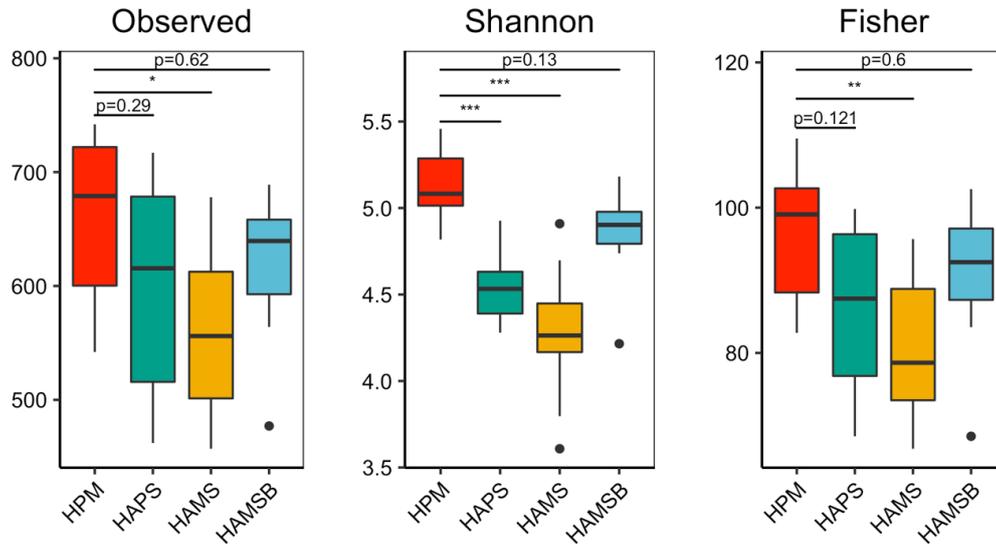


## Supplemental Figure



**Suppl. Figure S1.** Alpha diversity metrics of the rat caecal microbiota. (A) Observed OTU's ( $p=0.0439$ ), (B) Shannon index ( $p=2.33e-07$ ), and (C) Fisher's alpha test are shown ( $p=0.00965$ ). ANOVA followed by Tukeys HSD was used to determine statistical significance (\*  $p < 0.05$ , \*\*  $p < 0.01$ , \*\*\*  $p < 0.001$ ). HPM: high protein meat, HAPS: HPM + high-amylose potato starch, HAMS: HPM + high amylose maize starch, HAMS B: HPM + butyrylated high-amylose maize starch.