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# Isolation of A Novel *Bacillus Thuringiensis* Phage Representing A New Phage Lineage and Characterization of Its Endolysin

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**Table S1.** Host range of phage vB\_BthS\_BMBphi (indicated as BMBphi) and the mutant phage vB\_BthS\_BMBphi-M (indicated as BMBphi-M).

<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i>									
Serotypes	Serovar	Strain	Sensitivity		Serotypes	Serovar	Strain	Sensitivity	
			BMBphi	BMBphi-M				BMBphi	BMBphi-M
8a, 8b <sup>a</sup>	<i>kurstaki</i>	BMB171	+ <sup>b</sup>	+ <sup>b</sup>	3a, 3b, 3c	<i>kurstaki</i>	CS33	-	-
2	<i>finitimus</i>	HD-3	-	-	38	<i>oswaldocruzi</i>	T38001	-	-
3a, 3c	<i>alesti</i>	HD-4	-	-	40	<i>huazhongensis</i>		-	-
3a, 3b, 3c	<i>kurstaki</i>	HD-73	-	-	41	<i>sooncheon</i>	T41001	-	-
4a, 4b	<i>sotto</i>	HD-930	-	-	42	<i>jinghongensis</i>	YGd22-03	-	-
4a, 4c	<i>kenyae</i>	HD-5	-	-	45	<i>roskildiensis</i>	T45001	-	-
5a, 5c	<i>canadensis</i>	HD-554	-	-	46	<i>chanpasis</i>		-	-
7	<i>aizawai</i>	HD-11	-	-	47	<i>wratislaviensis</i>	PO12	-	-
8a, 8b	<i>morrisoni</i>	HD-12	-	-	49	<i>muju</i>	A39	-	-
8a, 8c	<i>ostrinae</i>	HD-501	-	-	51	<i>xiaguangensis</i>	3397	-	-
9	<i>tolworthi</i>	HD-537	-	-	53	<i>asturiensis</i>	EA34594	-	-
10a, 10b	<i>darmstadiensis</i>	HD-146	-	-	54	<i>poloniensis</i>	Pbt23	-	-
11a, 11b	<i>toumanoffi</i>	HD-201	-	-	55	<i>palmanyolensis</i>	EA40694	-	-
11a, 11c	<i>kyushuensis</i>	HD-541	-	-	56	<i>rongseni</i>	Scg04-02	-	-
12	<i>thompsoni</i>	HD-542	-	-	57	<i>pirenaica</i>	NA210	-	-
14	<i>israelensis</i>	HD-567	-	-	58	<i>argentinensis</i>	A20	-	-
16	<i>indiana</i>	HD-521	-	-	59	<i>iberica</i>	L60	-	-
17	<i>tohokuensis</i>	HD-866	-	-	60	<i>pingluonsis</i>	NXP15-04	-	-
19	<i>tochigiensis</i>	HD-868	-	-	61	<i>sylvestriensis</i>	Pbt53	-	-
20a, 20b	<i>yunnanensis</i>	HD-977	-	-	62	<i>zhaodongensis</i>	HZ39-04	-	-
20a, 20c	<i>pondicheriensis</i>	HD-1011	-	-	63	<i>bolivia</i>	T63001	-	-
21	<i>colmeri</i>	HD-847	-	-	65	<i>pulsiensis</i>		-	-

22	<i>shandongiensis</i>	HD-1012	-	-	66	<i>graciosensis</i>		-	-
31	<i>toguchini</i>	<i>toguchini</i>	-	-	67	<i>vazensis</i>	Ea14696	-	-
35	<i>seoulensis</i>	T35001	-	-	68	<i>thailandensis</i>	T68001	-	-
36	<i>malaysiensis</i>	T36001	-	-	69	<i>pahangi</i>	T69001	-	-
37	<i>andaluciensis</i>	T37001	-	-	70	<i>sinensis</i>	YK30-04	-	-

**Other strains**

Strains	Sensitivity		Strains	Sensitivity	
	BMBphi	BMBphi-M		BMBphi	BMBphi-M
<i>B. anthracis</i> 63002	-	-	<i>B. anthracis</i> 63605	-	-
<i>B. cereus</i> F4810/72			<i>B. cereus</i> ATCC10087		
<i>B. pumilius</i> GR8	-	-	<i>B. subtilis</i> 168	-	-
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> Sau01	-	-	<i>Escherichia coli</i> BL-21	-	-
<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> PAO1	-	-	<i>Yersinia pseudotuberculosis</i> YPIII	-	-

<sup>a</sup>The *B. thuringiensis* strain used in this study were mainly the reference strains, except strain BMB171 and CS-33; <sup>b</sup>“+” indicated the strain was sensitive to tested phage and “-” indicated the strain was not sensitive to tested phages.

**Table S2.** General features of the predicted proteins encoded by phage vB\_BthS\_BMBphi genome.

ORF	Strand	Left End	Right End	Size (aa)	Closest hit (e value)	The best match in phages (e value)	Predictive Function
ORF01	-	758	904	48			hypothetical protein
ORF02	-	1076	1336	86	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (2e-04)		hypothetical protein
ORF03	-	1338	1448	36			hypothetical protein
ORF04	-	1445	1669	74	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (2e-11)		hypothetical protein
ORF05	-	1913	2218	101	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (3e-35)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage Claudi (4e-05)	hypothetical protein
ORF06	-	2220	2405	61	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (6e-14)		hypothetical protein
ORF07	-	2407	2604	65			hypothetical protein
ORF08	-	2604	2738	44			hypothetical protein

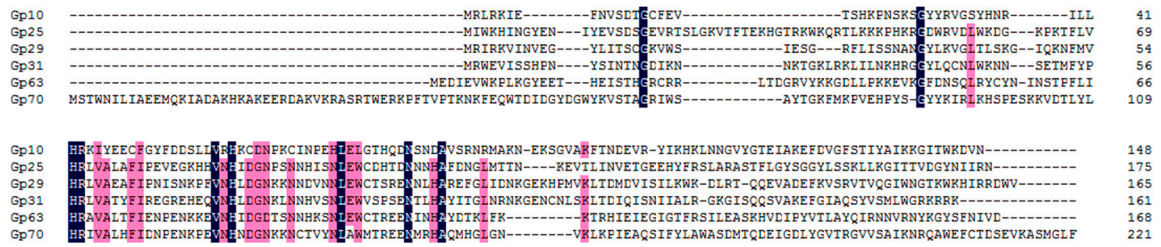
ORF09	-	2776	3078	100	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (7e-11)		hypothetical protein
ORF10	-	3068	3514	148	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> (5e-38)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage PBC6 (5e-32)	HNH homing endonuclease
ORF11	-	3504	3728	74			hypothetical protein
ORF12	-	3730	4911	393	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (2e-100)		hypothetical protein
ORF13	-	4908	5045	45			hypothetical protein
ORF14	-	5042	5539	165			hypothetical protein
ORF15	-	5563	6123	186	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (6e-53)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage phiAGATE (1e-17)	hypothetical protein
ORF16	-	6123	6566	147	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (7e-17)		hypothetical protein
ORF17	-	6569	7213	214			hypothetical protein
ORF18	-	7246	8193	315	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (2e-95)	<i>Enterococcus</i> phage vB_EfaS_IME198 (7e-61)	DNA primase
ORF19	-	8270	8674	134			hypothetical protein
ORF20	-	8791	9402	203			hypothetical protein
ORF21	-	9404	9583	59			hypothetical protein
ORF22	-	9585	9956	123	<i>Bacillus</i> phage MG-B1 (4e-17)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage MG-B1 (4e-17)	hypothetical protein
ORF23	-	10616	11173	185	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (6e-30)		hypothetical protein
ORF24	-	11238	11594	118			hypothetical protein
ORF25	-	11607	12134	175	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (2e-77)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage PBC2 (4e-68)	HNH endonuclease
ORF26	-	12147	13037	296	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (6e-46)		hypothetical protein
ORF27	+	13343	13825	160	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (8e-41)		hypothetical protein
ORF28	+	13826	14008	60			hypothetical protein
ORF29	+	13986	14483	165	<i>Bacillus</i> phage Mater (6e-30)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage Mater (6e-30)	HNH homing endonuclease
ORF30	+	14480	15238	252	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (3e-118)		DNA replication protein
ORF31	+	15238	15723	161	<i>Bacillus</i> phage Bobb (1e-25)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage Bobb (1e-25)	HNH homing endonuclease
ORF32	+	15725	17095	456	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (3e-170)	<i>Streptococcus</i> phage SPQS1 (9e-110)	DNA helicase
ORF33	+	17085	17252	55			hypothetical protein
ORF34	+	17245	18267	340	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> (5e-161)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage PK16 (6e-104)	DNA cytosine methyltransferase
ORF35	+	18378	20774	798	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (0.0)	<i>Listeria</i> phage LP-037 (2e-127)	DNA polymerase
ORF36	+	20854	20958	34			hypothetical protein
ORF37	+	20951	22057	368	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (4e-105)	<i>Paenibacillus</i> phage Tripp (9e-46)	hypothetical protein

ORF38	+	22054	22236	60			hypothetical protein
ORF39	+	22238	22846	202	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (1e-82)	<i>Enterococcus</i> phage SAP6 (3e-09)	hypothetical protein
ORF40	+	22847	23029	60			hypothetical protein
ORF41	-	23113	23847	244	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (7e-105)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage BJ4 (7e-89)	N-acetylmuramoyl-L-alanine amidase
ORF42	-	23847	24095	82	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (6e-34)		Holin
ORF43	-	24108	24506	132	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (3e-17)		hypothetical protein
ORF44	-	24522	25805	427	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (5e-90)	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (0.0)	Receptor binding baseplate protein
ORF45	-	25820	26098	92	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (5e-42)		hypothetical protein
ORF46	-	26136	27692	518	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (0.0)		Tail protein
ORF47	-	27725	29656	643	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (0.0)		Distal tail protein
ORF48	-	29637	32258	873	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (0.0)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage phi4B1 (2e-63)	Tail tape measure protein
ORF49	-	32294	32461	55	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> HD-771 (1e-23)		hypothetical protein
ORF50	-	32554	32850	98	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (3e-49)		hypothetical protein
ORF51	-	32913	33518	201	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (2e-124)		Major tail protein
ORF52	-	33544	33945	133	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (4e-74)		hypothetical protein
ORF53	-	33950	34342	130	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (1e-68)		hypothetical protein
ORF54	-	34329	34712	127	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (1e-65)		Head tail connection protein
ORF55	-	34713	35117	134	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (2e-60)		hypothetical protein
ORF56	-	35151	35252	33			hypothetical protein
ORF57	-	35279	36160	293	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (1e-112)	<i>Enterococcus</i> phage SAP6 (8e-44)	Major head protein
ORF58	-	36229	36873	214	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (6e-71)	<i>Clostridium</i> phage phi8074-B1 (3e-25)	hypothetical protein
ORF59	-	36929	37702	257	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (4e-82)		Phage head morphologies protein
ORF60	-	37724	37984	86	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (3e-46)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage JL (8e-34)	hypothetical protein
ORF61	-	37985	39517	510	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (0.0)	<i>Clostridium</i> phage phi8074-B1 (1e-83)	Portal protein
ORF62	-	39517	40524	335	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (8e-180)	<i>Clostridium</i> phage phi8074-B1 (5e-138)	Terminase large subunit
ORF63	-	40806	41312	168	<i>Bacillus eiseniae</i> (6e-26)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage Stahl (5e-20)	HNH endonuclease
ORF64	-	42176	42346	56			hypothetical protein
ORF65	-	42343	42483	46			hypothetical protein
ORF66	-	42480	42977	165	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (2e-48)	<i>Enterococcus</i> phage VD13 (2e-14)	Terminase small subunit

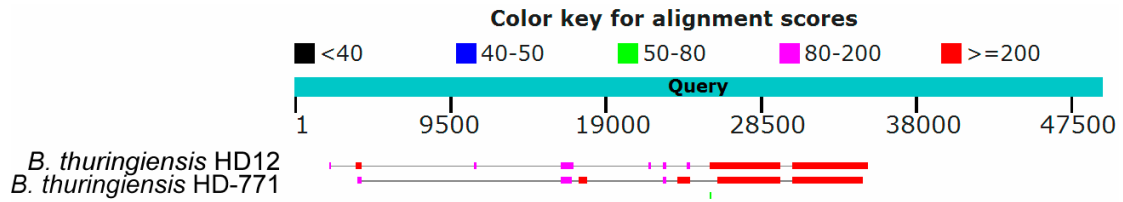
ORF67	-	42990	43169	59			hypothetical protein
ORF68	-	43376	43606	76			hypothetical protein
ORF69	+	43796	44275	159	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (4e-14)		hypothetical protein
ORF70	-	44356	45024	222	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (1e-74)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage PBC6 (9e-23)	HNH endonuclease
ORF71	-	45021	45182	53			hypothetical protein
ORF72	-	45337	45531	64			hypothetical protein
ORF73	-	45615	45773	52			hypothetical protein
ORF74	-	45767	45952	61	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> (8e-11)		hypothetical protein
ORF75	-	45942	46301	119	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> (8e-25)		hypothetical protein
ORF76	-	46521	46958	145	<i>Bacillus cereus</i> (5e-54)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage Leo2 (3e-34)	hypothetical protein
ORF77	-	47020	47985	321	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> (9e-27)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage Curly (2e-97)	FtsK/SpoIIIE ATPase
ORF78	-	48175	48699	174	<i>Salmonella enterica</i> (2e-39)	<i>Bacillus</i> phage Mater (9e-32)	hypothetical protein
ORF79	-	48704	48832	42			hypothetical protein

**Table S3.** Informations of phage genomes used in this study.

Phage	GenBank Accession No.	Genome Length (bp)
<i>Bacillus</i> virus 1	NC_009737	35055
<i>Bacillus</i> virus BMBtp2	NC_019912	36932
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Gamma	NC_007458	37253
<i>Bacillus</i> phage TP21-L	NC_011645	37456
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Fah	NC_007814	37974
<i>Bacillus</i> phage phi4B1	NC_028886	38663
<i>Bacillus</i> phage phiCM3	NC_023599	38772
<i>Bacillus</i> phage vB_BhaS-171	NC_030904	38975
<i>Bacillus</i> phage phi105	NC_004167	39325
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Pascal	NC_027372	39639
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Pony	NC_022770	39844
<i>Bacillus</i> phage BalMu-1	NC_030945	39873
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Page	NC_022764	39874
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Palmer	NC_028926	40000
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Pavlov	NC_028782	40024
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Pookie	NC_027394	40214
<i>Bacillus</i> virus Wbeta	NC_007734	40867
<i>Bacillus</i> phage BCJA1c	NC_006557	41092
<i>Bacillus</i> phage PBC1	NC_017976	41164
<i>Bacillus</i> phage phi4J1	NC_029008	41486
<i>Bacillus</i> phage BtCS33	NC_018085	41992
<i>Bacillus</i> phage PfEFR-5	NC_031055	43773
<i>Bacillus</i> phage SPP1	NC_004166	44010
<i>Bacillus</i> phage phIS3501	NC_019502	44401
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Waukesh92	NC_025424	45648
<i>Bacillus</i> virus Glittering	NC_022766	49246
<i>Bacillus</i> virus Andromeda	NC_020478	49259
<i>Bacillus</i> virus Curly	NC_020479	49425
<i>Bacillus</i> virus Eoghan	NC_020477	49458
<i>Bacillus</i> virus Riggi	NC_022765	49836
<i>Bacillus</i> virus Finn	NC_020480	50161
<i>Bacillus</i> virus Blastoid	NC_022773	50354
<i>Bacillus</i> phage PM1	NC_020883	50861
<i>Bacillus</i> phage vB_BtS_BMBtp3	NC_028748	51366
<i>Bacillus</i> virus IEBH	NC_011167	53104
<i>Bacillus</i> virus 250	NC_029024	56505
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Stahl	NC_028856	80148
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Slash	NC_022774	80382
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Stills	NC_028777	80798
<i>Bacillus</i> phage Staley	NC_022767	81656



**Figure S1** Alignment of the HNH homing endonucleases encoded by phage vB\_BthS\_BMBphi. The conserve amino acid residues in the six HNH homing endonucleases were shown in color.



**Figure S2** BLASTN analysis of the genome sequence of phage vB\_BthS\_BMBphi. The genome regions that showed similarity with phage vB\_BthS\_BMBphi genome were shown and origin organism were indicated.