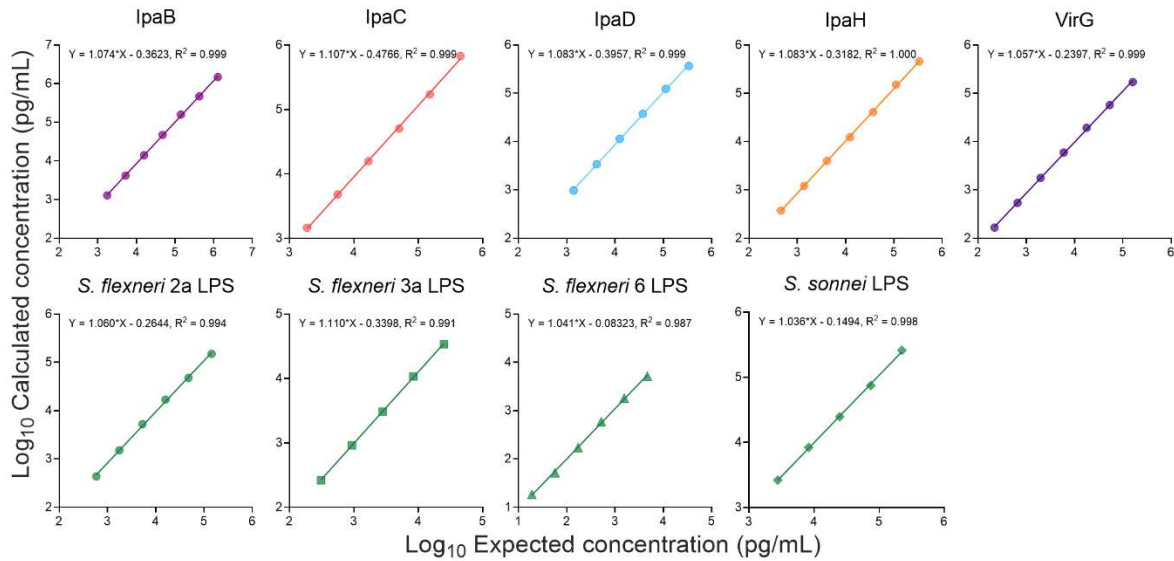
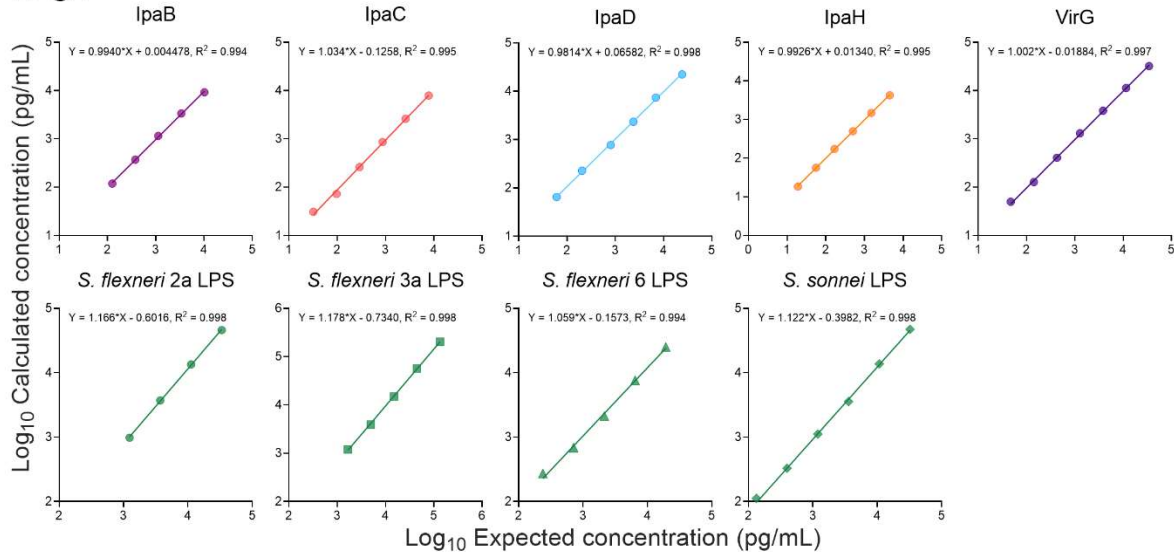


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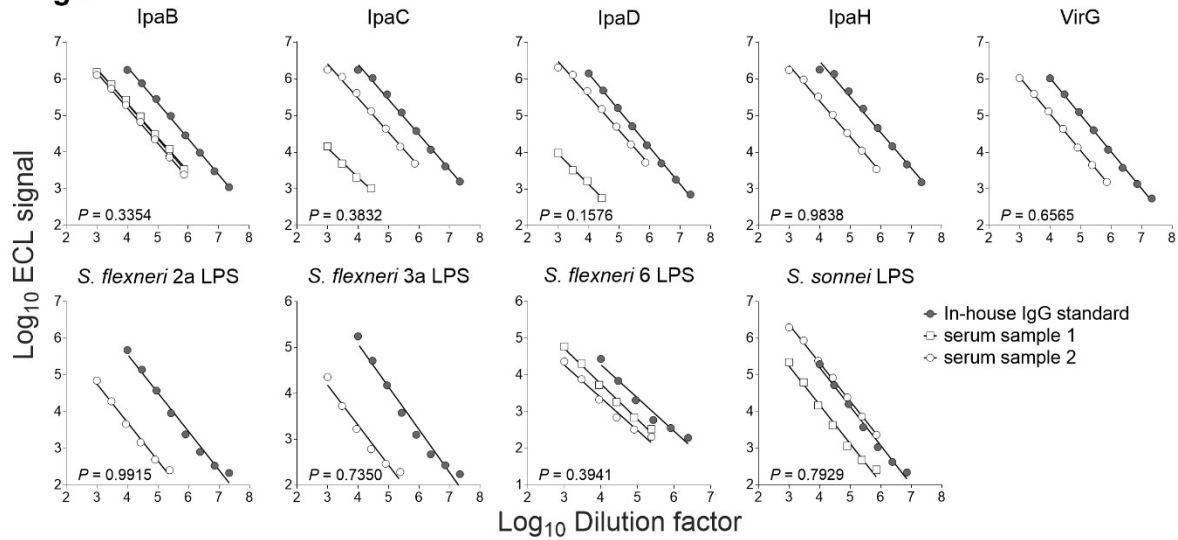


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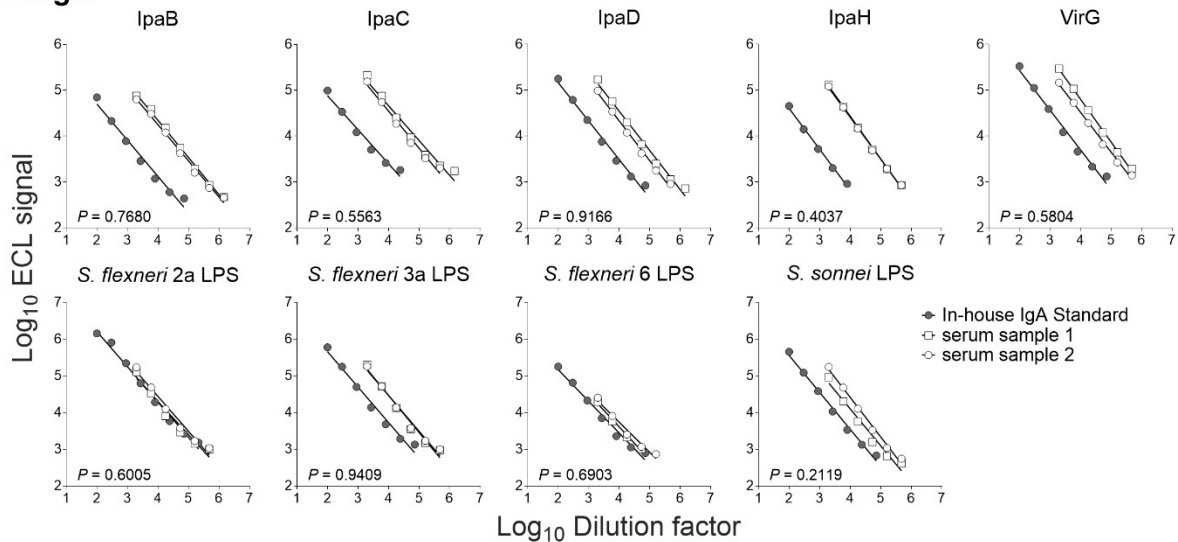


**Figure S1. Assay linearity.** Representative mock samples generated by dilution of pooled serum controls in negative serum were tested in the MSD IgG (A) and IgA (B) assay. Log-transformed calculated (y-axis) vs expected (x-axis) antibody concentrations at each dilution were compared. Linear regression curves with the equation and  $R^2$  values for each antigen are shown.

## A. IgG



## B. IgA



**Figure S2. Parallelism.** The in-house standards and 2 serum samples from different donors were tested in three-fold serial dilutions in the MSD IgG (A) and IgA (B) assays. Log-transformed ECL signals were plotted against the dilution factor; linear regression curves are shown for each sample in each graph. Comparisons between the lines showed that the slopes were not significantly different ( $P > 0.05$ ).

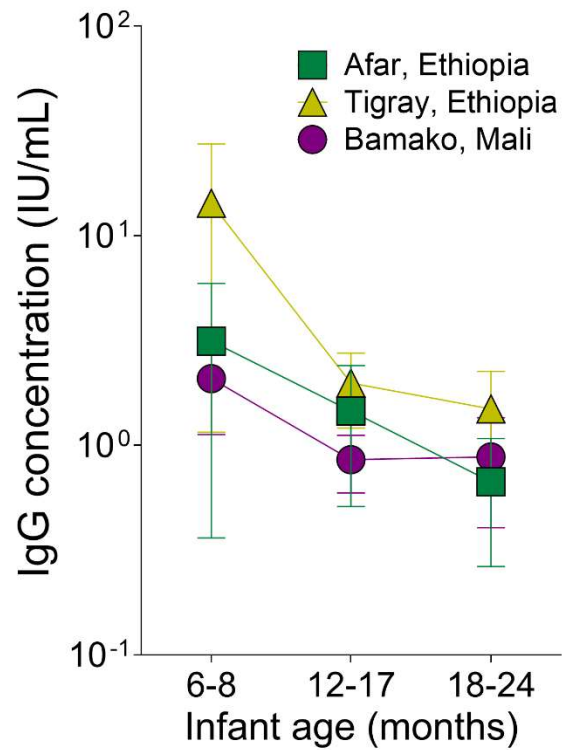
**Table S1. Adult cohort characteristics**

	Year samples collected	Age range	Sex (M/F)	n
USA (cohort 1) <sup>1</sup>	1993	18-40 years	26/2	28
USA (cohort 2)	2015	22-62 years	14/31	45
Mali <sup>2</sup>	2011	15-39 years	0/18	18
Malawi <sup>3</sup>	2016	17-43 years	0/18	83

<sup>1</sup>Kotloff et al., 1995. Evaluation of the safety, immunogenicity, and efficacy in healthy adults of four doses of live oral hybrid *Escherichia coli*- *Shigella flexneri* 2a vaccine strain EcSf2a-2. Vaccine 13:495-502.

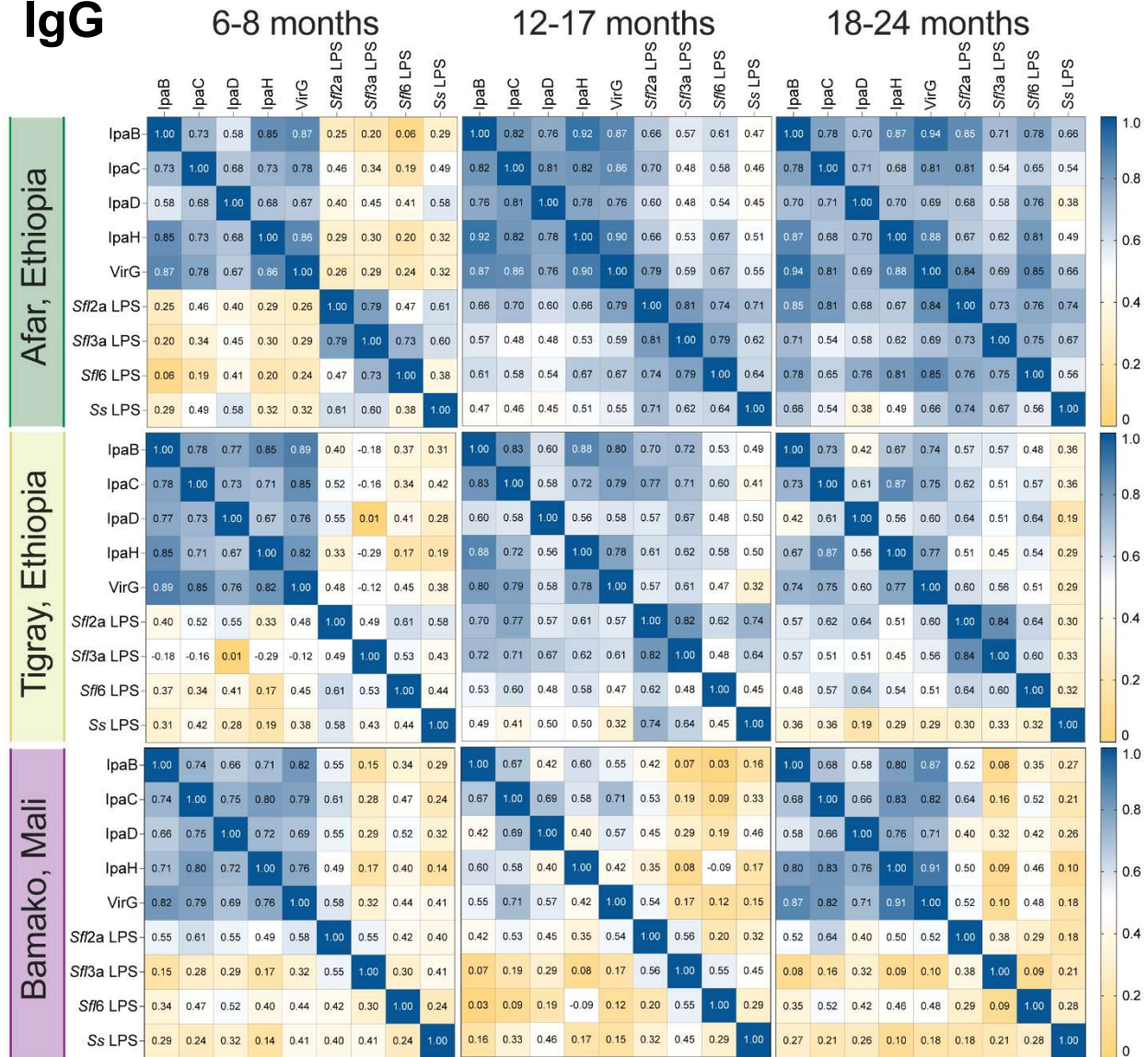
<sup>2</sup>Tapia et al., 2016. Maternal immunisation with trivalent inactivated influenza vaccine for prevention of influenza in infants in Mali: a prospective, active-controlled, observer-blind, randomised phase 4 trial. Lancet Infect Dis doi:10.1016/S1473-3099(16)30054-8. doi:10.1016/S1473-3099(16)30054-8

<sup>3</sup>Ndungo et al., 2021. Repertoire of Naturally Acquired Maternal Antibodies Transferred to Infants for Protection Against Shigellosis. Front Immunol 12:725129. doi:10.3389/fimmu.2021.725129



**Figure S3. Age-stratified distribution of mean tetanus toxoid IgG in children <2 years of age.** Mean IgG antibody levels in infants and toddlers representing three age groups (6-8, 12-17, and 18-24 months) living in three regions: Afar (square) and Tigray (triangle), Ethiopia and Bamako (circle), Mali.

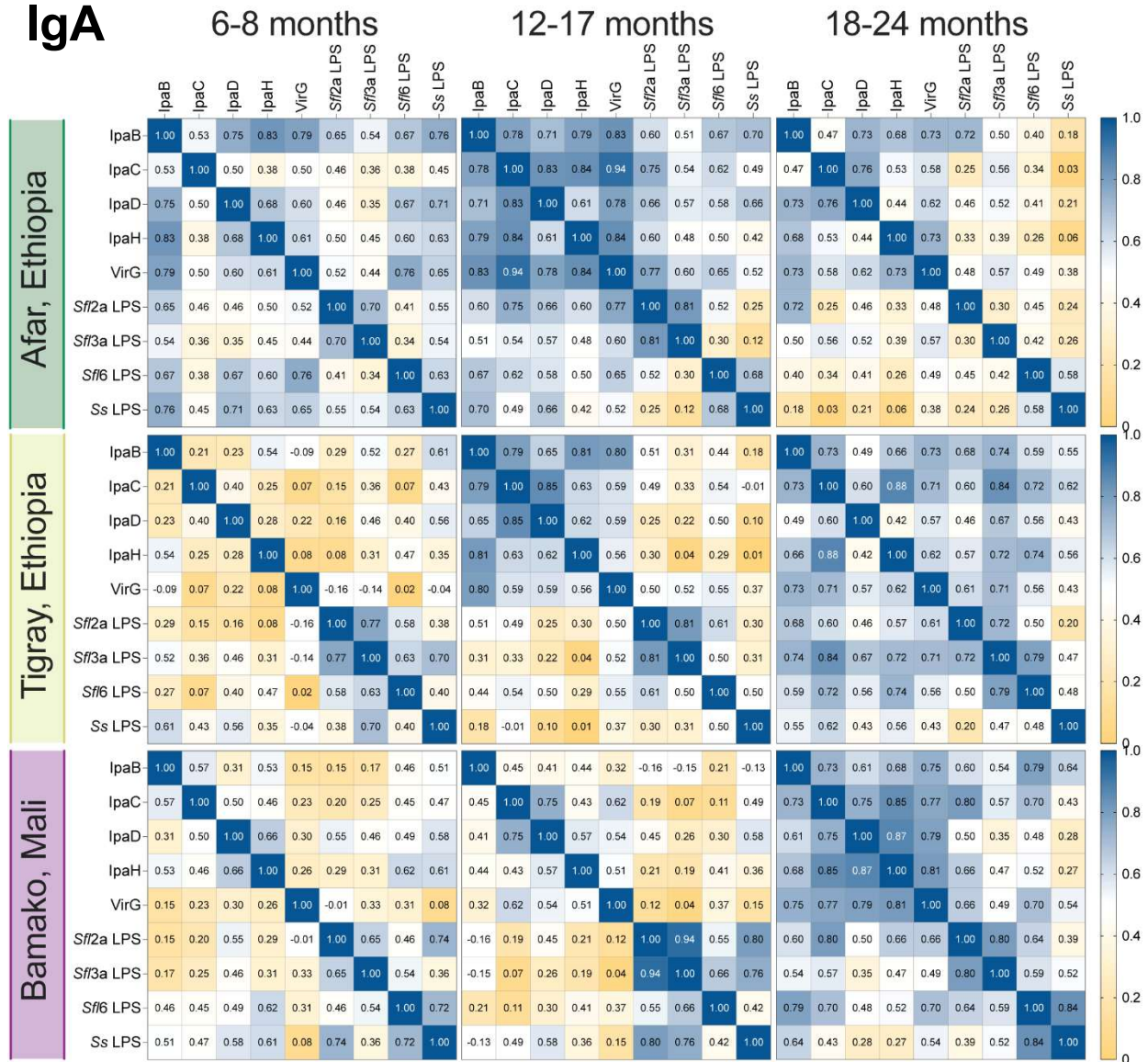
IgG



**Figure S4. *Shigella* antigen-specific IgG correlations by age group and site.** Heatmaps displaying correlations between antigen-specific IgG responses among children in Afar, Tigray, and Bamako. Spearman's correlation values are indicated in each cell.



# IgA



**Figure S5. *Shigella* antigen-specific IgA correlations by age group and site.** Heatmaps displaying correlations between antigen-specific IgA responses among children in Afar, Tigray, and Bamako. Spearman's correlation values are indicated in each cell.