

**Oral delivery of *Bacillus subtilis* spores expressing *Clonorchis sinensis* paramyosin protects grass carp from cercaria infection**

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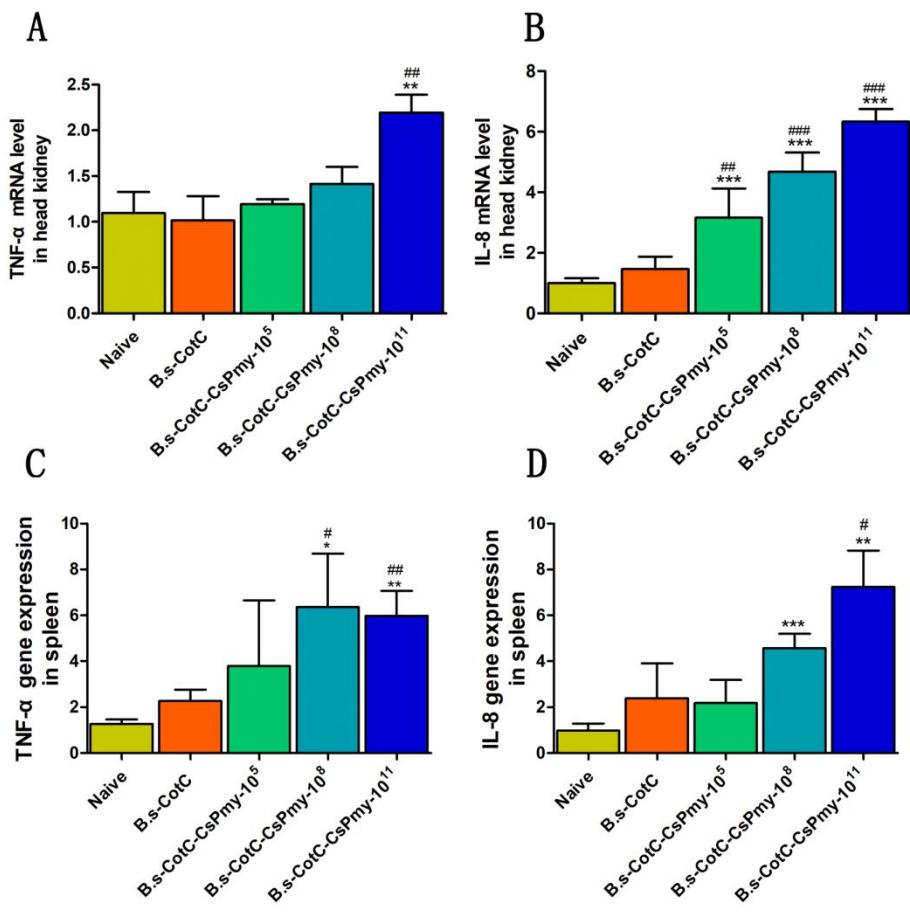
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**Table S1 Genes and primers sequences used for RT-PCR**

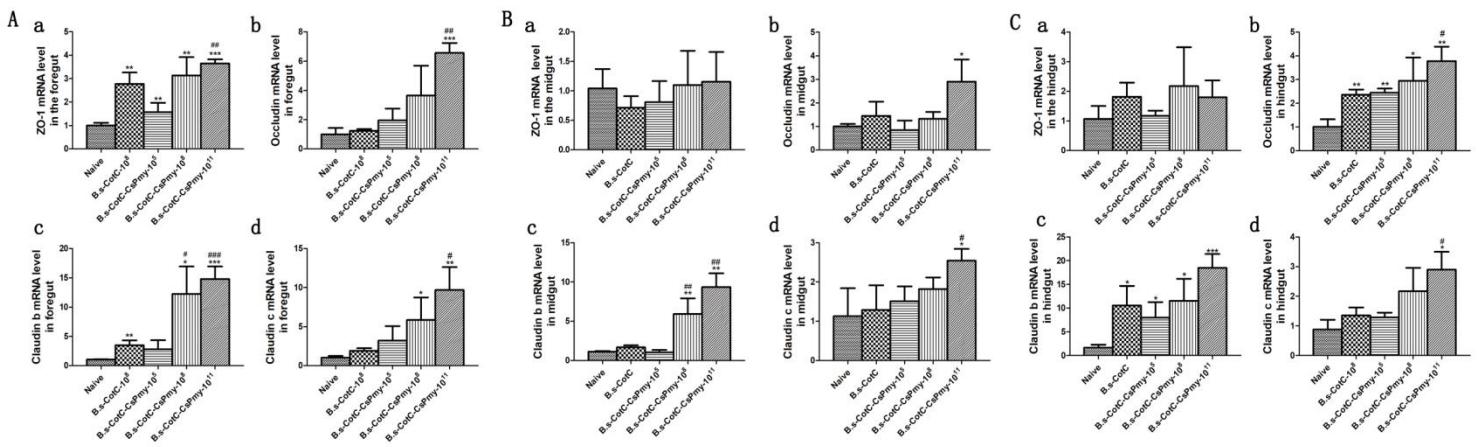
Gene	Sequences of primers			Accession number
ZO-1	F	AAACTGTCGAGAGAGAAGCCT		KJ000055
	R	AGAGCCTGGCCTCATGTTCTT		
Occludin	F	ATGAGCTGCCTGTGCGTAG		KF193855
	R	GGCGTAGTCTGTGTCACGAT		
Claudin b	F	AGCCAACGTCGTCACTCCAAG		KF193860
	R	GCATCAGAGCGAGGGTAGC		
Claudin c	F	GTACCCGCCACAAAGTCGA		KF193859
	R	ACAATGGACACCGAACAAAACAA		
IgM	F	AGAGAAGGAACGCTGACGTG		DQ417927
	R	GTCTCCATGGGCTGTGGTAG		
IgZ	F	GGCTGTCTGGCCTCTGATTG		GQ429175.1
	R	TGGTACGCTGCATCACAAAGT		
TNF- $\alpha$	F	CAAACGTCTACCGAGACGA		HQ696609.1
	R	TGCAGTGGAAGCTCAGGAAA		
IL-8	F	CCCTACTGCTCCCTGGGTTA		JN663841
	R	AACCAAGCAGAATGGTGCAG		

**Table S2 LC-MS/MS identification results of the protein from B.s-CotC-CsPmy spores**

Sample	Score	Mass	Matches	Sequence	emPAI	Accession Number	Protein name
B.s-CotC-CsPmy	5048	99443	1144(305)	145(77)	83.54	gi 374434365	Paramyosin( <i>C. sinensis</i> )



**Fig. S1 Relative mRNA levels of TNF- $\alpha$  and IL-8 in head kidney and spleen 6 weeks after the beginning of the immunization.** (A) TNF- $\alpha$  in head kidney; (B) IL-8 in head kidney; (C) TNF- $\alpha$  in spleen; (D) IL-8 in spleen. Naïve, basal diet group; B.s-CotC- $10^8$ : basal diet plus  $1 \times 10^8$  CFU/g B.s-CotC spores. B.s-CotC-CsPmy- $10^5$ ,  $10^8$ ,  $10^{11}$ , basal diet plus  $10^5$ ,  $10^8$ ,  $10^{11}$  CFU/g B.s-CotC-CsPmy spores, respectively. \* $P < 0.05$ , \*\* $P < 0.01$ , \*\*\* $P < 0.001$  (compared with naïve group); # $P < 0.05$ , ## $P < 0.01$ , ### $P < 0.001$  (compared with B.s-CotC- $10^8$  group).



**Fig. S2 Transcriptional levels of genes encoding tight junction proteins in different intestinal segments.**

The relative transcriptional levels were analyzed by qRT-PCR at 6 weeks after the beginning of the immunization. (A) foregut, (B) midgut, (C) hindgut. (a) ZO-1, (b) occludin, (c) claudin b, (d) claudin c. Naïve, basal diet group; B.s-CotC- $10^8$ : basal diet plus  $1 \times 10^8$  CFU/g B.s-CotC spores. B.s-CotC-CsPmy- $10^5$ ,  $10^8$ ,  $10^{11}$ , basal diet plus  $10^5$ ,  $10^8$ ,  $10^{11}$  CFU/g B.s-CotC-CsPmy spores, respectively. \* $P < 0.05$ , \*\* $P < 0.01$  (compared with naïve group); # $P < 0.05$ , ## $P < 0.01$  (compared with B.s-CotC- $10^8$  group).