

Table S1 Fold change in the expression levels of inflammatory genes in Caco-2 cells induced by *C. sakazakii* in the presence and absence of citral.

Target gene	Relative gene expression at			
	CK	0 µg/mL	5 µg/mL	10 µg/mL
<i>GAPDH</i>	1	1	1	1
<i>TLR4</i>	1 a	1.18±0.04 a	0.53±0.12 b	0.26±0.12 c
<i>IL-6</i>	1 b	6.75±1.38 a	0.70±0.05 b	0.60±0.11 b
<i>IL-1β</i>	1 b	2.96±0.10 a	2.62±0.03 a	1.38±0.19 b
<i>TNF-α</i>	1 c	3.30±0.16 a	1.77±0.21 b	1.39±0.14 bc
<i>iNOS</i>	1 b	1.36±0.07 a	0.82±0.04 bc	0.59±0.02 c
<i>MAPK</i>	1 a	1.07±0.05 a	0.89±0.14 a	0.70±0.02 b
<i>NF-κB</i>	1 bc	2.16±0.45 a	1.60±0.16 ab	0.84±0.08 c