



18S ribosomal RNA control	Cell Line	RNA concentration (ng)						NTC
		0.01	0.1	1	10	100		
average Ct values ± standard deviation	A3	26.31 ± 0.74	23.17 ± 0.63	19.60 ± 0.40	16.65 ± 0.11	14.22 ± 0.15		Undetermined
	JAR	25.98 ± 0.51	23.00 ± 0.79	20.21 ± 0.35	17.50 ± 0.17	15.40 ± 0.04		

**Supplementary Figure 1.** Standard Curve of 18S ribosomal RNA control (ThermoFisher, Cat No. 4319413E, VIC™/MGB probe, primer limited). Each data point represents the average Ct values ± standard deviation ( $n=3$ ). The dynamic range of total RNA extracted from A3, and Jar cells were used to generate a standard curve of r18S ribosomal RNA control. As a result, all initial template concentrations plotted on the graph appear to be in the linear dynamic range for the system.

**Supplementary Table 1.** Average Ct values  $\pm$  standard deviation for mRNA expression. RVFV, cytokines, and the endogenous control gene 18S rRNA, in A3 and Jar cells. Before and at different time points after RVFV infection ( $n = 6$ ).

Cell Line	RVFV or Cytokines	Mock-infection			wt ZH548		$\Delta$ NSs:Katuskha		18s rRNA
		0h	6h	24h	6h	24h	6h	24h	
A3	RVFV	36.51 $\pm$ 1.33	38.07 $\pm$ 0.89	34.26 $\pm$ 2.04	23.58 $\pm$ 0.92	20.34 $\pm$ 0.37	24.58 $\pm$ 0.85	18.51 $\pm$ 0.24	16.46 $\pm$ 0.89
	IFN $\alpha$ 1	27.72 $\pm$ 0.48	26.44 $\pm$ 0.26	26.21 $\pm$ 0.45	26.12 $\pm$ 0.31	25.63 $\pm$ 0.33	26.41 $\pm$ 0.54	25.82 $\pm$ 0.42	16.02 $\pm$ 0.67
	IFN $\beta$ 1	27.44 $\pm$ 0.41	26.18 $\pm$ 0.39	26.12 $\pm$ 0.38	25.86 $\pm$ 0.51	25.20 $\pm$ 0.41	26.28 $\pm$ 0.28	20.78 $\pm$ 0.38	15.53 $\pm$ 0.76
	IFN $\gamma$ 1	Undetermined <sup>1</sup>	38.19 $\pm$ 1.70	39.17 $\pm$ 0.70	39.45 $\pm$ 0.00	39.65 $\pm$ 0.31	39.24 $\pm$ 0.10	39.24 $\pm$ 0.33	16.90 $\pm$ 0.75
	IFN $\lambda$	38.85 $\pm$ 0.58	39.21 $\pm$ 0.34	36.20 $\pm$ 1.11	34.84 $\pm$ 1.82	27.40 $\pm$ 1.94	31.91 $\pm$ 2.44	20.68 $\pm$ 0.59	17.30 $\pm$ 0.72
	IL-4	38.50 $\pm$ 0.02	37.05 $\pm$ 0.16	38.41 $\pm$ 0.31	38.64 $\pm$ 0.03	35.81 $\pm$ 0.26	37.92 $\pm$ 0.73	35.61 $\pm$ 0.77	17.26 $\pm$ 0.80
	IL-5	35.80 $\pm$ 0.33	35.95 $\pm$ 0.50	35.63 $\pm$ 0.47	35.64 $\pm$ 0.28	32.16 $\pm$ 0.14	35.96 $\pm$ 0.26	36.64 $\pm$ 0.13	16.04 $\pm$ 0.66
	IL-1 $\beta$	25.93 $\pm$ 0.87	25.85 $\pm$ 1.19	25.01 $\pm$ 0.81	24.44 $\pm$ 0.91	22.96 $\pm$ 1.18	26.97 $\pm$ 1.15	21.50 $\pm$ 1.01	17.52 $\pm$ 1.19
	IL-6	28.46 $\pm$ 1.39	28.68 $\pm$ 1.42	28.23 $\pm$ 1.41	28.99 $\pm$ 2.03	26.72 $\pm$ 0.87	28.58 $\pm$ 0.92	21.47 $\pm$ 1.16	14.11 $\pm$ 2.77
	IL-8	24.40 $\pm$ 0.70	25.90 $\pm$ 0.58	24.46 $\pm$ 0.21	25.40 $\pm$ 1.71	22.71 $\pm$ 0.35	25.56 $\pm$ 0.56	17.13 $\pm$ 0.33	15.93 $\pm$ 1.00
	TNF- $\alpha$	36.93 $\pm$ 0.53	37.93 $\pm$ 0.85	36.98 $\pm$ 0.81	37.85 $\pm$ 1.20	34.07 $\pm$ 2.49	37.90 $\pm$ 1.51	29.26 $\pm$ 1.71	16.45 $\pm$ 0.77
	IL-10	38.00 $\pm$ 0.72	36.53 $\pm$ 0.78	38.38 $\pm$ 0.88	36.98 $\pm$ 0.38	32.13 $\pm$ 1.08	37.82 $\pm$ 0.79	35.29 $\pm$ 1.19	16.65 $\pm$ 0.73
	TGF- $\beta$ 1	26.98 $\pm$ 1.53	26.76 $\pm$ 1.56	27.23 $\pm$ 1.80	27.71 $\pm$ 2.24	27.71 $\pm$ 2.19	27.71 $\pm$ 1.71	28.52 $\pm$ 2.00	19.01 $\pm$ 2.38
	TP53	27.83 $\pm$ 0.31	27.74 $\pm$ 0.25	27.46 $\pm$ 0.44	27.92 $\pm$ 0.56	28.07 $\pm$ 0.61	27.51 $\pm$ 0.59	29.18 $\pm$ 0.27	16.92 $\pm$ 0.77
	LC3	27.66 $\pm$ 1.15	27.35 $\pm$ 1.23	27.47 $\pm$ 1.52	28.23 $\pm$ 0.90	29.00 $\pm$ 0.61	28.07 $\pm$ 1.26	29.76 $\pm$ 1.21	19.96 $\pm$ 2.43
	NF- $\kappa$ B	32.03 $\pm$ 0.27	32.02 $\pm$ 0.40	31.86 $\pm$ 0.17	31.84 $\pm$ 0.60	32.72 $\pm$ 0.26	32.08 $\pm$ 0.28	30.26 $\pm$ 0.30	17.84 $\pm$ 0.97
JAR	RVFV	34.75 $\pm$ 2.01	35.72 $\pm$ 1.25	34.26 $\pm$ 1.86	25.03 $\pm$ 0.51	19.50 $\pm$ 3.17	20.62 $\pm$ 1.74	14.87 $\pm$ 1.46	16.57 $\pm$ 0.98
	IFN $\alpha$ 1	28.14 $\pm$ 0.48	28.10 $\pm$ 0.31	28.78 $\pm$ 0.26	26.48 $\pm$ 0.19	26.04 $\pm$ 0.56	26.87 $\pm$ 0.38	26.35 $\pm$ 0.33	15.85 $\pm$ 0.84
	IFN $\beta$ 1	27.37 $\pm$ 0.54	27.77 $\pm$ 0.54	28.74 $\pm$ 0.70	26.62 $\pm$ 0.49	26.26 $\pm$ 0.27	25.71 $\pm$ 0.44	21.22 $\pm$ 0.39	15.38 $\pm$ 0.87
	IFN $\gamma$ 1	36.44 $\pm$ 0.42	37.22 $\pm$ 0.86	36.83 $\pm$ 1.28	37.20 $\pm$ 0.60	37.21 $\pm$ 1.27	36.65 $\pm$ 1.19	35.32 $\pm$ 0.40	16.97 $\pm$ 0.83
	IFN $\lambda$	35.91 $\pm$ 0.97	36.00 $\pm$ 1.23	35.61 $\pm$ 1.10	29.85 $\pm$ 2.64	27.34 $\pm$ 3.80	28.49 $\pm$ 3.20	19.45 $\pm$ 0.18	17.14 $\pm$ 0.80
	IL-4	Undetermined	Undetermined	Undetermined	38.24 $\pm$ 0.00	38.01 $\pm$ 0.00	Undetermined	Undetermined	17.14 $\pm$ 0.97
	IL-5	33.88 $\pm$ 0.33	33.56 $\pm$ 0.01	33.65 $\pm$ 0.25	34.59 $\pm$ 0.10	34.39 $\pm$ 0.46	34.52 $\pm$ 0.22	33.22 $\pm$ 0.25	15.96 $\pm$ 1.06
	IL-1 $\beta$	36.11 $\pm$ 0.56	Undetermined	37.09 $\pm$ 1.08	35.21 $\pm$ 0.64	35.25 $\pm$ 1.08	34.77 $\pm$ 0.93	32.41 $\pm$ 0.32	17.34 $\pm$ 1.11
	IL-6	32.32 $\pm$ 0.95	31.40 $\pm$ 1.09	30.78 $\pm$ 1.13	31.01 $\pm$ 1.44	32.07 $\pm$ 0.87	30.16 $\pm$ 0.98	25.47 $\pm$ 0.99	13.90 $\pm$ 2.87
	IL-8	34.79 $\pm$ 1.20	35.30 $\pm$ 1.46	35.66 $\pm$ 1.02	34.16 $\pm$ 1.82	34.85 $\pm$ 0.92	33.67 $\pm$ 1.60	24.40 $\pm$ 1.20	16.06 $\pm$ 0.97
	TNF- $\alpha$	34.28 $\pm$ 1.52	34.40 $\pm$ 2.21	33.07 $\pm$ 1.89	33.97 $\pm$ 2.57	30.47 $\pm$ 4.38	31.00 $\pm$ 3.05	24.66 $\pm$ 1.97	16.47 $\pm$ 0.88
	IL-10	33.80 $\pm$ 2.00	34.25 $\pm$ 2.27	33.81 $\pm$ 2.17	35.98 $\pm$ 1.50	36.88 $\pm$ 2.02	35.57 $\pm$ 2.89	36.56 $\pm$ 0.40	16.57 $\pm$ 0.80
	TGF- $\beta$ 1	29.81 $\pm$ 2.63	30.68 $\pm$ 2.83	30.41 $\pm$ 2.09	29.91 $\pm$ 3.11	28.68 $\pm$ 2.80	30.09 $\pm$ 3.14	29.00 $\pm$ 2.18	19.02 $\pm$ 2.39
	TP53	28.26 $\pm$ 0.20	28.11 $\pm$ 0.12	28.45 $\pm$ 0.36	28.69 $\pm$ 0.94	29.10 $\pm$ 0.97	28.51 $\pm$ 0.97	30.27 $\pm$ 0.24	16.72 $\pm$ 0.99
	LC3	36.27 $\pm$ 1.06	36.49 $\pm$ 1.16	36.13 $\pm$ 0.82	36.41 $\pm$ 0.86	36.35 $\pm$ 1.98	35.94 $\pm$ 0.94	36.71 $\pm$ 0.46	19.80 $\pm$ 2.42
	NF- $\kappa$ B	32.31 $\pm$ 0.16	31.93 $\pm$ 0.24	32.00 $\pm$ 0.28	32.37 $\pm$ 0.19	33.42 $\pm$ 0.51	31.83 $\pm$ 0.15	30.80 $\pm$ 0.55	17.71 $\pm$ 0.88

<sup>1</sup> Undetermined Ct values were excluded from this study.