

Supplementary Table S1. List of RT-PCR primers

| Primer* | Sequence (5'-3') |
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| A 101-82 | GGCTAGCGCCTCCACCCTTTCTCTCAA |
| B 5141-5121 | CTTAACAGGGAAGAATCCATG |
| C 4969-4950 | TGGAGCAGGATGTAAAGGTA |
| D 4230-4247 | GCCCAGCACACATGTGTC |
| E 2831-2853 | GTATCTGAGACTTGGGAAGAGCA |
| F 2645-2665 | CGGATCCTGCTTTAAACAGGTGCTTTTA |
| FLAGT | GCAAAAATGGATAAAGTT <u>GATTACAAGGATGACGACGATAAGCTTAACAGG</u> GAAGAATCC† |

*Numbering of primers is based on the Dunlop strain, GenBank accession number V01108.

†Underlined sequence indicates the position of the FLAG tag.