

Supplementary Table 1. Mean \pm s.e.m. number of sequences per sample type.

	Foregut	Stomach	Small Int.	Cecum	Large Int.	Feces
PEPO	1200 \pm 303	1111 \pm 219	1154 \pm 310	1665 \pm 136	1934 \pm 226	2281 \pm 550
PEMA	1540 \pm 239	1498 \pm 564	1756 \pm 513	2679 \pm 389	2042 \pm 286	2594 \pm 183
PELE	1335 \pm 68	1191 \pm 232	1358 \pm 289	2084 \pm 133	2142 \pm 199	2475 \pm 212
PEER	2473 \pm 683	1693 \pm 623	2238 \pm 699	1982 \pm 226	2601 \pm 581	2943 \pm 217
PECA	1056 \pm 202	1068 \pm 252	1285 \pm 331	1683 \pm 116	1784 \pm 248	1695 \pm 92
NELE	2980 \pm 590	498 \pm 203	4104 \pm 818	5220 \pm 71	5395 \pm 239	4046 \pm 868
MUMU	1564 \pm 541	2674 \pm 921	3786 \pm 1177	7685 \pm 948	7228 \pm 499	8577 \pm 518