

1 **Title: Dynamics of the gut microbiota in developmental stages of *Litopenaeus***  
2 ***vannamei* reveal its association with body weight**

3 **Running title: Gut microbiota in developmental stages of *Litopenaeus vannamei***

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24 **Table S1 Primers and barcodes used in this study**

#SampleID	BarcodeSequence	LinkerPrimerSequence	Body length	Body weight
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25 **Table S3. Fifty-eight OTUs consisted of OTU-level phylogenetic core in shrimp gut**

26 **microbiota**

OTU ID	Phylum	Genus	Proportion in total sequences (%)
OTU144	Firmicutes	unclassified_Bacteria	19.49
OTU1178	Firmicutes	unclassified_Bacteria	2.32

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OTU1197	Firmicutes	unclassified_Firmicutes	2.20
OTU1165	Firmicutes	Allobaculum	1.59
OTU699	Firmicutes	unclassified_Bacteria	0.45
OTU577	Firmicutes	Lactobacillus	0.35
OTU1150	Firmicutes	Lactobacillus	0.28
OTU117	Firmicutes	unclassified_Lachnospiraceae	0.12
OTU400	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Vibrionaceae	15.73
OTU1171	Proteobacteria	Vibrio	3.87
OTU520	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	1.46
OTU1164	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	1.26
OTU1220	Proteobacteria	Vibrio	1.20
OTU1156	Proteobacteria	Escherichia/Shigella	1.07
OTU1166	Proteobacteria	Pseudoalteromonas	0.96
OTU369	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.86
OTU1198	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.85
OTU1184	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.76
OTU1172	Proteobacteria	Pelagicola	0.74
OTU1155	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.71
OTU566	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.61
OTU528	Proteobacteria	Aliiroseovarius	0.60
OTU1000	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.55
OTU109	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.50
OTU1240	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.27
OTU814	Proteobacteria	Vibrio	0.25
OTU160	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.23
OTU1127	Proteobacteria	Halioglobus	0.22
OTU1163	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Alphaproteobacteria	0.20
OTU1159	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.19
OTU770	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.19
OTU1199	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.19
OTU640	Proteobacteria	Halioglobus	0.18
OTU1185	Proteobacteria	Haliea	0.17
OTU1129	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Gammaproteobacteria	0.16
OTU408	Proteobacteria	Sulfitobacter	0.13
OTU1194	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Alphaproteobacteria	0.12
OTU1186	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Oceanospirillales	0.11
OTU253	Proteobacteria	Paracoccus	0.07
OTU889	Proteobacteria	unclassified_Rhodobacteraceae	0.06
OTU637	Bacteroidetes	Prevotella	4.12
OTU790	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Flavobacteriaceae	3.65
OTU1133	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Flavobacteriaceae	2.16
OTU726	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Flavobacteriaceae	0.86
OTU1139	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Flavobacteriaceae	0.86
OTU1212	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Flavobacteriaceae	0.54

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OTU1193	Bacteroidetes	Tenacibaculum	0.52
OTU1167	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Porphyrimonadaceae	0.45
OTU1238	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Porphyrimonadaceae	0.40
OTU571	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Flavobacteriaceae	0.38
OTU257	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Porphyrimonadaceae	0.34
OTU1145	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Flavobacteriaceae	0.34
OTU791	Bacteroidetes	unclassified_Flavobacteriaceae	0.12
OTU1196	Verrucomicrobia	Haloferula	4.07
OTU1187	Verrucomicrobia	Haloferula	2.58
OTU245	Verrucomicrobia	unclassified_Verrucomicrobiaceae	0.06
OTU423	Actinobacteria	Bifidobacterium	1.07
OTU1181	Actinobacteria	unclassified_Actinomycetales	0.08
Core OTUs			83.90

27 # OTU ID marked with green color means that their abundance higher than 1% in at least 5  
 28 samples and they are core OTUs as well.

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32 **Table S4. The alpha diversity (Shannon index) of shrimp gut microbiota in each group**  
 33 **on average.**

Items	W1	W2	W3	W4	W5	W6	W7	W8
NC (Shannon index)	4.24	4.02	4.96	3.69	3.85	5.56	5.48	5.38
KM (Shannon index)	4.16	3.46	3.99	4.55	5.16	2.92	4.57	5.41
NC (observed species)	243	224	295	240	280	302	343	326
KM (observed species)	244	218	261	299	383	239	349	339

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40 **Table S5. Gut microbiota showed significantly diverged in weeks 6 and 7 between two**  
 41 **groups**

Items	Bray Curtis ( $P^a$ -value)	Weighted UniFrac ( $P^b$ -value)
NW1 VS. KW1	0.7196	0.7315



NW2 VS. KW2	0.5353	0.5988
NW3 VS. KW3	0.3248	0.4723
NW4 VS. KW4	0.4706	0.7851
NW5 VS. KW5	0.3248	0.5526
NW6 VS. KW6	0.0008 ***	0.0008 ***
NW7 VS. KW7	0.0088 **	0.0088 **
NW8 VS. KW8	0.3270	0.5526

42 a: PERMANOVA test based on Bray-Curtis distance of samples followed by FDR adjustment.

43 b: PERMANOVA test based on weighted UniFrac distance of samples followed by FDR  
44 adjustment.

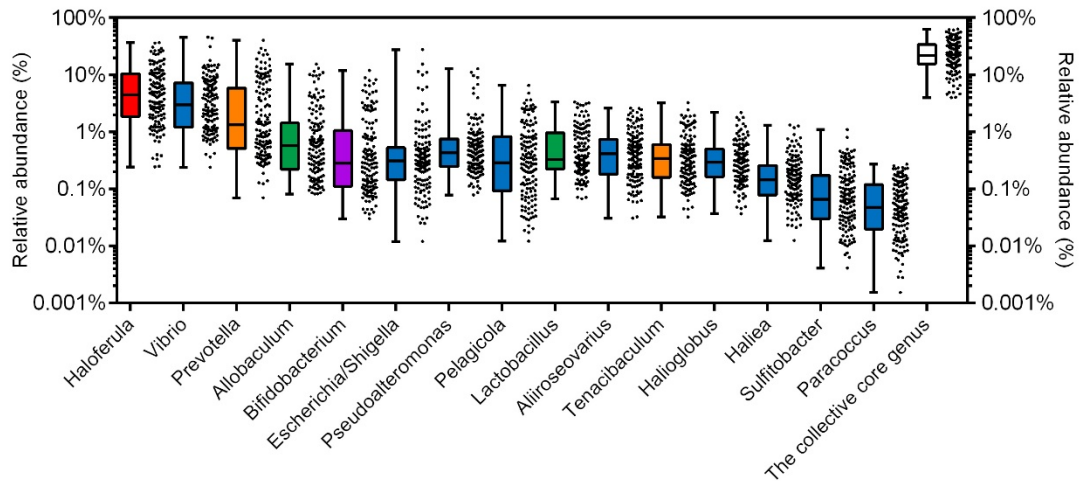
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46 **Table S6 Compositions of the two feeds used in our study.**

Composition(g/1000g)	NC group	KM group	CP	H <sub>2</sub> O	CL
Fermented soybean meal	50	50	45	14	1.5
Kelp powder	20	20	14	10	1
Peeled cardamom	80	80	46	13	1.5
Peanut bran	100	70	50	7	5
Spray dried pig blood cell powder	10	10	92	6	1
Steam carp fish meal	320	230	65	9	8
High-gluten flour	250	250	14	13	
Yeast	25	25	45	8	2
Sepia cream	20	20	35	35	18
Calcium dihydrogen phosphate	15	15		5	
Soybean phospholipid oil	15	15		0.5	99
Fish oil	25	25		0.5	99
Chicken powder	50	50	62	10	15
Krill powder		120	62	10	8
Shrimp multidimensional	4	4	50	5	
Shrimp multi-mine	4	4		5	
Choline chloride	3.5	3.5	50	5	
VC ester	1	1	50	5	
Salt	1.5	1.5		2	
Chinese herbal medicine	6	6	50	10	1
Total	1000.0	1000.0		173	

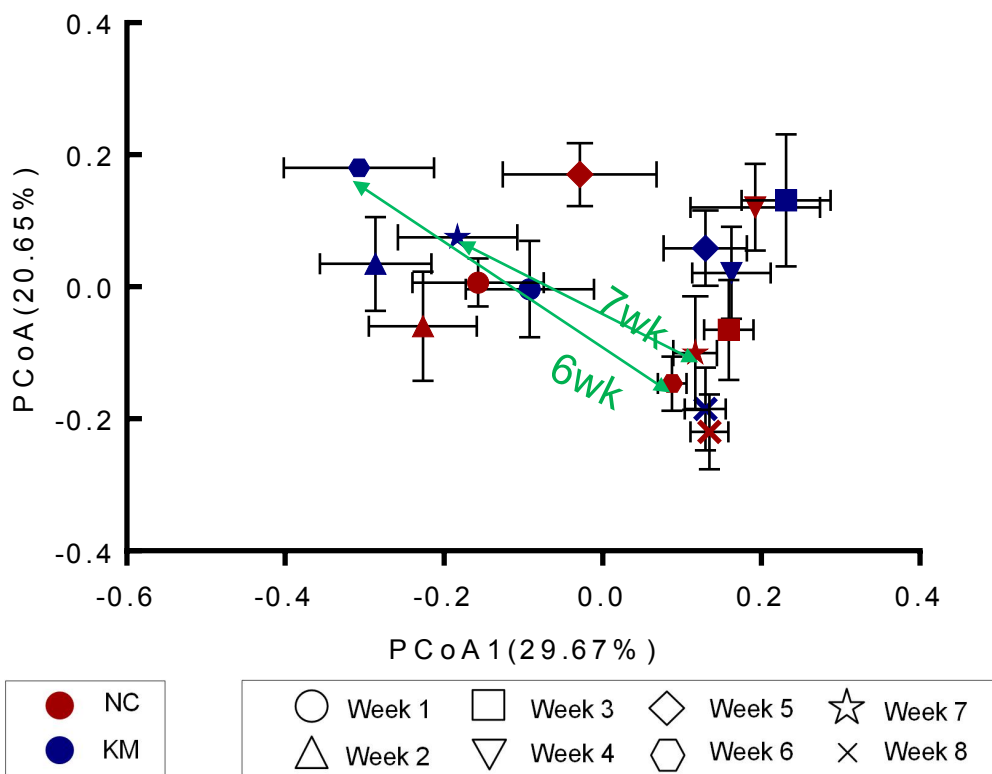
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50 **Figure S1. The shrimps share a core gut microbiota composed of 15 bacterial genera.** Boxes  
 51 represent the interquartile range (IQR) between the first and third quartiles. The lines represent the  
 52 median. Whiskers denote the lowest and highest values within  $1.5 \times$  IQR from the first and third  
 53 quartiles, respectively. Different colors represent different phyla (blue: Proteobacteria, green:



54 Firmicutes; orange: Bacteroidetes red: Verrucomicrobia; purple: Actinobacteria; ).

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56 **Figure S2. PCoA plot based on Bray-Curtis distance.** Each point represents the mean principal  
 57 coordinate (PC) score of all shrimps in a group at one time point, and the error bar means the  
 58 s.e.m.

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