Suppl Fig. 1



Supl Fig. 1: Changes in expression by RT-qPCR of type I, II and III IFN genes in tadpole PLs during infection with $\Delta 52L$ - or $\Delta 64R$ -FV3 compared to WT-FV3. Outbred premetamorphic tadpoles (10-6 individuals per group) were infected by i.p. injection of 1 x10⁴ PFU of each virus type for 2 and 6 days (dpi). Results are average ± SEM fold increase relative to uninfected controls. **; P <0.001 and *; P <0.05 significant differences between WT- and KO-FV3 using one-way ANOVA test and Tukey's post hoc test.

Supplementary Fig. 2



Supl Fig. 2: Changes in expression by RT-PCR of type I, II and III IFN genes in tadpole PLs during infection with Δ 18K-FV3 compared to WT-FV3. Outbred pre-metamorphic tadpoles (10-6 individuals per group) were infected by i.p. injection of 1 x10⁴ PFU of each virus type for 2 and 6 days (dpi). Results are average ± SEM fold increase relative to uninfected controls. **; P <0.001 and *; P <0.05 significant differences between WT- and KO-FV3 using one-way ANOVA test and Tukey's post hoc test.

Suppl Fig. 3

Kidney Viral Load in Adults at 6 dpi



Viral loads in kidneys of adult *X. laevis* at 6 days post-infection. Outbred adult frogs were infected by i.p. injection of 1 x10⁶ PFU of WT- or Δ 18-FV3 and FV3 genome copy numbers in PLs, kidneys at 6 dpi were determined by absolute qPCR using primers specific for FV3 vDNA Pol II. Results are means ± SE of genome copy number/100m of genomic DNA of 6 to animals per group. *; P <0.05 significant differences between WT and Δ 18K-FV3 using one-way ANOVA test and Tukey's post hoc test.