	Fig. S8N
4 11-02027	2011	104	4	678	SAMN03168461	-	stx2a	-	Frank et al., 2011	+	Fig. S8N
5 15-04152	2015	26	11	29	ERS3396064 (SAMEA5591849)	-	stx2a	+	Lang et al., 2019	+	Fig. S8N
6 15-04722	2015	89	9	10	ERS3396066 (SAMEA5591851)	-	stx2e	-	Lang et al., 2019	n.s.	Fig. S8N
7 15-04750	2015	8	28	162	ERS3396067 (SAMEA5591852)	-	stx2e	-	Lang et al., 2019	+	Fig. S8N
8 16-00120	2016	113	4	10	ERS3396073 (SAMEA5591858)	stx1c	stx2b	-	Lang et al., 2019	+	Fig. S8L
9 16-00135	2016	113	4	10	ERS3396074 (SAMEA5591859)	stx1c	stx2b	-	Lang et al., 2019	+	Fig. S8G
10 16-00596	2016	104	7	1817	ERS3396083 (SAMEA5591868)	stx1c	-	-	Lang et al., 2019	+	Fig. S8I
11 16-00717	2016	82	4	10	ERS3396090 (SAMEA5591875)	-	stx2d	-	Lang et al., 2019	n.s.	Fig. S8N
12 16-01215	2016	8	19	88	ERS3396098 (SAMEA5591883)	-	stx2e	-	Lang et al., 2019	n.s.	Fig. S8N
13 16-01365	2016	8	19	201	ERS3396100 (SAMEA5591885)	-	stx2e	-	Lang et al., 2019	+	Fig. 4A/B
14 16-01506	2016	91	14	33	ERS3396103 (SAMEA5591888)	stx1a	-	-	Lang et al., 2019	+	Fig. S8J
15 16-02409	2016	157	7	11	ERS3396113 (SAMEA5591898)	-	stx2a	+	Lang et al., 2019	+	Fig. 2, 4C
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60 18-05988	2018	157	7	n.d.	n.d.	stx1a	stx2c	+	This study	+	Fig. S8L
61 18-07043	2018	121	9	n.d.	n.d.	-	stx2a	+	This study	+	Fig. S8N
62 19-01474	2019	91	14	n.d.	n.d.	stx1a	stx2b	-	This study	+	Fig. S8L
63 19-01776	2019	91	10	n.d.	n.d.	-	stx2d	-	This study	+	Fig. S8G
64 19-02060	2019	121	19	n.d.	n.d.	-	stx2a	+	This study	+	Fig. S8G
65 19-05180	2019	121	19	n.d.	n.d.	-	stx2a	+	This study	+	Fig. S8N
66 20-01044	2020	111	8	n.d.	n.d.	stx1a	-	+	This study	+	Fig. S8J

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Table S3: Other intestinal *E. coli* pathovar strains without Stx used in the study (Ramming et al., xxx).

The *E. coli* pathovar serotype was determined using Whole Genome Analysis, classical serotyping or PCR-based serotyping (Scheutz et al., 2012; Lang et al., 2019). *eaeA* presence was determined using Whole Genome Analysis or PCR-based serotyping (Schmidt et al., 1993; Lang et al., 2019). n.d., not determined; +, positive analysis test result; -, negative analysis test result.

	Strain no.	Year of isolation	Pheno-typic O group	Pheno-typic H type	pathovar	<i>eaeA</i>	Reference	FRET assay supernatant	where to find?	Vero cell cytotoxicity assay	where to find?
1	10-06644	2010	130	27	EAEC	n.d.	This study	-	Fig. S6E, F	-	Fig. S6I
2	16-01599-2	2016	68	18	EAEC	-	This study	-	Fig. S6E, F	-	Fig. S6I
3	01-05814	2001	127	6	EPEC	+	This study	-	Fig. S6E, F	-	Fig. S6I
4	18-07009-2	2018	Ont	-	EPEC	+	This study	-	Fig. S6E, F	-	Fig. S6I
5	18-07383-2	2018	Ont	-	EPEC	+	This study	-	Fig. S6E, F	-	Fig. S6I
6	14-05800-2	2014	96	19	EIEC	n.d.	This study	-	Fig. S6E, F	-	Fig. S6I
7	17-00120	2017	n.d.	n.d.	EIEC	n.d.	This study	-	Fig. S6E, F	-	Fig. S6I

Table S4: *Yersinia* and *Salmonella* strains used in the study (Ramming et al., xxx).

The species or serovar was determined using Whole Genome Analysis, classical serotyping or PCR-based serotyping (Lang et al., 2019). +, positive analysis test result; -, negative analysis test result.

Strain no.	Year of isolation	Species or serovar	Stx1 subtype	Stx2 subtype	Reference	FRET assay supernatant	where to find?	Vero cell cytotoxicity assay	where to find?
1 21-01148	2021	<i>Yersinia enterocolitica</i>	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J
2 21-01228	2021	<i>Yersinia enterocolitica</i>	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J
3 21-01304	2021	<i>Yersinia enterocolitica</i>	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J
4 21-01362	2021	<i>Yersinia enterocolitica</i>	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J
5 21-00139	2021	<i>Salmonella enterica</i> S. Typhimurium	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J
6 21-00776	2021	<i>Salmonella enterica</i> S. Typhimurium	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J
7 21-01538	2021	<i>Salmonella enterica</i> S. Enteritidis	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J
8 21-01653	2021	<i>Salmonella enterica</i> S. Virginia	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J
9 21-01797	2021	<i>Salmonella enterica</i> S. Infantis	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J
10 21-02318	2021	<i>Salmonella enterica</i> S. Enteritidis	-	-	This study	-	Fig. S6G, H	-	Fig. S6J

Table S4: *Shigella* strains used in the study (Ramming et al., xxx).

The species or serovar was determined using Whole Genome Analysis, classical serotyping or PCR-based serotyping (Lang et al., 2019). +, positive analysis test result; -, negative analysis test result.

Strain no.	Year of isolation	Species or serovar	Stx1 subtype	Stx2 subtype	Reference	FRET assay supernatant	where to find?	Vero cell cytotoxicity assay	where to find?	Stx ELISA	where to find?	
1	99-06909	1999	<i>Shigella dysenteriae</i>	stx1a	-	This study	+	Fig. S9A, B	+	Fig. S9C	+	Fig. S9D
2	99-08842	1999	<i>Shigella dysenteriae</i>	stx1a	-	This study	+	Fig. S9A, B	+	Fig. S9C	+	Fig. S9D
3	00-02084	2000	<i>Shigella dysenteriae</i>	stx1a	-	This study	+	Fig. S9A, B	+	Fig. S9C	+	Fig. S9D
4	00-02085	2000	<i>Shigella dysenteriae</i>	stx1a	-	This study	-	Fig. S9A, B	-	Fig. S9C	+	Fig. S9D
5	02-08837	2002	<i>Shigella dysenteriae</i>	stx1a	-	This study	-	Fig. S9A, B	-	Fig. S9C	-	Fig. S9D
6	98-08694	1998	<i>Shigella flexneri</i>	-	stx2a	This study	-	Fig. S9A, B	-	Fig. S9C	-	Fig. S9D
7	99-05100	1999	<i>Shigella flexneri</i>	-	stx2a	This study	-	Fig. S9A, B	-	Fig. S9C	+	Fig. S9D
8	06-02974	2006	<i>Shigella flexneri</i>	-	stx2a	This study	+	Fig. S9A, B	+	Fig. S9C	+	Fig. S9D
9	12-00009	2012	<i>Shigella flexneri</i>	-	stx2a	This study	+	Fig. S9A, B	+	Fig. S9C	+	Fig. S9D
10	12-00266	2012	<i>Shigella flexneri</i>	-	stx2a	This study	+	Fig. S9A, B	+	Fig. S9C	+	Fig. S9D
11	21-00612	2021	<i>Shigella flexneri</i>	-	stx2a	This study	-	Fig. S9A, B	-	Fig. S9C	-	Fig. S9D

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Western blot analysis. STEC culture supernatants or cell lysates were electrophoretically separated on a 15 % SDS-polyacrylamide gel. Proteins were transferred to a methanol (99.9 %, Carl Roth GmbH, Karlsruhe, Germany)-activated nitrocellulose membrane (Merck Millipore; Darmstadt, Germany). The membrane was then blocked in 5 % milk (in TBS-T, Sigma-Aldrich, Darmstadt, Germany) at 4 °C overnight. Primary monoclonal mouse antibodies against Stx1 (MBS5307327; MyBioSource Inc., San Diego, USA) or Stx2 (VT 135/6-B9; Sifin, Berlin, Germany) were added at a dilution of 1:1,000 for 3 h. StarBright Blue 520 Conjugated Goat Anti-Mouse Fluorescent Secondary Antibodies (Bio-Rad Laboratories; Feldkirchen, Germany) were used as secondary antibody at a dilution of 1:50,000 for 1 h. Stx was detected by fluorescence at 520 nm (ChemiDoc MP, Bio-Rad Laboratories, StarBright 520 channel).

Vero cell cytotoxicity assay. Toxicity of Stx towards Vero cells was determined as described previously (Roberts et al., 2001) with modifications. Prior to addition of culture supernatants, 1×10^5 Vero cells/mL were seeded into a 96 well-plate (Greiner Bio-One; Kremsmünster, Austria) and were incubated for 24h at 37 °C and 5 % CO₂. Culture supernatants were diluted 1:400 in DMEM with 10 % FBS and 200 µL were added to each well and incubated for 48 h at 37 °C and under 5 % CO₂. After incubation, the cells were washed with 1× PBS and 100 µL 1-(4,5-Dimethylthiazol-2-yl)-3,5-diphenylformazan (MTT; 0.5 mg/mL in PBS; Sigma) were added for 1 h. After removal, 100 µL acidified isopropanol (isopropanol with 4 % v/v HCl, 32 %) were added. The absorption at 570 nm was photometrically measured at 570 nm (Tecan Infinite M-1000 Pro; Tecan, Suisse) (Mosmann, 1983). The proportion of damaged to viable cells (viability, in %) was calculated using mean absorbance of sample/mean absorbance of Vero cell control × 100.

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