

Supplementary Materials

***TmSpz*-like Plays a Fundamental Role in Response to *E. coli* but Not *S. aureus* or *C. albican* Infection in *Tenebrio molitor* via Regulation of Antimicrobial Peptide Production**

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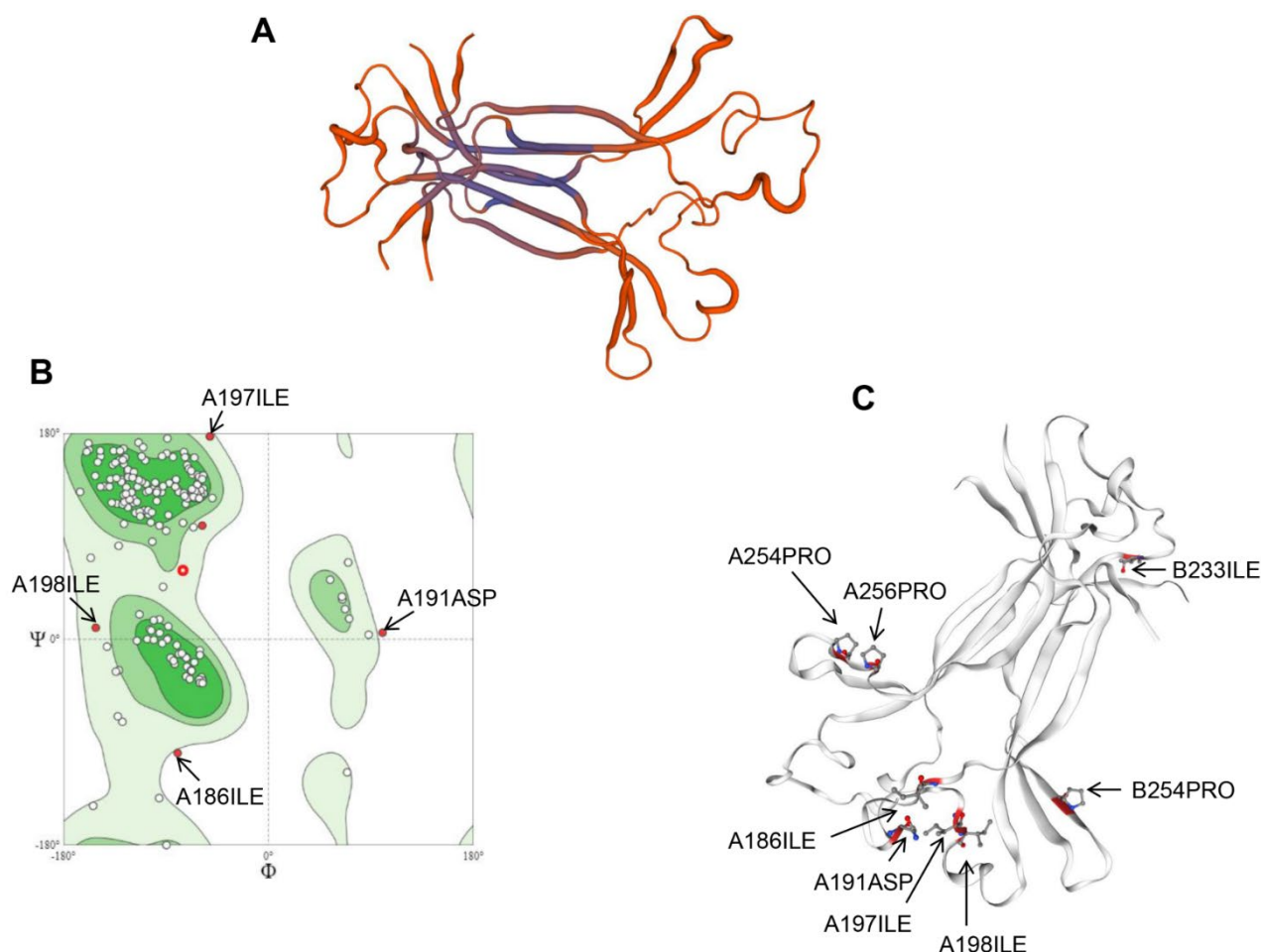


Figure S1. Predicted model of *TmSpz*-like using the SWISS-MODEL program. (A) Homology model of *TmSpz*-like based on the reference model [SMTL ID: 3e07.1]. Crystal structure of Spätzle cysteine knot homodimer. (B) Ramachandran plot diagram of *TmSpz*-like that allows a combination of conformational angles psi (ψ) and phi (ϕ). The shaded region

corresponds to allowed conformation of residues. Ramachandran outlier residues are shown in the predicted model. (C) Ramachandran outliers (A-chain: 198ILE, 197ILE, 191ASN, 250PRO, 256PRO; B-chain; 233ILE, 254PRO) constitute 3.94% of the residues of *TmSpz*-like.

Table S1. Percentage amino acid sequence identity of *TmSpz*-like with its orthologs in other insects

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