

Supplementary Data for

Identification of an RNA silencing suppressor encoded by a symptomless fungal hypovirus, Cryphonectria hypovirus 4

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Fig. S1. CHV4-mediated suppression of the GFP reporter induction. The reporter fungal strain with pCPX-C18-*dcl2*pro-eGFP (C18/*dcl2*pro-eGFP) was singly or dually infected by CHV1- Δ p69 and MyRV2 (B), or CHV4. A different set of fungal strains than the ones shown in Figure 1B were used. Values in the respective panels show relative intensity of the reporter eGFP green fluorescence quantified by ImageJ, with the CHV1- Δ p69-infected strain expressed as 100.

Fig. S2. The 5'-terminal nucleotide profile of viral-derived small RNA (15- to 32 nt) of *C. parasitica* C18 strain in either singly or doubly infected by CHV4-C18 and MyRV2. Red, dark yellow, blue and green regions show small RNAs with 5'-terminal nucleotides U, G, C, and A, respectively.

Fig. S3. Quantitative analyses of *dcl2* or MyRV2 S4 mRNA in C18 transformed by the empty vector and p24 coding domain. different fungal strains. Bar graphs show the relative accumulation levels (mean \pm SD, $n = 2$) of *dcl2* mRNA or MyRV2 S10 mRNA was quantified by RT-qPCR. Tested fungal strains included C18 transformants with the empty vector (C18emp) and p24 coding domain (C18p24) that were uninfected (virus free) or infected by MyRV2. In RT-qPCR, glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate dehydrogenase gene (*gpd*) mRNA was used as an internal control. The primers used are: MyRV2 S4 F3 (5'-ACGCGCTTCTGTGATGAATG-3') and MyRV2 S4 R3 (5'-ATCTGTGCGCAACAACGGATG-3') for MyRV S4 mRNA, DCL2 F3 (5'-ACGCGAAATCACATCTGCAG-3') and DCL2 R3 (5'-AGCAACACGGTAGCTTTTCAG-3') for *dcl2* mRNA, and DCL2 F3 (5'-AAGGGGCAGCGAAGAAAAAG-3') and DCL2 R3 (5'-ACGTAGCTAACTACCACTGCAC-3') for *gpd* mRNA. The mean value for MyRV2 C18 wt was set to 100.

Fig. S4. Quantification of *dcl2* or MyRV2 S10 mRNA in different fungal strains. Bar graphs show the relative accumulation levels (mean \pm SD, $n = 2-5$) of *dcl2* or MyRV2 S10 mRNA based on the northern blotting data shown in Figure 4. Tested fungal strains included C18p24 and C18 wt uninfected or infected by MyRV2 alone or together with CHV4-C18. The mean value for MyRV2 C18 wt was set to 100. Different letters indicate significant differences ($P < 0.05$), by one-way analysis of variance (ANOVA) followed

by Tukey's honestly significant difference (HSD) test. Statistical analyses were conducted with the open source software OpenStat (<http://statpages.info/miller/OpenStatMain.htm>).

Fig. S1

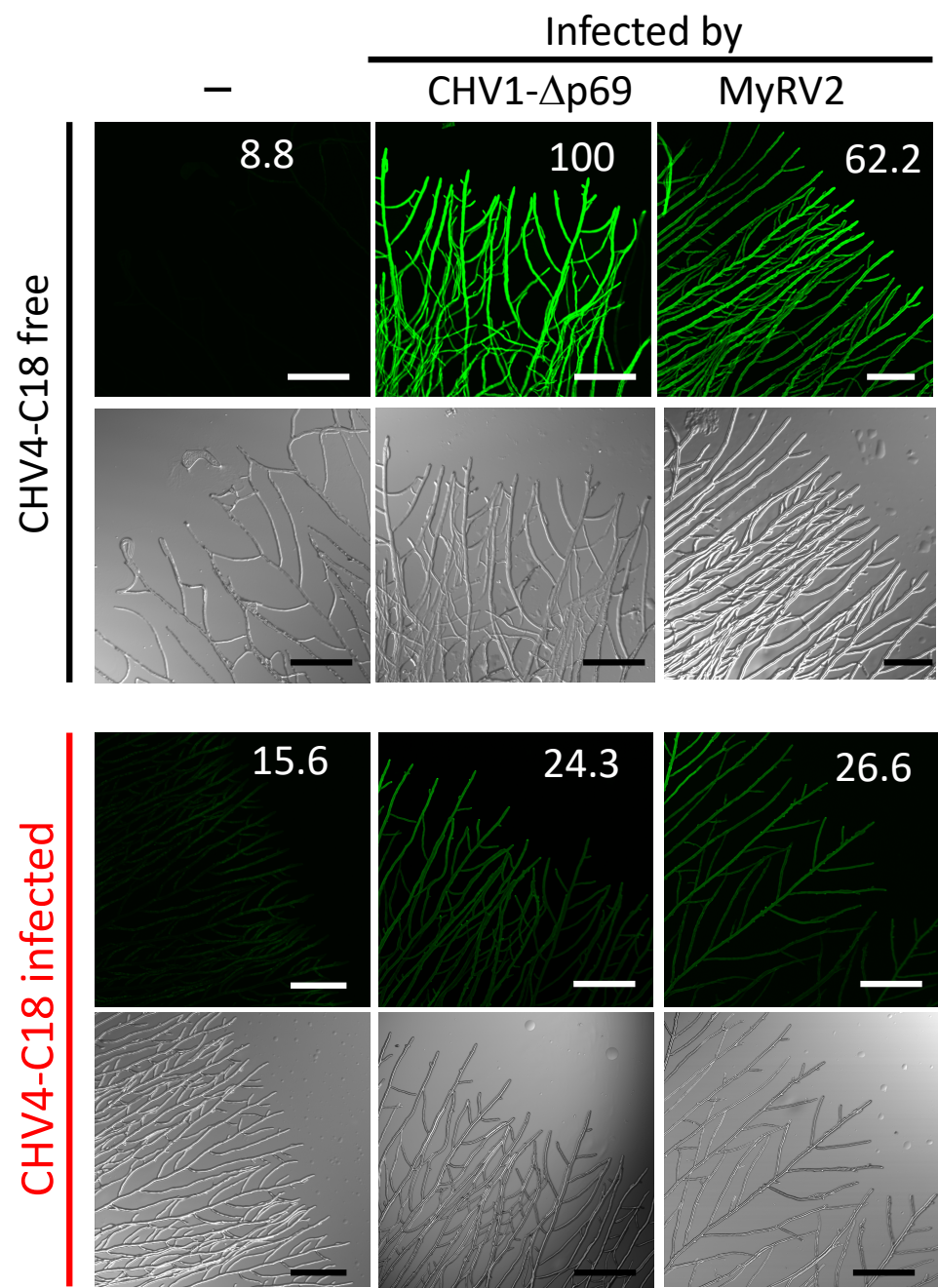


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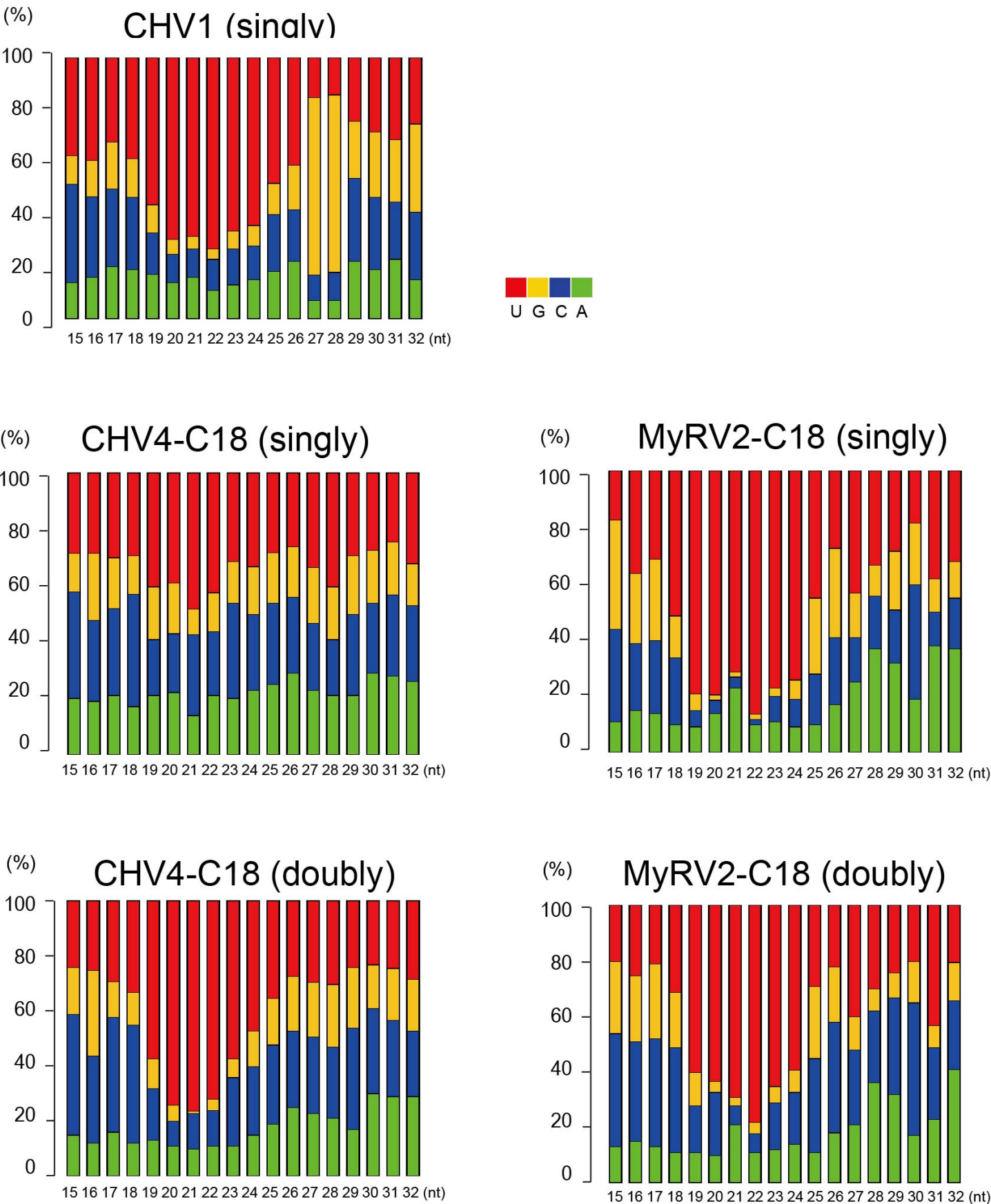


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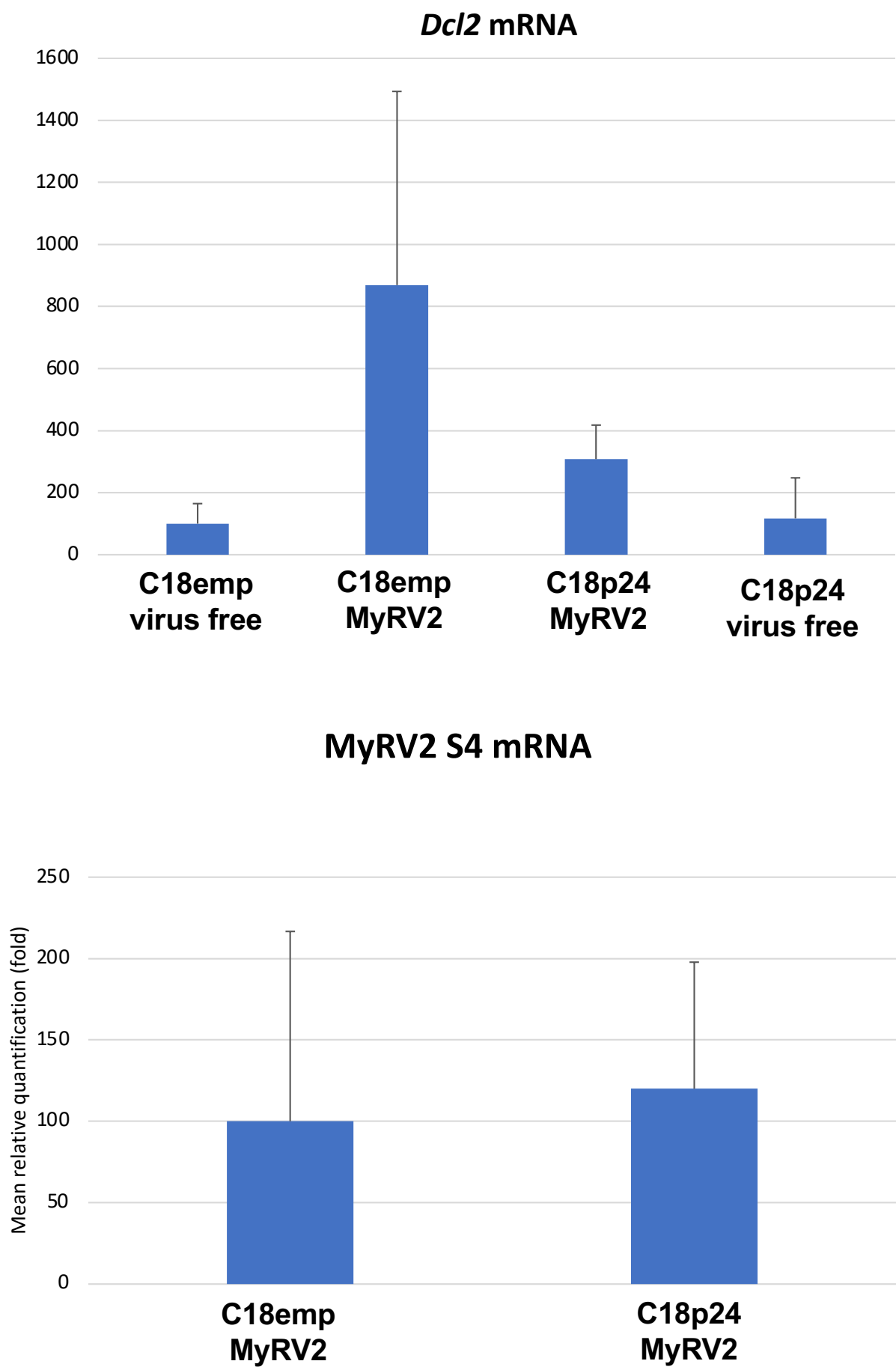
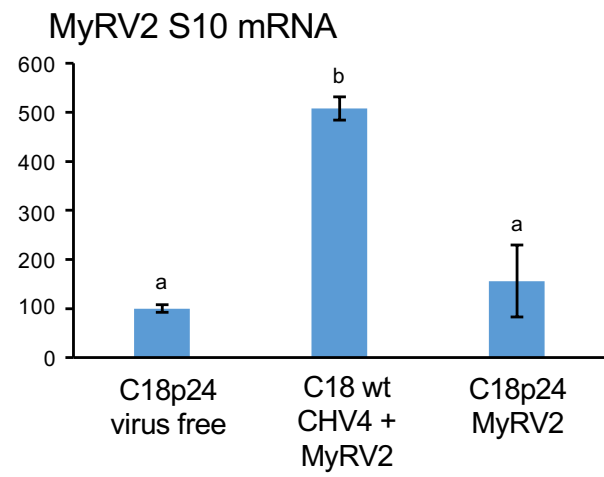
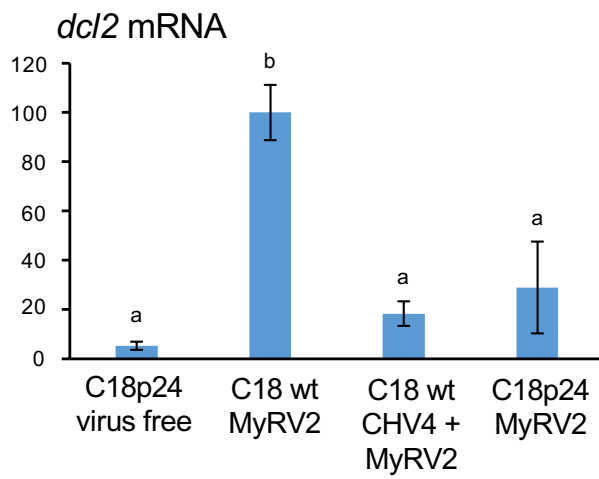


Fig. S4



Supplementary Table S1. List of primers used in the study

Primer Name	Sequence (5'-3')	Direction	Remarks
NotI C18DCL2Pro R	GCATGCGCGGCCGCCTTGCAGCGTCGTACGACAGAT	Reverse	C18 <i>dcl2pro::egfp</i>
SalI C18DCL2Pro F	CCCCCTGTCGACTGAGGAGGGTGGGGACAAAGGT	Forward	
NotI eGFP F	GTTAACGCGGCCGCATGGTGAGCAAGGGCGAGGAGC	Forward	C18 <i>dcl2pro::egfp</i> and <i>egfp</i> probe
SphI eGFP R	AGGTCAGCATGCTTACTTGTACAGCTCGTCCATG	Reverse	
CHV4-287 F	ATGTCTGAGCAACAACATCATCT	Forward	CHV4 RT-PCR
CHV4-853 R	TGCCATCCACCAGATGCCAGTT	Reverse	CHV4 RT-PCR
DCL2_4025_F	CCTGCCCTGTTTCAGTATCA	Forward	C18 <i>dcl2</i> KO
DCL2_4545_R	GTGGTAGCCCTCTCTTTGAC	Reverse	C18 <i>dcl2</i> KO
pCold-I-KpnI-CHV4P52_F	CCCATATGGAGCTCGGTACCATGTCTGAGCAACAACATCATCTA	Forward	CHV4 protease cleavage assay
pCold_NdeI-CHV4-p52_F	ATATCGAAGGTAGGCATATGTCTGAGCAACAACATCATCTA	Reverse	CHV4 protease cleavage assay
pCPXHY3-HpaI-CHV4p24_F	ACGCGGCCAAGCTTGTTAACATGTCTGAGCAACAACATCATCTA	Reverse	C18 p24
pCPXHY3-HpaI-CHV4P24_R	ATGCGCGGCCGCGTTAACCCAAGGCGTGACGCTTTGTC	Reverse	C18 p24
MyRV2-E2-10_300_F	AATTCAATTCCGCGCGAAGGGG	Forward	MyRV2 S10 probe
MyRV2-E2-10_1200_R	TTCATTTTTCACGTTGTAAAAAC	Reverse	MyRV2 S10 probe
5'UTR_CHV1_F	GATAATTTTGGTTGCTGCAC	Forward	CHV1- Δ p69 RT-PCR and probe
5'UTR_CHV1_R	GACTCATGTGGCGACGTGCC	Reverse	CHV1- Δ p69 RT-PCR and probe