## **Supplementary Materials**



**Figure S1** Structural comparisons of (**A**) methylated nsp10 (magenta), nsp10 (cyan), and truncated nsp10 (green) and (**B**) PRRSV nsp10 (cyan) and EAV nsp10 (green). A 45° rotation view is shown in the right panel. The structures are superimposed on 1A domains.



**Figure S2** ATPase activities of (**A**) PRRSV nsp10 and (**B**) EAV nsp10 were determined from Lineweaver-Burk plots of hydrolysis activity using the malachite green assay. Error bars represent SD values from three separate experiments.



**Figure S3** Structural characterization of the PRRSV nsp10 ZBD. (**A**) Structure of the cross-braced zinc finger and (**B**) treble-clef zinc finger. The residues coordinating the Zn<sup>2+</sup> ions are shown as sticks. (**C**) Superposition of the ZBD of PRRSV nsp10 (green) and EAV nsp10 (PDB code: 4N0N; grey). (**D**) Sequence alignment of ZBD of PRRSV nsp10 and EAV nsp10. Multiple sequence alignment was carried out using Clustal Omega [1]. The illustration of sequence alignment was generated using ALINE [2]. Minor manual adjustments were performed in accordance with the superimposition.



**Figure S4** Putative protein interaction surface of the nsp10 ZBD. Hydrophobic surface of (**A**) the PRRSV nsp10 ZBD and (**C**) the EAV nsp10 ZBD. The hydrophobic pocket is

covered by domain 1B in PRRSV nsp10. A 45° rotation view is shown in the right panel. Close-up view of hydrophobic pockets of (**B**) PRRSV nsp10 and (**D**) EAV nsp10. Domain 1B is omitted for clarity. Hydrophobic residues are shown as sticks. The orientation is the same as in panels A and C. Colors are calculated according to the method (https://pymolwiki.org/index.php/ Color\_h).



**Figure S5** Validation of the nucleic acid binding ability of PRRSV nsp10. (**A**) The binding abilities of PRRSV nsp10 or mutant with different affinity tags to dsDNA are demonstrated through EMSA. (**B**) The binding ability of nsp10 with an authentic N terminus to dsDNA is demonstrated through EMSA. (**C**) SEC profile of nsp10 in the absence (cyan) or presence (green) of ssDNA (Superdex 75 10/300 GL column, GE Healthcare, Uppsala, Sweden). Elution volumes of the molecular mass standards are marked at the top of the panel. dsDNA, partially double-stranded DNA (the sequences are shown in the figures); WT, no tagged protein; T330A/S333A, no tagged T330A/S333A mutated protein; His-nsp10, His-tagged nsp10; Sumo, Sumo-tagged nsp10.



**Figure S6** Structural comparison of PRRSV nsp10-DNA complex model (marine) and holo PRRSV nsp10 (grey). The structures are superimposed on 1A domains. A 90° rotation view is shown in the right panel.



**Figure S7** Comparison of holo nsp10 and complex model with SAXS experimental data of nsp10-DNA complex. The model of PRRSV nsp10-DNA complex was generated based on the superimposition of each individual domain of PRRSV nsp10 with that of EAV nsp10. Experimental data are represented in black.

Domain	Comparison	Dali Z-score	RMSD (Å)
ZBD/CH	PRRSV vs EAV	6.9	2.9
	PRRSV vs MERS-CoV	3.3	3.0
	EAV vs MERS-CoV	4.2	3.4
1B	PRRSV vs EAV	9.4	1.8
	PRRSV vs MERS-CoV	2.6	2.7
	EAV vs MERS-CoV	3.2	2.4
1A/RecA1	PRRSV vs EAV	17.5	2.5
	PRRSV vs MERS-CoV	10.4	3.0
	EAV vs MERS-CoV	14.1	2.5
2A/RecA2	PRRSV vs EAV	18.0	1.6
	PRRSV vs MERS-CoV	10.6	2.4
	EAV vs MERS-CoV	10.6	2.3
Helicase Core	PRRSV vs EAV	19.0	12.9
(1A/RecA1&2A/RecA2)	PRRSV vs MERS-CoV	11.4	11.4
	EAV vs MERS-CoV	22.1	2.5

**Table S1.** Pairwise comparison of the isolated ZBD/CH, 1B, 1A/RecA1, 2A/RecA2 and helicase core (1A/RecA1&2A/RecA2) domains of PRRSV nsp10, EAV nsp10, and MERS-CoV nsp13<sup>1</sup>.

<sup>1</sup> PRRSV nsp10, PDB ID: 6JDU. EAV nsp10, PDB ID: 4N0N. MERS-CoV nsp13, PDB ID: 5WWP.

Parameters	PRRSV nsp10	PRRSV nsp10-DNA
Data collection		
Instrument	SSRF BL19U2	SSRF BL19U2
Wavelength (Å)	1.003	1.030
Exposure time (s)	1.0	1.0
Concentration (mg/ml)	3.0	0.5
Temperature (K)	283	283
Structural parameters		
I(0) (from $P(r)$ )	31.8	35.9
$R_g(\text{Å}) \text{ (from } P(r))$	32.7	36.6
I(0) (from Guinier)	30.8	35.7
$R_g$ (Å) (from Guinier)	30.5	35.5
D <sub>max</sub> (Å)	104	119
Porod volume $V_p$ (Å <sup>3</sup> )	87306.6	99132.0
Correlation volume $V_c$ (Å <sup>2</sup> )	418.2	507.0
Molecular mass		
Mass (kDa)1	49.0	57.5
Mass (kDa) <sup>2</sup>	44.6	58.8
Mass (kDa) <sup>3</sup>	46.5	58.8
Data processing		
Data reduction and processing	BioXTAS-RAW	BioXTAS-RAW
Validation	FoXS	FoXS
$\chi^2$	1.16	2.60

Table S2. SAXS da	ta collection and	analysis.
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<sup>1</sup> Mass was calculated from protein sequence

 $^2$  Mass was calculated from Porod volume  $V_p$ 

<sup>3</sup> Mass was calculated from correlation volume  $V_c$ 

 Table S3. Examples of insoluble constructs.

No.	Construct boundaries	Affinity/Solubility tag
1	G1 – R365	N-terminal His6
2	G1 – D372	N-terminal His6
3	G1 – H374	N-terminal His6
4	G1 – R375	N-terminal His6
5	G1 – D382	N-terminal His6
6	G1 – A385	N-terminal His6
7	G1 – K386	N-terminal His6
8	G1 – H395	N-terminal His6

## **Supplementary References**

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