Figure S3  Cross-species complementation using *C. neoformans* PUT2 partially restored the proline utilization ability of the *S. cerevisiae* put2Δ mutant. Tenfold spot dilution assays for nitrogen source utilization showed that *C. neoformans* PUT2 complemented the *S. cerevisiae* put2Δ mutant’s proline assimilation defect, albeit to a poorer extent than an *S. cerevisiae* PUT2. On the other hand, neither *C. neoformans* PUT1 or PUT5 restored the proline utilization defect of the *S. cerevisiae* put1Δ strain.