

Supplementary data

Genetic Characterization and Pathogenesis of Avian Influenza Virus H7N3 Isolated from Spot-Billed Ducks in South Korea, Early 2019

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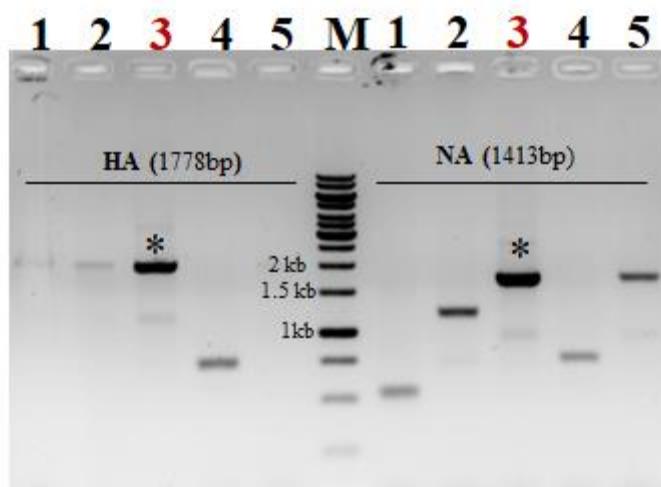
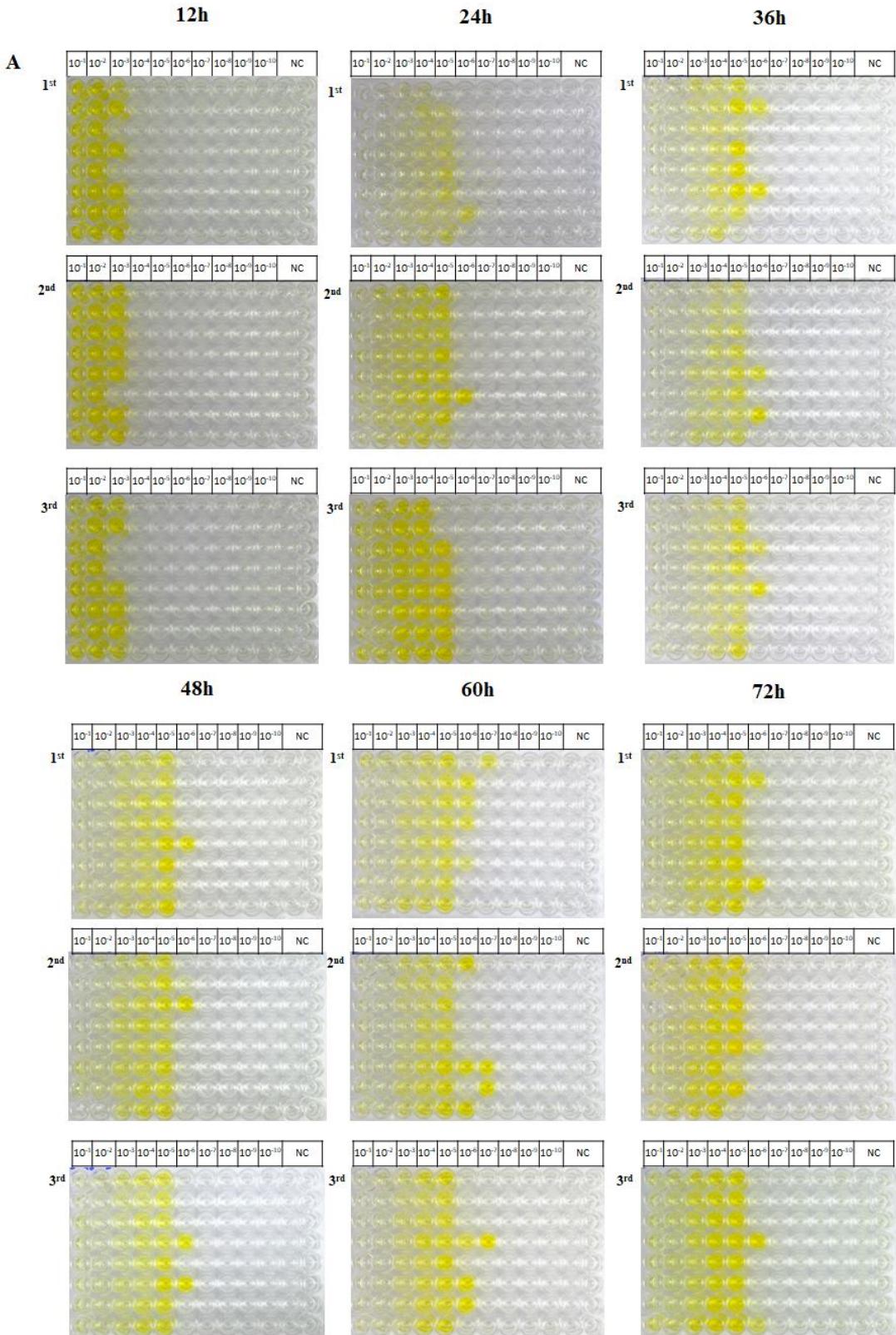
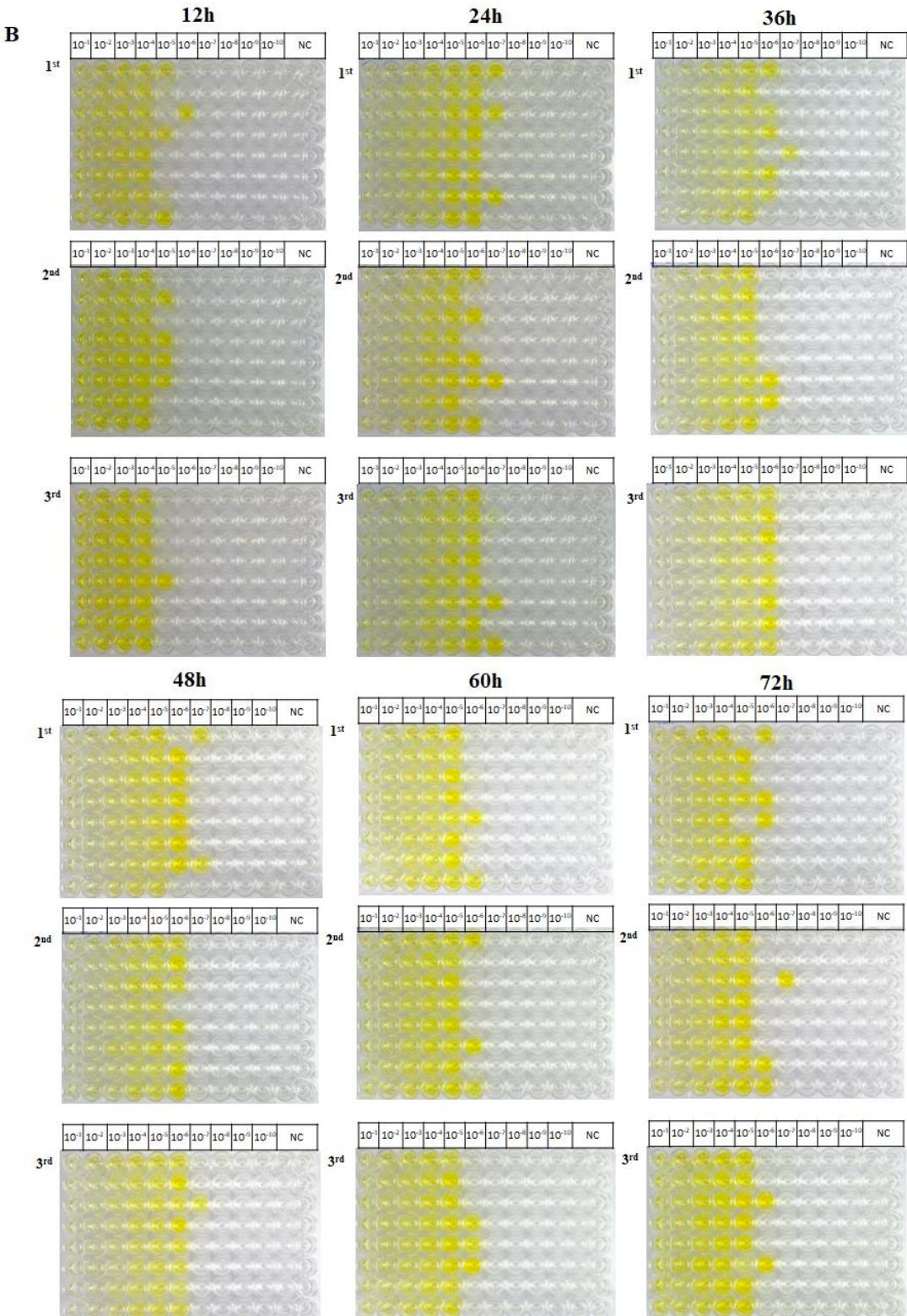


Figure S1. Amplification of HA and NA gene by influenza universal primer. (1–5; Selected colonies, *; Target band).





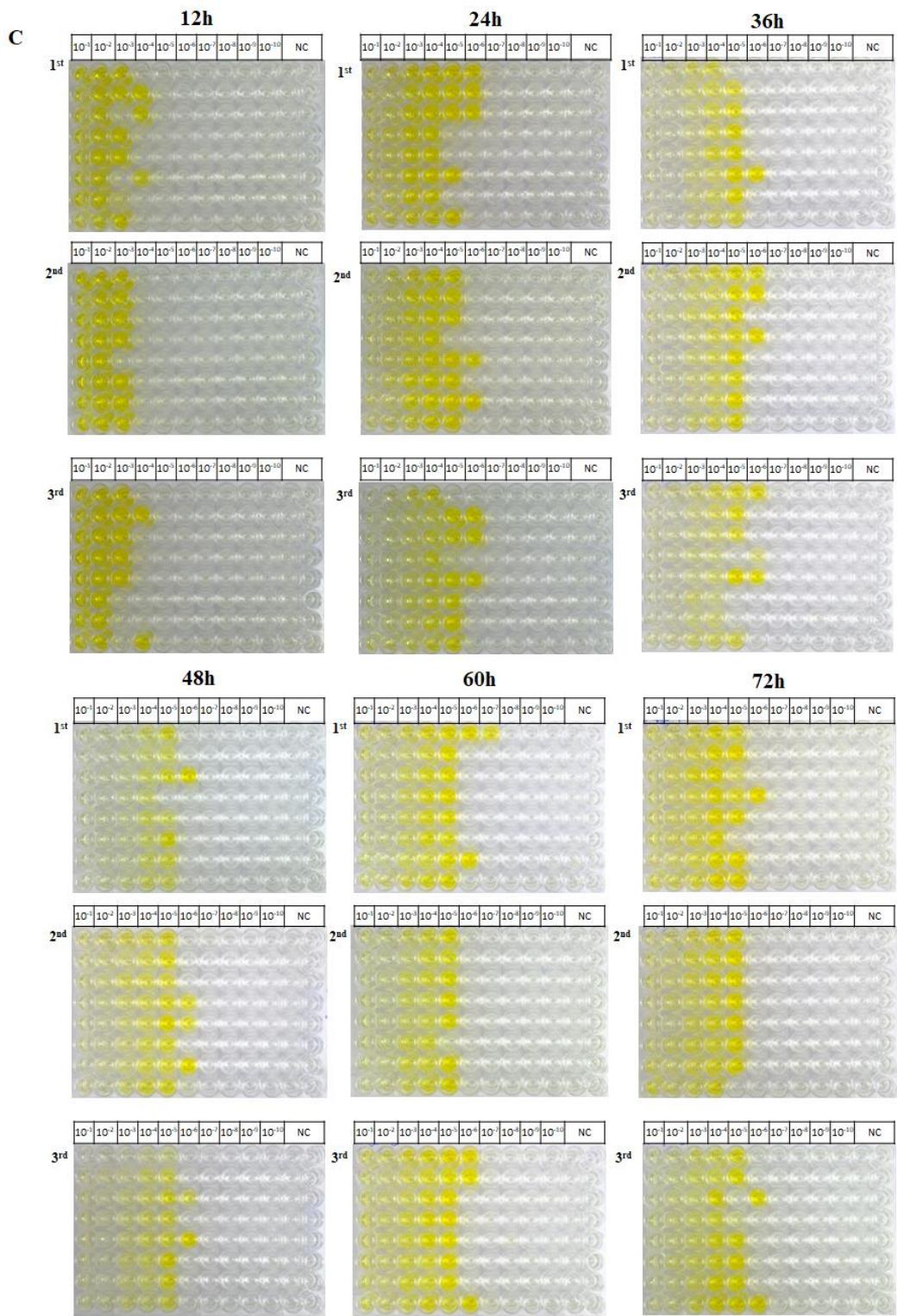
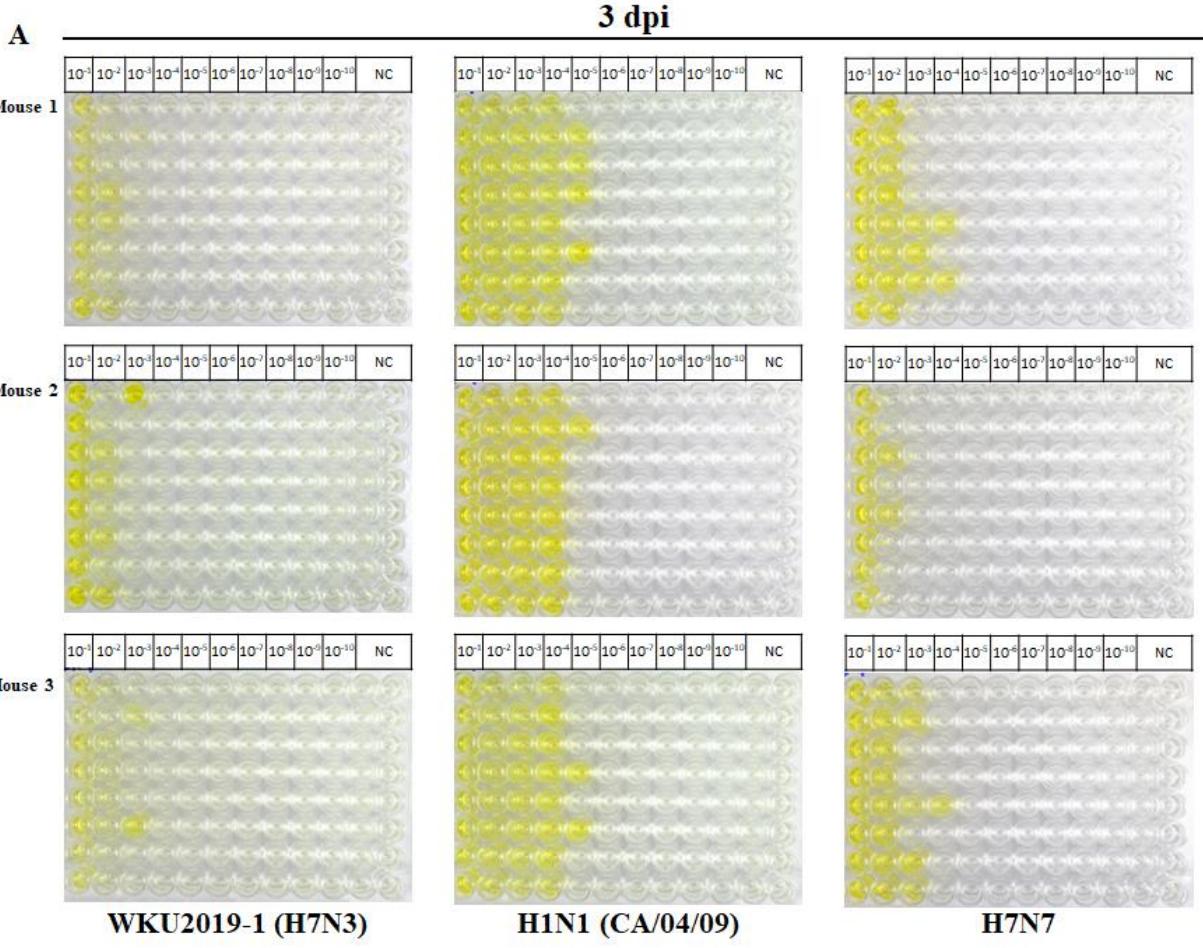
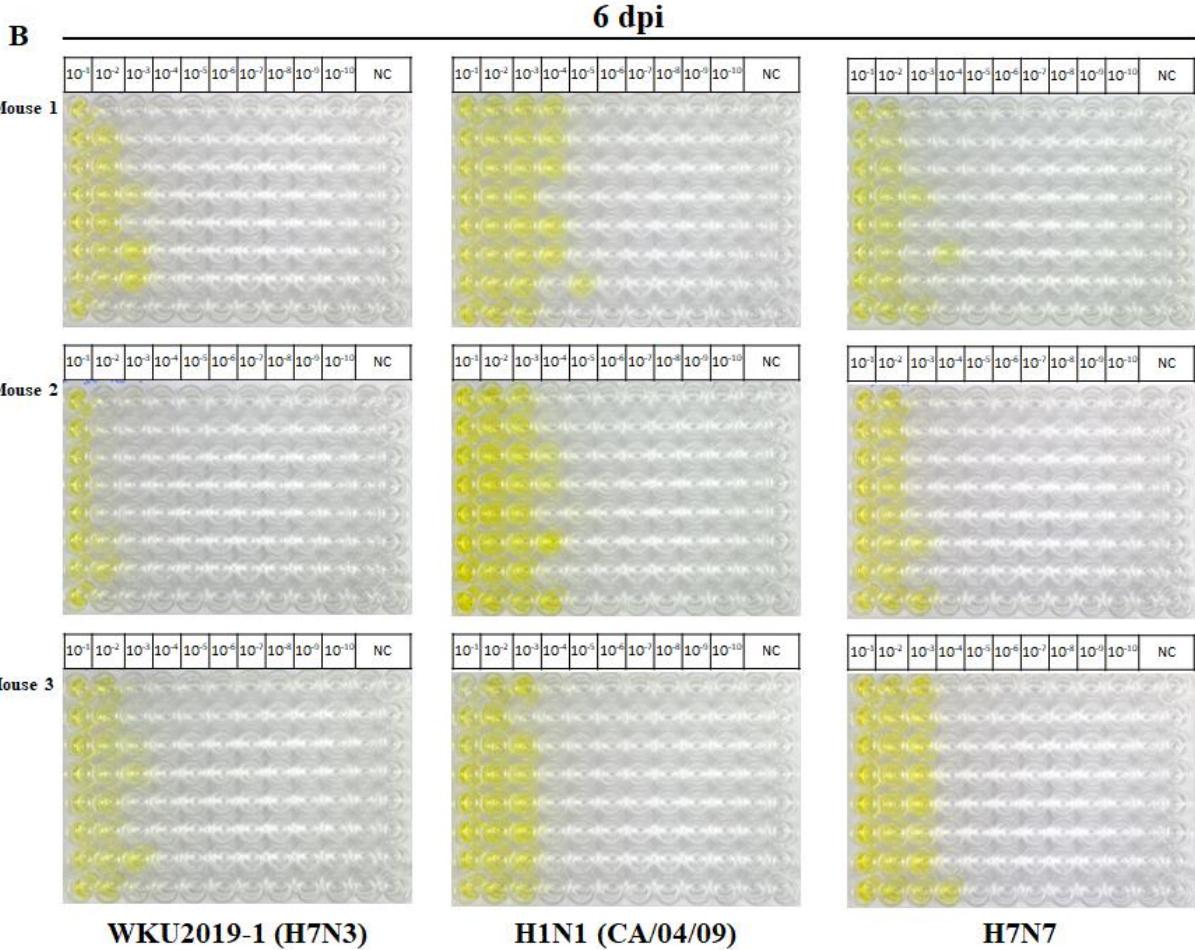


Figure S2. Raw ELISA data of TCID₅₀ assay for the detection of (A) H7N3 (WKU2019-1), (B) H1N1 (CA/04/09), and (C) H7N7 growth kinetics in MDCK cells.





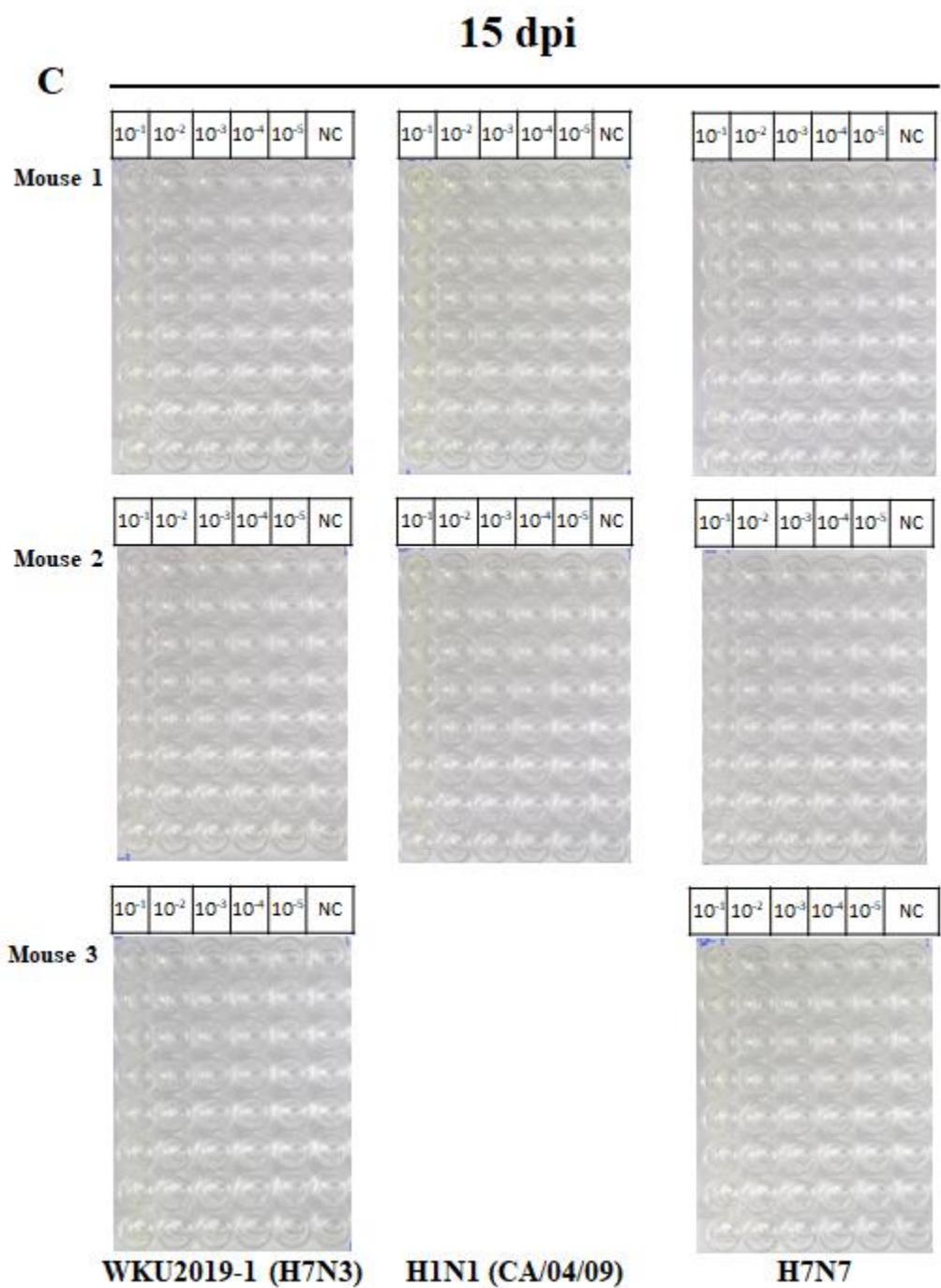


Figure S3. Raw ELISA data of TCID₅₀ assay for viral load shedding in lungs after (A) 3, (B) 6, and (C) 15 days post-infection.

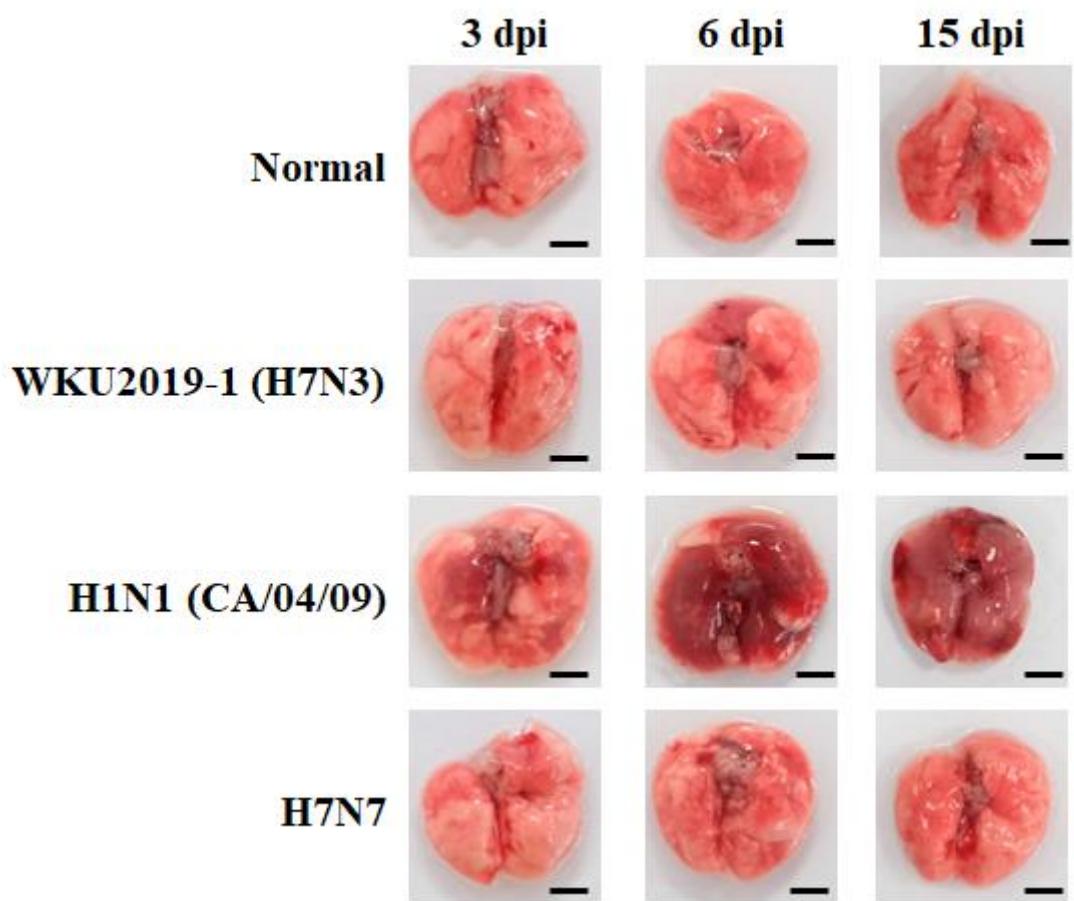


Figure S4. Lungs from normal and infected mice at 3, 6, and 15 days post-infection. Scale bar: 0.5 cm.

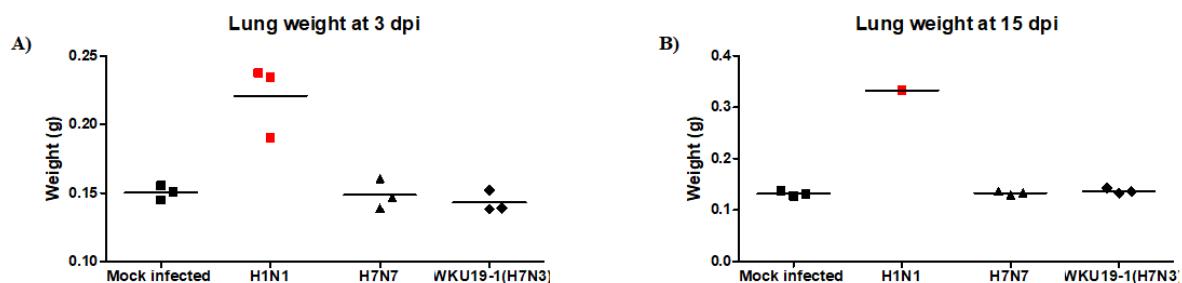


Figure S5. Lung weight at days (A) 3 and (B) 15 post-infection.

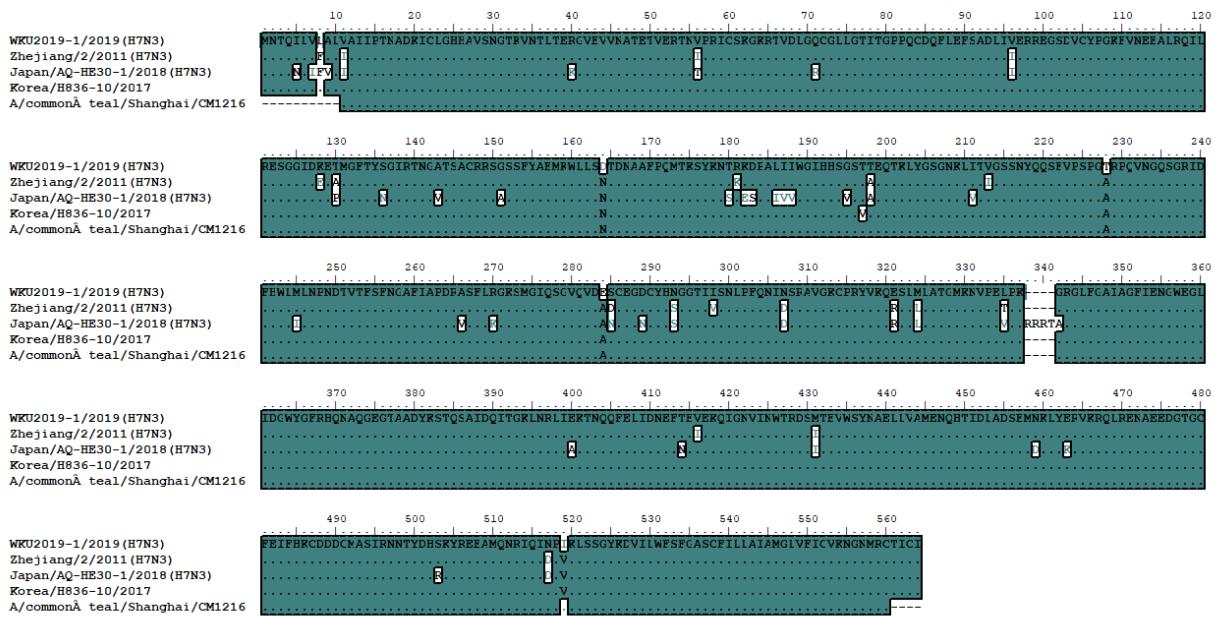


Figure S6. Partial alignment of HA gene segment.

Table S1. Detailed NGS analysis information of H7N3 (WKU2019-1) isolated from feces samples.

Gene	Sample Information				ORF Analysis						
	# of Pre-processed reads	# of Influenza Virus extracted reads	# of non-Influenza Virus reads	%	#M_Reads	Unique s	S_Co Matches n_bp	%Cov.(S/R)	Length	S_position	E_position
PB2					1	0.90%	-	4.22%	2,304	2	2,305
PB1					6	5.50%	-	11.76%	2,274	23	2,296
PA					1	0.90%	-	2.42%	2,157	19	2,175
HA					5	4.50%	-	9.59%	1,818	3	1,820
NP	14,874,694	110	14,874,584	0.00%	3	2.70%	-	8.93%	1,542	2	1,543
NA					-				1,437	2	1,438
M2, M1					19	17.30%	-	44.17%	759	3	761
NEP, NS1					-				693	1	693

Table S2. Detailed NGS analysis information of H7N3 (WKU2019-1) isolated from allantoic fluid.

Gene	Gene Bank ID	Reference Information Used for Mapping	Sample Information		ORF Analysis (Blast P, rank=1)	
			Matched Reference	results	Matched Reference	results

		Reference name	Ref. ID	Ref. length	# of Pre-processed reads	# virus reads	% virus reads	#Map ped reads	Total Map-ping avg.	%Cov	Lengt h	ID	Leng th	%Iden tity
PB2	MT84565	A/mallard/Bavaria/185-26/2008(H1 N1)	HQ25922	9	2,306			12,200		2,307	9.1	759	756/759 (99%)	
PB1	MT84565	A/mallard/Georgia/10/2016(H7N7)	MF69402	1	2,341			58,963		2,341	1	757	751/757 (99%)	
PA	MT84565	A/mallard/Bavaria/185-26/2008(H1 N1)	HQ25923	1	2,221			20,815		2,223	8.1	716	712/716 (99%)	
HA	MT84565	A/mallard/Georgia/10/2016(H7N7)	MF69424	4	1,732			68,166		1,731	1.1	560	558/560 (99%)	
NP	MT84565	A/aquatic bird/South Korea/sw001/2015(H7N1)	MF98789	6	1,497	8,900,256	7,189,378	80.78	7,841	100 %				ADP0757
NA	MT84565	A/tufted/mallard/Georgia/1/2012(H2N3)	MF14710	2	1,453			47,446		1,455	1.1	469	465/469 (99%)	
M2, M1	MT84566	A/mallard/Georgia/10/2016(H7N7)	MF69415	0	1,027			258,104		1,028	Q08IG8.1	252	252/252 (100%)	
NEP, NS1	MT84566	A/mallard/Bavaria/185-26/2008(H1 N1)	HQ25923	6	873			102,240		873	QHG6251	230	229/230 (99%)	