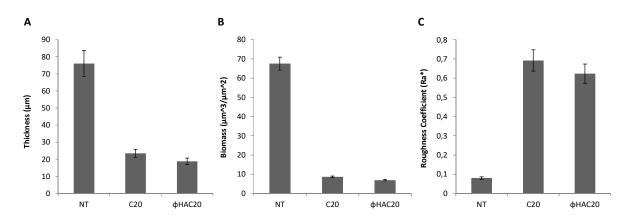
## The union is strength: the synergic action of long fatty acids and a bacteriophage against *Xanthomonas* campestris biofilm

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**Figure S1** COMSTAT quantitative analysis of average thickness (A), biomass (B) and roughness coefficient (C) of *Xanthomonas campestris* pv. *campestris* biofilms formed in dynamic conditions in absence and in presence of the C20:0 and the complex  $\phi$ HA+C20.

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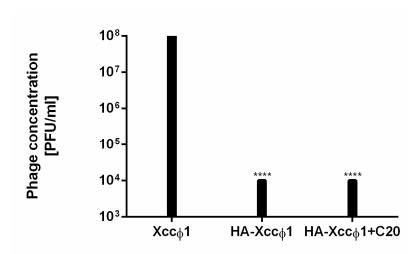
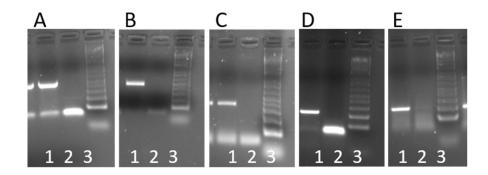


Figure S2 Analysis of the capacity of the HA to binding Xcc $\phi$ 1 with or without C20:0. Each value is the mean  $\pm$  DS of 3 independent experiments. Statistical analysis was performed with the absorbance compared to the untreated control and considered statistically significant when p < 0.05 (\*p < 0.05, \*\*p < 0.01, \*\*\*p < 0.001, \*\*\*\*p < 0.0001) according to Two Way Anova Multiple comparisons.



**Figure S3** PCR controls. 1) amplification on DNA to assess the primers functionality; 2) amplification using extracted mRNA as template to verify the absence of genomic DNA in the mRNA preparation; 3) Marker (A) *clp*; (B) *manA*; (C) *rpfF*; (D); *rpoD*.

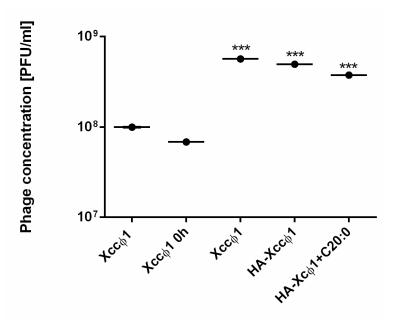


Figure S4 Analysis of phage concentration on the Xcc biofilm before (0h) and after 6h of treatment with: phage alone (108 PFU/mL), the phage with the HA (108 PFU/mL, and 100 mg/mL, respectively) and the complex HA-Xcc $\phi$ 1 and C20:0. Each value is the mean  $\pm$  DS of 3 independent experiments. Statistical analysis was performed with the phage concentration after the treatment compared to the phage concentration and considered statistically significant when p < 0.05 (\*p < 0.05, \*\*p < 0.01, \*\*\*p < 0.001, \*\*\*p < 0.001) according to Two Way Anova Multiple comparisons.