

*Supplementary Information*

# Breeding for Virus Resistance and its Effects on Deformed Wing Virus Infection Patterns in Honey Bee Queens.

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**Table S1.** Primer sequences.

Virus	Primers	Sequence '5'-3'	Size (bp)	Ref
DWV-A	DWV-F	5'-TTC ATT AAA GCC ACC TGG AAC ATC- 3'	136	[55]
	DWV-R	5'-TTT CCT CAT TAA CTG TGT CGT TGA-3'		
DWV-B	VDV-F2	5'-TAT CTT CAT TAA AAC CGC CAG GCT- 3'	140	[56]
	VDV-R2a	5'-CTT CCT CAT TAA CTG AGT TGT TGT C- 3'		

Table S2. overview of number of infections and infection loads.

Status	Eviscerated Abdomen		Guts		Head		Ovaries		Spermatheca		Thorax		
	Nr. of infections	Avg. infection load	Nr. of infections	Avg. infection load	Nr. of infections	Avg. infection load	Nr. of infections	Avg. infection load	Nr. of infections	Avg. infection load	Nr. of infections	Avg. infection load	
DWV -A	QD S-	13	3.9	13	5.2	11	3.5	15	5.5	16	4.1	13	3.4
	QD S+	3	3.1	12	4.3	2	3.4	13	4.9	12	3.1	3	3.1
DWV -B	QDS- QDS+	17 15	4.2 3.1	19 19	3.8 3.1	2 0	3.0 -	19 20	4.5 4.6	17 17	3.3 4.4	3 0	2.5 -