

Supplementary data

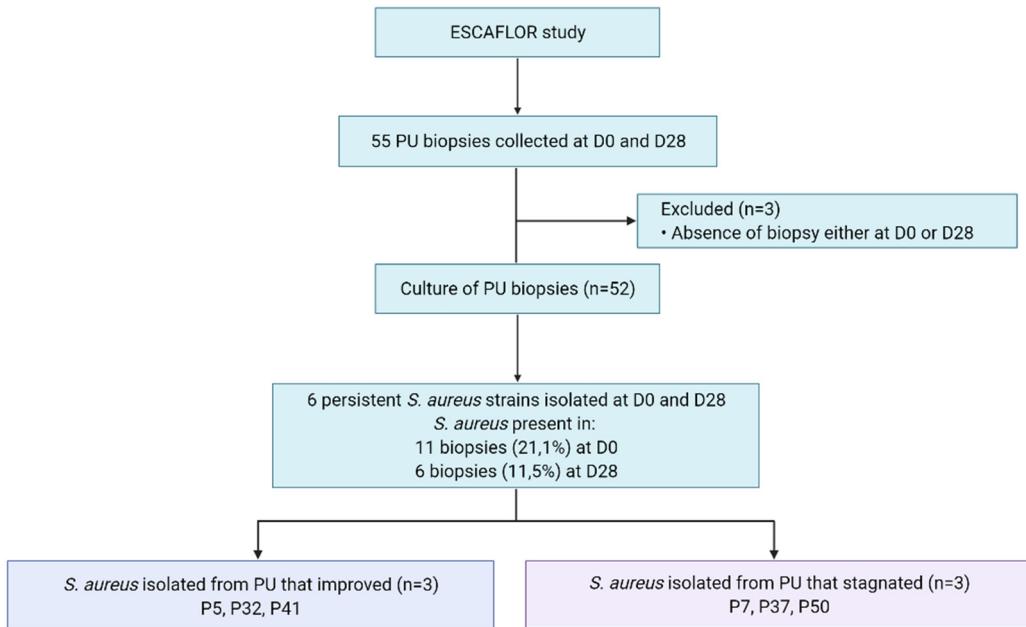


Figure S1: Flow chart of the ESCAFLOR Study.

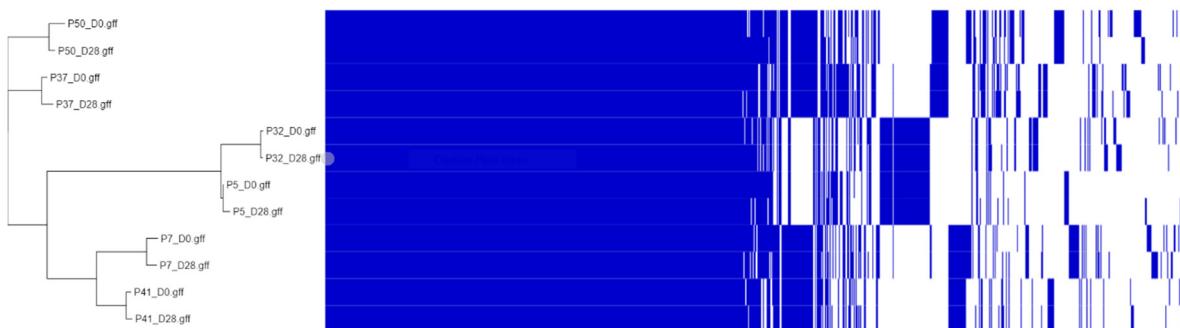


Figure S2: Genome-wide representation of the 12 studied *S. aureus* strains isolated from pressure ulcers at D0 and D28.

Table S1: Summary of the Whole Genome Sequencing bio-informatic analysis.

| Feature | Genome size (bp) | Number contigs | G+C Content (%) | Number CDS | Reference sequence used for consensus (GenBank Accession Number) | GenBank Accession Number |
|---------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|--|--------------------------|
| P5 D0 | 2,709,192 | 75 | 32.81 | 2585 | NC_017673.1 | CP076568 |
| P5 D28 | 2,710,927 | 69 | 32.81 | 2585 | | |
| P7 D0 | 2,800,844 | 68 | 32.62 | 2710 | | CP076719- |
| P7 D28 | 2,800,339 | 78 | 32.62 | 2707 | CP007657.1 | CP076720 |
| P32 D0 | 2,676,228 | 63 | 32.78 | 2524 | | |
| P32 D28 | 2,679,349 | 69 | 32.77 | 2533 | NZ_CP040230.2 | CP076567 |
| P37 D0 | 2,754,646 | 42 | 32.73 | 2625 | | CP077199- |
| P37 D28 | 2,754,500 | 46 | 32.73 | 2625 | CP007657.1 | CP077200 |
| P41 D0 | 2,695,301 | 102 | 32.66 | 2540 | | |
| P41 D28 | 2,695,171 | 116 | 32.66 | 2560 | CP026068.1 | CP076565 |
| P50 D0 | 2,816,720 | 67 | 32.75 | 2732 | | |
| P50 D28 | 2,803,529 | 63 | 32.75 | 2704 | CP030547.1 | CP076564 |

Table S2: Growth profiles of *S. aureus* strains isolated from pressures ulcers at D0 and D28.

Ym (maximum absorbance), Y0 (initial absorbance), K (lag time, h-1), 1/K (inflection point, h), and the extrapolated linear equation of the exponential phase.

| | Y0 | Ym | K (h⁻¹) | 1/K (h) | Y = ax + b (r²) |
|---------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| P5 D0 | 0.141 (0.104 ; 0.181) | 1.414 (1.388 ; 1.440) | 0.215 (0.193 ; 0.240) | 4.648 (4.172 ; 5.175) | y = 0.106x + 0.115 (1) |
| P5 D28 | 0.135 (0.100 ; 0.172) | 1.383 (1.359 ; 1.409) | 0.214 (0.193 ; 0.237) | 4.675 (4.212 ; 5.186) | y = 0.104x + 0.106 (1) |
| P7 D0 | 0.133 (0.099 ; 0.171) | 1.390 (1.357 ; 1.426) | 0.165 (0.147 ; 0.184) | 6.071 (5.434 ; 6.792) | y = 0.082x + 0.087 (1) |
| P7 D28 | 0.148 (0.100 ; 0.200) | 1.401 (1.359 ; 1.446) | 0.175 (0.150 ; 0.203) | 5.732 (4.925 ; 6.676) | y = 0.086x + 0.122 (1) |
| P32 D0 | 0.127 (0.096 ; 0.161) | 1.302 (1.280 ; 1.325) | 0.219 (0.199 ; 0.242) | 4.565 (4.140 ; 5.031) | y = 0.099x + 0.103 (1) |
| P32 D28 | 0.117 (0.088 ; 0.149) | 1.273 (1.252 ; 1.295) | 0.219 (0.199 ; 0.241) | 4.566 (4.149 ; 5.021) | y = 0.097x + 0.086 (1) |
| P37 D0 | 0.128 (0.102 ; 0.156) | 1.408 (1.388 ; 1.430) | 0.204 (0.188 ; 0.221) | 4.905 (4.526 ; 5.314) | y = 0.103x + 0.079 (1) |
| P37 D28 | 0.131 (0.105 ; 0.158) | 1.404 (1.384 ; 1.425) | 0.202 (0.187 ; 0.218) | 4.950 (4.581 ; 5.348) | y = 0.101x + 0.085 (1) |
| P41 D0 | 0.123 (0.0898 ; 0.160) | 1.347 (1.318 ; 1.378) | 0.188 (0.168 ; 0.210) | 5.321 (4.766 ; 5.941) | y = 0.081x + 0.092 (1) |
| P41 D28 | 0.124 (0.084 ; 0.169) | 1.383 (1.351 ; 1.418) | 0.206 (0.181 ; 0.236) | 4.843 (4.245 ; 5.518) | y = 0.102x + 0.077 (1) |
| P50 D0 | 0.177 (0.132 ; 0.226) | 1.409 (1.372 ; 1.450) | 0.174 (0.152 ; 0.199) | 5.758 (5.034 ; 6.595) | y = 0.084x + 0.175 (1) |
| P50 D28 | 0.196 (0.140 ; 0.257) | 1.506 (1.464 ; 1.552) | 0.184 (0.158 ; 0.215) | 5.422 (4.660 ; 6.314) | y = 0.092x + 0.241 (1) |