

Supplementary information

Table S1. Clinical signs of ranavirosis. A list of clinical signs of ranavirosis that were watched for throughout this study as well as humane end-point checks considered in the thesis by Brookes, 2022 (Brookes, 2022).

Sign	Description
<i>Ranavirosis</i>	
Oedema	The physical appearance of an enlarged area, with tightening of the skin increasing with an increase severity of oedema. Caused by excess fluid acclimating under the skin. Area affected is specific to the anatomy: -dermis around the mandible (often referred to as lips), floor of oral cavity, dermis around the eye, and broader areas such as the abdomen, drink patch, upper front limbs and upper hindlimbs, digits and cloaca. Blood vesicles will be constricted by the increasing fluid under the skin and will be contributed, appearing bright red. The area affected by oedema may appear both rigid and floppy dependent on where the oedema is. The presence of the fluid can be confirmed by a physical exam or by histopathological assessment.
Tremors	When the amphibian's muscles are in spasm, overtly clear in the hind limbs and sometimes eyes and muscles around the face. Can last for a few seconds and each recovery and new event recorded separately.
Swelling	Inflammation of a localised area, appearing as a small bump in a part of an individual's external appearance. Will disappear with the reversal of the inflammatory response and can be manipulated on an individual's exterior.
Erythema	Can appear on any part of the body The skin appears with generalised reddened skin caused by increased blood flow and vessel congestion in the skin or mucous membranes.
Haemorrhage	Can appear on any part of the body Petechiae: bleeding into the skin/tissue and gives the appearance of tiny red dots, that can be seen on their own or in clusters. Ecchymosis: Bleeding occurs as a result of blood vessels. Gives the appearance of a large bruise.
Lethargic/laboured movements	Generalised: Slowed, infrequent and/or abnormal movements and other behaviours performed abnormally, slowly and less frequently than unaffected animals. Reduced use of space, with possibly a reduction in the normal physical range of movement. Laboured hopping/jumping Laboured walking When an animal loses weight (and in the absence of being weighed, when an individual shrink's in appearance with a decrease in a scored body condition but with no change in length of growth stage). Includes the defined use of 'anorexia', which infers a physiological element Summarised, as an individual showing no attempt to seek out food when offered and/or by the weight/quantity of leftover food (those sizable to ingest).
Emaciation	
Lack of appetite	
<i>Humane end-point checks:</i>	General: A lack of enthusiasm or interest. Delay or loss of hop reflex Decrease in activity Loss or decrease in antipredator response Loss of aggressive behaviour A loss of a startle response Reduced responsiveness to being handled Obtunded When inverted: i) fails to place all four limbs back on the ground and support its own body weight; ii) laboured righting attempts, often with hind limbs extended and uncoordinated limb movements; iii) marked decrease in reaction to inversion/increase in reaction time when inverted, effects increasing with each invert. Tested 3 times. Loss of balance and/or coordination during locomotion (walk, hop, climb) and unusual and slow eye movements, lacking in focus. Can also affect feeding behaviours, with difficulty focusing on food, may result in less successful strike for post-metamorphic or land-based amphibians. Behaviour is usually unchanged when overtly stimulated.
Poor righting reflex	
Uncoordinated	

Table S2. Detection of RUK13 in *R. temporaria* at day 2, 4, and 6 post-exposure using quantitative PCR (qPCR) for samples obtained pre and post-euthanasia. Positive (+), negative (-), sample not done (ND).

No. of days post-infection												
Day 2				Day 4				Day 6				
	Control	Low	Medium	High	Control	Low	Medium	High	Control	Low	Medium	High
Swab												
Pre-death	7(-)				1(+), 6(-)				7(-)			
Buccal	6(-), 1(ND)	7(-)	3(+), 4(-)	6(+), 1(-)	6(-), 1(ND)	4(+), 3(-)	7(+)	7(+)	6(-), 1(ND)	7(-)	7(+)	7(+)
Digits		7(-)	7(-)	6(+), 1(-)		2(+), 5(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)		7(-)	7(+)	7(+)
Body		7(-)	1(+), 6(-)	6(+), 1(-)		2(+), 5(-)	6(+), 1(-)	5(+), 2(-)		7(-)	7(+)	7(+)
Environment	7(-)	7(-)	5(+), 2(-)	7(+)	7(-)	7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)	7(-)	7(-)	5(+), 2(-)	7(+)
Stool	4(-), 3(ND)	2(-), 5(ND)	2(+), 5(ND)	(1+), 1(-), 5(ND)	1(+), 5(-), 1(ND)	1(+), 5(-), 1(ND)	6(+), 1(-)	6(+), 1(ND)	7(-)	7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)
Toe clip		7(-)	7(-)	7(-)		7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	4(+), 3(-)		7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)
Liver	7(-)	7(-)	1(+), 6(-)	3(+), 4(-)	7(-)	4(+), 3(-)	7(+)	6(+), 1(-)	7(-)	7(-)	7(+)	7(+)
Kidney		6(-), 1(ND)	1(+), 6(-)	1(+), 6(-)		3(+), 4(-)	7(+)	6(+), 1(-)		7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)
Brain	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	7(-)	2(+), 5(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	2(+), 5(-)	5(+), 2(-)	5(+), 2(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)
GIT	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	7(+)	6(+), 1(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	5(+), 2(-)	7(+)	7(+)	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	7(+)	7(+)
Gall bladder		6(-), 1(ND)	6(-), 1(ND)	7(-)		1(+), 6(-)	4(+), 2(-), 1(ND)	5(+), 2(-)		7(-)	4(+), 3(ND)	6(+), 1(ND)
Heart	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	1(+), 6(-)	1(+), 6(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	1(+), 6(-)	6(+), 1(-)	6(+), 1(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)
Lungs	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	1(+), 6(-)	4(+), 3(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	3(+), 4(-)	7(+)	5(+), 2(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)
Leg	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	7(-)	7(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	2(+), 5(-)	7(+)	6(+), 1(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)
Spleen/Pancreas	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	1(+), 1(-), 5(ND)	3(+), 4(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	2(+), 5(-)	7(+)	7(+)	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	7(+)	7(+)
Large Intestine	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	2(+), 5(-)	5(+), 2(-)	1(-), 6(ND)	3(+), 4(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)	1(-), 6(ND)	7(-)	6(+), 1(-)	7(+)

Table S3. Sample type performance in *R. temporaria*. The performance of each sample type across all three sampling days and treatments in frogs using: test sensitivity and specificity and the rate of false negatives (β) and false positives (α).

	% detectability	Sensitivity (%)	Specificity (%)	α (false +ve) %	β (false -ve) %
Swab					
Buccal	62	85	100	0	15
Digits	56	76	100	0	24
Body	57	78	100	0	22
Tank	59	80	100	0	20
Stool	44	78	100	0	22
Toe clip	41	57	100	0	43
	% detectability	Sensitivity (%)	Specificity (%)	α (false +ve) %	β (false -ve) %
Liver	56	76	100	0	24
Brain	43	59	100	0	39
Gastro-intestinal tract	71	98	94	6	2
Gall bladder	32	50	100	0	50
Kidney	52	72	100	0	25
Heart	44	61	100	0	37
Lungs	52	72	100	0	25
Leg	44	61	100	0	37
Spleen/Pancreas	54	76	100	0	21
Large Intestine	57	78	100	0	19

Table S4. Detection of RUK13 and PDE18 in *B.bufo* at day 4, 6, and 8 post-exposure using quantitative PCR (qPCR) for samples obtained pre and post-euthanasia. Positive (+), negative (-), sample not done (ND).

	Day 4			Day 6			Day 8		
	Control	PDE18	RUK13	Control	PDE18	RUK13	Control	PDE18	RUK13
Swab									
<i>Tank</i>	1(+), 2(-)	1(+), 6(-)	1(+), 6(-)	3(-)	7(-)	7(N)	3(-)	1(+), 6(-)	7(-)
<i>Digit</i>	1(+), 2(-)	1(+), 6(-)	3(+), 4(-)	3(-)	7(-)	1(+), 6(-)	3(-)	1(+), 6(-)	1(+), 6(-)
<i>Buccal</i>	1(+), 2(-)	2(+), 5(-)	5(+), 2(-)	3(-)	2(+), 5(-)	5(+), 2(-)	3(-)	5(+), 2(-)	7(+)
Stool	3(ND)	7(ND)	7(ND)	1(-), 2(ND)	7(ND)	5(-), 2(ND)	1(-), 2(ND)	1(-), 6(ND)	1(-), 6(ND)
Liver	3(-)	7(-)	7(-)	3(-)	7(-)	1(+), 6(-)	3(-)	4(+), 3(-)	1(+), 6(-)
GIT	1(+), 2(-)	7(-)	7(-)	3(-)	3(+), 4(-)	2(+), 5(-)	3(-)	2(+), 5(-)	2(+), 5(-)
Leg	3(-)	7(-)	1(+), 6(-)	3(-)	7(-)	2(+), 5(-)	3(-)	2(+), 5(-)	7(-)

Table S5. Generalised Linear Mixed effects model output for *R. temporaria* (Outcome ~ Sample + Day + Dose + (1|Frog)) p-values for fixed effects and their interactions with detectability. An effect is deemed significant if p-value is <0.05.

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Dose	Low	Medium	<0.0001
		High	<0.0001
	Medium	High	0.6046
Day	2	4	<0.0001
		6	<0.0001
	4	6	1
Sample	Buccal	Brain	0.0221
		Gall bladder	0.0005
		Toe clip	0.0066
		Gall bladder	0.0454
		Gall bladder	0.0159
		GIT	<.0001
		Gall bladder	<.0001
		Heart	<.0001
		Kidney	0.007
		Leg	<.0001
		Lung	0.007
		Spleen/pancreas	0.0262
		Stool	0.0108
		Toe	<.0001
		Large Intestine	0.0159
		Liver	0.0454
		Tank	0.0053

Table S6. Zero-inflated Gaussian Mixed effects model output for viral load in *R. temporaria* (Load ~ Tissue*Dose*Day + (1|Frog)) p-values for fixed effects and their interactions with viral load of tissues. An effect is deemed significant if p-value is <0.05.

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Day	2	4	<0.0001
		6	<0.0001
		4	0.0227
Dose	Low	Medium	<0.0001
		High	<0.0001
	Medium	High	0.0006
Organ	Brain	GIT	<.0001
		Lung	0.0001
	Gall bladder	GIT	<.0001
		Lung	0.0003
	GIT	Heart	0.0008
		Kidney	0.0001
		Leg	0.0001
		LI	0.0021
		Liver	<0.0001
	Spleen/pancreas		0.002
		Toe	<0.0001
	Heart	Toe	0.0354
	LI	Toe	0.0052
	Lung	Toe	<0.0001
	Spleen/pancreas	Toe	0.0092
Day*Dose	Day 4 - Low	Day 4 - Medium	0.0228
		Day 4 - High	0.0468
	Day 6 - Low	Day 6 - Medium	<0.0001
		Day 6 - High	<0.0001
	Day 2 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	0.0015
		Day 6 - Medium	0.0003
	Day 6 - Medium	Day 6 - High	<0.0001
	Day 2 - High	Day 4 - High	0.0371
		Day 6 - High	<0.0001
	Day 4 - High	Day 6 - High	<0.0001
Dose*Organ	Medium - Brain	Medium - GIT	<0.0001
		Medium - Kidney	0.019
		Medium - LI	0.0205
		Medium - Lung	<0.0001
	Medium - Spleen/pancreas		0.0206
		Medium - GIT	0.0001
	Medium - GB	Medium - Lung	0.0028
		Medium - Heart	0.008
	Medium - GIT	Medium - Kidney	0.0096
		Medium - Liver	<0.0001
		Medium - Toe	<0.0001
	Medium - Kidney	Medium - Toe	0.0385
	Medium - LI	Medium - Lung	0.0071
	Medium - Lung	Medium - Toe	<0.0001
	Medium - Spleen/pancreas	Medium - Toe	0.0399
	High - Brain	High - GIT	<0.0001
		High - Lung	0.0027
	High - GB	High - GIT	<0.0001
	High - GIT	High - Heart	<0.0001
		High - Kidney	<0.0001
		High - Leg	<0.0001
		High - LI	<0.0001
		High - Liver	<0.0001
		High - Lung	<0.0001
	High - Spleen/pancreas		<0.0001
		High - Toe	<0.0001
	High - LI	High - Lung	<0.0001
	High - Liver	High - Lung	0.015
	High - Lung	High - Toe	<0.0001
	High - Spleen/pancreas	High - Toe	0.0002

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Organ*Day	Day 2 - GB	Day 6 - GB	0.0005
	Day 2 - GIT	Day 4 - GIT	<0.0001
		Day 6 - GIT	0.002
	Day 2 - Heart	Day 4 - Heart	0.0039
		Day 6 - Heart	0.0001
	Day 2 - Kidney	Day 4 - Kidney	0.0222
		Day 6 - Kidney	0.0003
	Day 2 - Leg	Day 4 - Leg	0.0032
		Day 6 - Leg	<0.0001
	Day 2 - LI	Day 6 - LI	0.0084
	Day 2 - Liver	Day 4 - Liver	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Liver	<0.0001
	Day 2 - Lung	Day 6 - Lung	0.0321
Day 2 - Spleen/pancreas	Day 6 - Spleen/pancreas	Day 6 - Spleen/pancreas	0.0031
	Day 2 - Toe	Day 6 - Toe	0.0055
	Day 4 - Brain	Day 4 - GIT	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Heart	0.0003
		Day 4 - Kidney	0.002
		Day 4 - Leg	0.0043
		Day 4 - Liver	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Lung	<0.0001
	Day 4 - GB	Day 4 - GIT	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Lung	0.0091
	Day 4 - GIT	Day 4 - Heart	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Kidney	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Leg	<0.0001
		Day 4 - LI	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Liver	<0.0001
	Day 4 - Spleen/pancreas	Day 4 - Spleen/pancreas	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Toe	<0.0001
	Day 4 - Heart	Day 4 - Toe	0.0016
	Day 4 - Kidney	Day 4 - Toe	0.0118
	Day 4 - Leg	Day 4 - Toe	0.0147
	Day 4 - Liver	Day 4 - Toe	0.0001
	Day 4 - Lung	Day 4 - Toe	<0.0001

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Organ Day Dose			
	Day 4 - Low	Day 4 - Low	<0.0001
	Brain	GIT	
	Day 4 - Low	Day 4 - Low	<0.0001
	GB	GIT	
		Day 4 - Low	0.0076
		Lung	
	Day 4 - Low	Day 4 - Low	0.0003
	GIT	Kidney	
		Day 4 - Low	0.0001
		Leg	
	Day 4 - Low	Day 4 - Low	<0.0001
	LI	LI	
		Day 4 - Low	0.0001
		Liver	
	Day 4 - Low	Day 4 - Low	0.0001
	Spleen/pancreas	Toe	
		Day 4 - Low	0.0128
		Toe	
	Day 2 - Medium	Day 2 - Medium	0.0007
	Kidney	Lung	
	Day 2 - Medium	Day 2 - Medium	0.008
	LI	Liver	
	Day 2 - Medium	Day 2 - Medium	<0.0001
	Liver	Lung	
		Day 2 - Medium	0.0005
		Spleen/pancreas	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
	Brain	GIT	
		Day 4 - Medium	0.0275
		Heart	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	0.0003
	Kidney	Kidney	
		Day 4 - Medium	0.0002
		Leg	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	0.0002
	LI	LI	
		Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
		Liver	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
	Lung	Lung	
		Day 4 - Medium	0.018
		Spleen/pancreas	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	0.0012
	Gall bladder	GIT	
		Day 4 - Medium	0.0026
		Toe	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	0.0002
	GIT	Heart	
		Day 4 - Medium	0.0058
		Kidney	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	0.0119
	Leg	Leg	
		Day 4 - Medium	0.0425
		LI	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	0.0001
	Heart	Spleen/pancreas	
		Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
		Toe	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	0.0002
	Heart	Toe	
		Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
		Toe	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
	Kidney	Toe	
		Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
		Toe	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
	Leg	Toe	
		Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
		Toe	
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
	LI	Toe	
		Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
		Toe	

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Organ Day Dose			
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	
	Lung	Toe	<0.0001
	Day 4 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	
	Spleen/pancreas	Toe	0.0001
	Day 6 - Medium	Day 6 - Medium	
	Brain	GIT	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Heart	0.0158
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Kidney	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Leg	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Liver	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Lung	0.0008
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Spleen/pancreas	0.0418
	Day 6 - Medium	Day 6 - Medium	
	Gall bladder	GIT	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Kidney	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Leg	0.001
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Liver	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Lung	0.0125
	Day 6 - Medium	Day 6 - Medium	
	GIT	Heart	0.0427
		Day 6 - Medium	
		LI	0.0019
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Spleen/pancreas	0.0084
		Day 6 - Medium	
		Toe	<0.0001
	Day 6 - Medium	Day 6 - Medium	
	Kidney	LI	0.0137
	Day 6 - Medium	Day 6 - Medium	
	Leg	Toe	0.0404
	Day 2 - High	Day 2 - High	
	Brain	Liver	0.0007
	Day 2 - High	Day 2 - High	
	Gall bladder	GIT	0.0045
	Day 2 - High	Day 2 - High	
	GIT	Heart	<0.0001
		Day 2 - High	
		Kidney	0.0342
		Day 2 - High	
		Leg	0.0045
		Day 2 - High	
		LI	0.0451
		Day 2 - High	
		Liver	<0.0001
		Day 2 - High	
		Spleen/pancreas	<0.0001
		Day 2 - High	
		Toe	<0.0001
	Day 2 - High	Day 2 - High	
	LI	Liver	0.0001
	Day 2 - High	Day 2 - High	
	Liver	Lung	0.0003
	Day 4 - High	Day 4 - High	
	Brain	GB	0.0414
		Day 4 - High	
		GIT	<0.0001
		Day 4 - High	
		Heart	0.0052

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Organ Day Dose			
	Day 4 - High		0.0057
	Kidney		
	Day 4 - High		0.0001
	Leg		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Liver		
	Day 4 - High		0.0002
	Lung		
	Day 4 - High		0.0011
	Spleen/pancreas		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Gall bladder		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	GIT		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Heart		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Kidney		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Leg		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	LI		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Liver		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Lung		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Spleen/pancreas		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Toe		
	Day 4 - High		0.0032
	LI		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Liver		
	Day 4 - High		0.0025
	Toe		
	Day 4 - High		0.017
	Lung		
	Day 4 - High		<0.0001
	Spleen/pancreas		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	Brain		
	Day 6 - High		0.0006
	GIT		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	Heart		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	Leg		
	Day 6 - High		0.0001
	LI		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	Lung		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	Spleen/pancreas		
	Day 6 - High		0.0018
	Gall bladder		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	GIT		
	Day 6 - High		0.0028
	Kidney		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	Liver		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	Toe		
	Day 6 - High		0.0041
	Heart		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	Kidney		
	Day 6 - High		0.0001
	Toe		
	Day 6 - High		0.0011
	Leg		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	LI		
	Day 6 - High		<0.0001
	Lung		
	Day 6 - High		0.0001
	Spleen/pancreas		

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Organ Day Dose	Day 6 - High Leg	Day 6 - High Liver	0.0436
		Day 6 - High Toe	<0.0001
	Day 6 - High Liver	Day 6 - High Lung	0.0074
	Day 6 - High Lung	Day 6 - High Toe	<0.0001
	Day 6 - High Spleen/pancreas	Day 6 - High Toe	<0.0001

Table S7. Zero-inflated Gaussian Mixed effects model outputs for viral quantity during shedding in *R. temporaria* (Quantity ~ Sample*Day*Dose + (1|Frog)) p-values for fixed effects and their interactions with viral shedding in stool and tank swabs. An effect is deemed significant if p-value is <0.05.

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Day	2	4	<0.0001
		6	<0.0001
Dose	Low	Medium	<0.0001
		High	<0.0001
	Medium	High	<0.0001
Day*Dose	Day 2 - Low	Day 4 - Low	<0.0001
		Day 2 - Medium	0.0002
		Day 2 - High	<0.0001
	Day 4 - Low	Day 4 - Medium	0.0005
		Day 4 - High	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Low	<0.0001
	Day 6 - Low	Day 6 - Medium	<0.0001
		Day 6 - High	<0.0001
	Day 2 - Medium	Day 4 - Medium	<0.0001
		Day 6 - Medium	<0.0001
		Day 2 - High	0.0036
	Day 6 - Medium	Day 6 - High	0.0457
	Day 2 - High	Day 6 - High	<0.0001
	Day 4 - High	Day 6 - High	0.0295
Sample Day	Day 4 - GIT	Day 4 - Body	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Digit	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Kidney	0.0009
		Day 4 - Liver	0.0001
		Day 4 - Stool	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Tank	<0.0001
	Day 4 - Body	Day 4 - Tank	0.0073
	Day 4 - Digit	Day 4 - Stool	0.0085
		Day 4 - Tank	0.0003
	Day 4 - Kidney	Day 4 - Stool	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Tank	<0.0001
	Day 4 - Liver	Day 4 - Stool	0.0001
		Day 4 - Tank	<0.0001
	Day 6 - GIT	Day 6 - Stool	0.0209
	Day 6 - Kidney	Day 6 - Stool	0.0107
	Day 6 - Liver	Day 6 - Stool	0.025
	Day 2 - Stool	Day 4 - Stool	0.0009
Dose*Sample	Medium - Body	Medium - GIT	<0.0001
		Medium - Kidney	0.0099
	Medium - Digit	Medium - GIT	<0.0001
		Medium - Kidney	0.0002
		Medium - Liver	0.0361
	Medium - GIT	Medium - Liver	0.0486
		Medium - Stool	<0.0001
		Medium - Tank	<0.0001
	Medium - Kidney	Medium - Stool	<0.0001
		Medium - Tank	<0.0001
	Medium - Liver	Medium - Stool	0.0013
	High - Body	High - GIT	0.0003
		High - Stool	<0.0001
	High - Digit	High - Stool	<0.0001
	High - GIT	High - Kidney	0.01
		High - Liver	0.0002
		High - Stool	<0.0001
		High - Tank	<0.0001
	High - Kidney	High - Stool	0.0002
	High - Liver	High - Stool	<0.0001
	High - Stool	High - Tank	<0.0001
	Low - Stool	Medium - Stool	<0.0001
		High - Stool	<0.0001
	Low - Tank	Medium - Tank	<0.0001
		High - Tank	<0.0001
	Medium - Tank	High - Tank	<0.0001

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Sample Dose Day	Day 2 - Medium Digit	Day 2 - Medium GIT	0.0006
		Day 2 - Medium Kidney	0.008
		Day 2 - Medium Tank	0.0256
	Day 2 - High Body	Day 2 - High Liver	0.0002
		Day 2 - High Stool	0.0331
	Day 2 - High Digit	Day 2 - High Liver	0.0002
		Day 2 - High Stool	0.0313
	Day 2 - High GIT	Day 2 - High Liver	0.0008
	Day 2 - High Kidney	Day 2 - High Tank	0.004
	Day 2 - High Liver	Day 2 - High Tank	<0.0001
	Day 2 - High Stool	Day 2 - High Tank	0.0012
	Day 4 - Low Body	Day 4 - Low Tank	0.0197
	Day 4 - Low Digit	Day 4 - Low Tank	0.0065
	Day 4 - Low GIT	Day 4 - Low Liver	0.025
		Day 4 - Low Stool	0.0045
		Day 4 - Low Tank	<0.0001
	Day 4 - Low Kidney	Day 4 - Low Tank	0.0021
	Day 4 - Low Liver	Day 4 - Low Tank	0.007
	Day 4 - Medium Body	Day 4 - Medium GIT	0.0109
		Day 4 - Medium Liver	0.0304
	Day 4 - Medium GIT	Day 4 - Medium Digit	0.0034
		Day 4 - Medium Stool	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Medium Tank	<0.0001
	Day 4 - Medium Kidney	Day 4 - Medium Stool	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Medium Tank	0.0002
	Day 4 - Medium Liver	Day 4 - Medium Stool	<0.0001
		Day 4 - Medium Tank	0.0006
	Day 4 - High GIT	Day 4 - High Body	0.0003
		Day 4 - High Digit	0.0064
		Day 4 - High Kidney	0.0054
		Day 4 - High Stool	<0.0001
		Day 4 - High Tank	<0.0001
	Day 4 - High Liver	Day 4 - High Stool	0.023
	Day 6 - Medium Body	Day 6 - Medium Stool	<0.0001

Fixed effect	-	-	p value
Day 6 - Medium Digit	Day 6 - Medium Stool		<0.0001
Day 6 - Medium GIT	Day 6 - Medium Stool		<0.0001
Day 6 - Medium Kidney	Day 6 - Medium Stool		<0.0001
	Day 6 - Medium Tank		0.0002
Day 6 - Medium Liver	Day 6 - Medium Stool		<0.0001
	Day 6 - Medium Tank		0.001
Day 6 - High Body	Day 6 - High GIT		0.0058
	Day 6 - High Kidney		0.0004
	Day 6 - High Liver		0.0064
	Day 6 - High Stool		<0.0001
Day 6 - High Digit	Day 6 - High Stool		<0.0001
	Day 6 - High Tank		0.005
Day 6 - High GIT	Day 6 - High Stool		<0.0001
	Day 6 - High Tank		<0.0001
Day 6 - High Kidney	Day 6 - High Stool		<0.0001
	Day 6 - High Tank		<0.0001
Day 6 - High Liver	Day 6 - High Stool		<0.0001
	Day 6 - High Tank		<0.0001
Day 2 - Low Stool	Day 2 - High Stool		0.0171
Day 4 - Low Stool	Day 4 - High Stool		0.0109
Day 6 - Low Stool	Day 6 - Medium Stool		0.0095
	Day 6 - High Stool		<0.0001
Day 2 - Low Tank	Day 2 - Medium Tank		0.0095
	Day 2 - High Tank		<0.0001
Day 2 - Medium Tank	Day 2 - High Tank		<0.0001
Day 4 - Low Tank	Day 4 - Medium Tank		0.0003
	Day 4 - High Tank		<0.0001
Day 6 - Low Tank	Day 6 - Medium Tank		0.0001
	Day 6 - High Tank		<0.0001

Table S8. Clinical signs observed in frogs for the duration of the experiment.

Treatment	Frog	Sign	Days post-exposure
Control	A4/1/1		
	A4/1/2		
	A4/1/3		
	A4/1/4		
	A4/1/5		
	A4/1/6		
	B4/1		
	A4/2/1		
	A4/2/2		
	A4/2/3		
	A4/2/4	Red skin on stomach	4
	A4/2/5		
	A4/2/6		
	B4/2		
	A4/3/1		
	A4/3/2		
	A4/3/3		
Low	A4/3/4		
	A4/3/5		
	A4/3/6		
	B4/3		
	B3/1/1		
	B3/1/2		
	B3/1/3	Red Cloaca	2
	B3/1/4		
	B3/1/5		
	B3/1/6		
	B3/1/7	Red thighs	2
	B3/2/1	Loss of appetite	4
	B3/2/2		
	B3/2/3	Prolapsed cloaca	4
		Redness on right arm	
	B3/2/4		
	B3/2/5		
	B3/2/6		
Medium	B3/2/7		
	B3/3/1		
	B3/3/2		
	B3/3/3		
	B3/3/4		
	B3/3/5	Redness of arms and digits	6
	B3/3/6		
	B3/3/7		
	B2/1/1		
	B2/1/2		
	B2/1/3		
	B2/1/4		
	B2/1/5		
	B2/1/6		
	B2/1/7		
	B2/2/1		
	B2/2/2		
	B2/2/3	Redness near right eye	4
	B2/2/4	Sitting lethargically	3
		Prolapsed cloaca	
		H. top of left leg	
	B2/2/5	Swelling at Cloaca	3
	B2/2/6		
	B2/2/7		
		Swollen stomach	
	B2/3/1	Redness on feet	6
		Leg erythema	
	B2/3/2	Lip erythema	6

Treatment	Frog	Sign	Days post-exposure
Medium	B2/3/3	Leg erythema Swollen stomach Redness on upper right arm	6
	B2/3/4	Lip erythema	
	B2/3/5	Lip erythema	6
		Leg erythema	6
		Red tongue	
	B2/3/6	Redness on lower abdomen and feet	6
	B2/3/7		
High	B1/1/1		
	B1/1/2		
	B1/1/3		
	B1/1/4	Loss of appetite	2
	B1/1/5		
	B1/1/6		
	B1/1/7		
	B1/2/1	Loss of appetite	4
	B1/2/2		
	B1/2/3		
	B1/2/4	Red digits	4
	B1/2/5	Loss of appetite	3
		Bleeding cloaca	4
	B1/2/6	Loss of appetite	4
		Red tongue	4
	B1/2/7	Red tongue	4
	B1/3/1	Loss of appetite	4
		Red digits	
		Red mouth	6
	B1/3/2	Loss of appetite	4
		Bloated stomach	5
		MORT	
		Single red digit	6
		Red cloaca	
	B1/3/3	Loss of appetite	4
		Leg erythmia	
		Lip erythmia	6
	B1/3/4		
	B1/3/5	Loss of appetite	4
		Leg erythmia	
		Lip erythmia	6
	B1/3/6	Loss of appetite	4
	B1/3/7	Red left eye	6

Table S9. Mixed effects model p-values for fixed effects and their interactions in toads. An effect is deemed significant if p-value is <0.05.

Fixed effect		-	-	p value	
Virus	CMTV	FV3		0.1236	
Day	Day 4	Day 6		1	
		Day 8		0.3607	
	Day 6	Day 8		1	
Sample	Buccal	Digit		<0.0001	
		GIT		<0.0001	
		Leg		<0.0001	
		Liver		<0.0001	
		Tank		<0.0001	
	GIT	Leg		0.0013	
		Liver		0.0042	
		Tank		0.0336	
	CMTV - Buccal	CMTV - Digit		0.0001	
Virus*Sample		CMTV - GIT		0.023	
		CMTV - Leg		0.017	
		CMTV - Liver		<0.0001	
		CMTV - Tank		0.0001	
FV3 - Buccal	FV3 - Digit		0.0007		
	FV3 - GIT		0.0024		
	FV3 - Leg		<0.0001		
	FV3 - Liver		<0.0001		
	FV3 - Tank		<0.0001		
CMTV - GIT	CMTV - Leg			0.0151	
	CMTV - Day 6	CMTV - Day 6		0.0068	
		Digit			
		CMTV - Day 6		0.0068	
		Leg			
	CMTV - Day 8	CMTV - Day 6		0.0068	
		Liver			
		CMTV - Day 6		0.0068	
		Tank			
		CMTV - Day 8		0.0055	
CMTV - Day 8	Buccal	Digit			
	Buccal	CMTV - Day 8		<0.0001	
		Leg			
		CMTV - Day 8		0.0043	
		Tank			
	GIT	CMTV - Day 8		0.0028	
		Leg			
		CMTV - Day 8		0.002	
		Liver			
		CMTV - Day 8			
FV3 - Day 4	Leg	CMTV - Day 8			
	Buccal	FV3 - Day 4		0.0047	
		GIT			
		FV3 - Day 4		0.0047	
		Leg			
	Buccal	FV3 - Day 4		0.0047	
		Liver			
		FV3 - Day 4		0.0047	
		Tank			
		FV3 - Day 6		0.008	
FV3 - Day 6	Buccal	Liver			
	Buccal	FV3 - Day 6		0.0022	
		Tank			
		FV3 - Day 6		0.0165	
		Tank			
	GIT	FV3 - Day 8		0.0022	
		Digit			
		FV3 - Day 8		0.0001	
		Leg			
		FV3 - Day 8		<0.0001	
FV3 - Day 8	Leg	Liver			
	Buccal	FV3 - Day 8		0.0002	
		Digit			
		FV3 - Day 8			
		Leg			
	GIT	FV3 - Day 8		0.019	
		Liver			
		FV3 - Day 8		0.001	
		Liver			
		FV3 - Day 8			

Table S10. Clinical signs observed in toads for the duration of the experiment.

Treatment	Toad	Gender	Sign	Day post-exposure
Control	C1/1	Male		
	C1/2	Male		
	C1/3	Male		
	C2/1	Female	Red left digit	6
	C2/2	Female		
	C2/3	Female	v. slight redness on foot (right)	6
	C3/1	Male		
	C3/2	Female		
	C3/3	Male	Red spots on roof of mouth	8
RUK13	R1/1	Male		
	R1/2	Female		
	R1/3	Male		
	R1/4	Male		
	R1/5	Male		
	R1/6	Female		
	R1/7	Male		
	R2/1	Female	Spots on roof/back of mouth	6
	R2/2	Male	Red spotty tongue	
	R2/3	Female	Red eye (right)	
	R2/4	Female	Red spot on tongue/ reddened at base	6
	R2/5	Male		
	R2/6	Female		
	R2/7	Female		
PDE18	R3/1	Male	Gaping	7
	R3/2	Male	Red tongue	8
	R3/2	Male	x1 cricket (inappetance)	3
	R3/2	Male	Red webbing (right foot)	
	R3/2	Male	red tongue	
	R3/2	Male	red leg (right and bit on left)	8
	R3/3	Female	haemorrhage	
PDE18	R3/3	Female	Spotty tongue	8
	R3/4	Female		
	R3/5	Female		
	R3/6	Female		
	R3/7	Female	lip erythema	6
	P1/1	Female		
	P1/2	Male		
	P1/3	Male		
	P1/4	Male		
	P1/5	Male		
	P1/6	Female		
	P1/7	Female		
	P2/1	Female		
	P2/2	Female		
	P2/3	Female		
	P2/4	Female		
	P2/5	Male	Red tongue	6
	P2/6	Female		
	P2/7	Female		
PDE18	P3/1	Female	Spotty tongue	
	P3/2	Male	x1 (inappetance)	
	P3/3	Female	x2 (inappetance)	
	P3/4	Female		
	P3/5	Male	Lethargic	2
	P3/6	Male	Red spotted tongue	8
	P3/7	Female	Red abdomen and upper legs	8

Table S11. Zero-inflated Gaussian Mixed effects model outputs for viral quantity in *R. temporaria* (Quantity ~ Sample*Day*Dose + (1 | Frog)) p-values for fixed effects and their interactions in buccal, body and tank swabs, along with toe clips, stool, liver, GIT and kidney tissue. An effect is deemed significant if p-value is <0.05. Only the interactions of Sample*Day*Dose are shown below.

Fixed effect interactions		P value	Fixed effect interactions		P value
Day 4 – Low Body	Day 4 – Low Buccal	0.0293	Day 4 – Medium GIT	Day 4 – Medium Stool	<0.0001
	Day 4 – Low Toe clip	0.0465		Day 4 – Medium Toe clip	<0.0001
	Day 4 – Low Tank	0.0465		Day 4 – Medium Tank	<0.0001
Day 4 – Low Buccal	Day 4 – Low Liver	0.0110	Day 4 – Medium Kidney	Day 4 – Medium Stool	<0.0001
	Day 4 – Low Stool	0.0009		Day 4 – Medium Toe clip	0.0044
	Day 4 – Low Toe clip	<0.0001		Day 4 – Medium Tank	0.0007
	Day 4 – Low Tank	<0.0001	Day 4 – Medium Liver	Day 4 – Medium Stool	0.0001
Day 4 – Low GIT	Day 4 – Low Stool	0.0123		Day 4 – Medium Toe clip	0.0128
	Day 4 – Low Toe clip	0.0002		Day 4 – Medium Tank	0.0023
	Day 4 – Low Tank	0.0002	Day 6 – Medium Body	Day 6 – Medium Stool	0.0001
Day 4 – Low Kidney	Day 4 – Low Toe clip	0.0053	Day 6 – Medium Buccal	Day 6 – Medium Stool	<0.0001
	Day 4 – Low Tank	0.0053		Day 6 – Medium Toe clip	0.0247
Day 4 – Low Liver	Day 4 – Low Toe clip	0.0180		Day 6 – Medium Tank	0.0026
	Day 4 – Low Tank	0.0180	Day 6 – Medium Digit	Day 6 – Medium Stool	0.0002
Day 2 – Medium Buccal	Day 2 – Medium Digit	0.0151	Day 6 – Medium GIT	Day 6 – Medium Stool	<0.0001
	Day 2 – Medium Toe clip	0.0151		Day 6 – Medium Toe clip	0.0168
Day 2 – Medium Digit	Day 2 – Medium GIT	0.0021		Day 6 – Medium Tank	0.0017
	Day 2 – Medium Kidney	0.0289	Day 6 – Medium Kidney	Day 6 – Medium Stool	<0.0001
Day 2 – Medium GIT	Day 2 – Medium Toe clip	0.0021		Day 6 – Medium Toe clip	0.0093
Day 2 – Medium Kidney	Day 2 – Medium Toe clip	0.0289		Day 6 – Medium Tank	0.0010
Day 4 – Medium Body	Day 4 – Medium GIT	0.0001	Day 6 – Medium Liver	Day 6 – Medium Stool	<0.0001
	Day 4 – Medium Kidney	0.0353		Day 6 – Medium Toe clip	0.0341
Day 4 – Medium Buccal	Day 4 – Medium Stool	0.0003		Day 6 – Medium Tank	0.0037
	Day 4 – Medium Toe clip	0.0284	Day 2 – High Body	Day 2 – High Liver	0.0010
	Day 4 – Medium Tank	0.0056		Day 2 – High Toe clip	0.0036
Day 4 – Medium Digit	Day 4 – Medium GIT	0.0121			

Fixed effect interactions		P value	Fixed effect interactions		P value
Day 2 – High Buccal	Day 2 – High Kidney	0.0025	Day 6 – High Body	Day 6 – High GIT	0.0182
	Day 2 – High Liver	<0.0001		Day 6 – High Kidney	0.0016
	Day 2 – High Stool	0.0005		Day 6 – High Liver	0.0200
	Day 2 – High Toe clip	<0.0001		Day 6 – High Stool	0.0001
Day 2 – High Digit	Day 2 – High Liver	0.0013	Day 6 – High Buccal	Day 6 – High Stool	<0.0001
	Day 2 – High Toe clip	0.0046		Day 6 – High Tank	0.0001
Day 2 – High GIT	Day 2 – High Liver	0.0050	Day 6 – High Digit	Day 6 – High Stool	<0.0001
	Day 2 – High Toe clip	0.0078		Day 6 – High Tank	0.0158
Day 2 – High Kidney	Day 2 – High Tank	0.0178	Day 6 – High GIT	Day 6 – High Stool	<0.0001
Day 2 – High Liver	Day 2 – High Tank	<0.0001		Day 6 – High Tank	<0.0001
Day 2 – High Stool	Day 2 – High Tank	0.0043		Day 6 – High Stool	<0.0001
Day 2 – High Toe clip	Day 2 – High Tank	<0.0001	Day 6 – High Kidney	Day 6 – High Stool	<0.0001
Day 4 – High Body	Day 4 – High Buccal	0.0028	Day 6 – High Liver	Day 6 – High Tank	<0.0001
	Day 4 – High GIT	0.0010		Day 6 – High Stool	<0.0001
Day 4 – High Buccal	Day 4 – High Digit	0.0366	Day 6 – High Tank	Day 6 – High Toe clip	<0.0001
	Day 4 – High Kidney	0.0239			
	Day 4 – High Stool	<0.0001			
	Day 4 – High Tank	0.0001			
Day 4 – High Digit	Day 4 – High GIT	0.0200			
Day 4 – High GIT	Day 4 – High Kidney	0.0151			
	Day 4 – High Stool	<0.0001			
	Day 4 – High Tank	<0.0001			

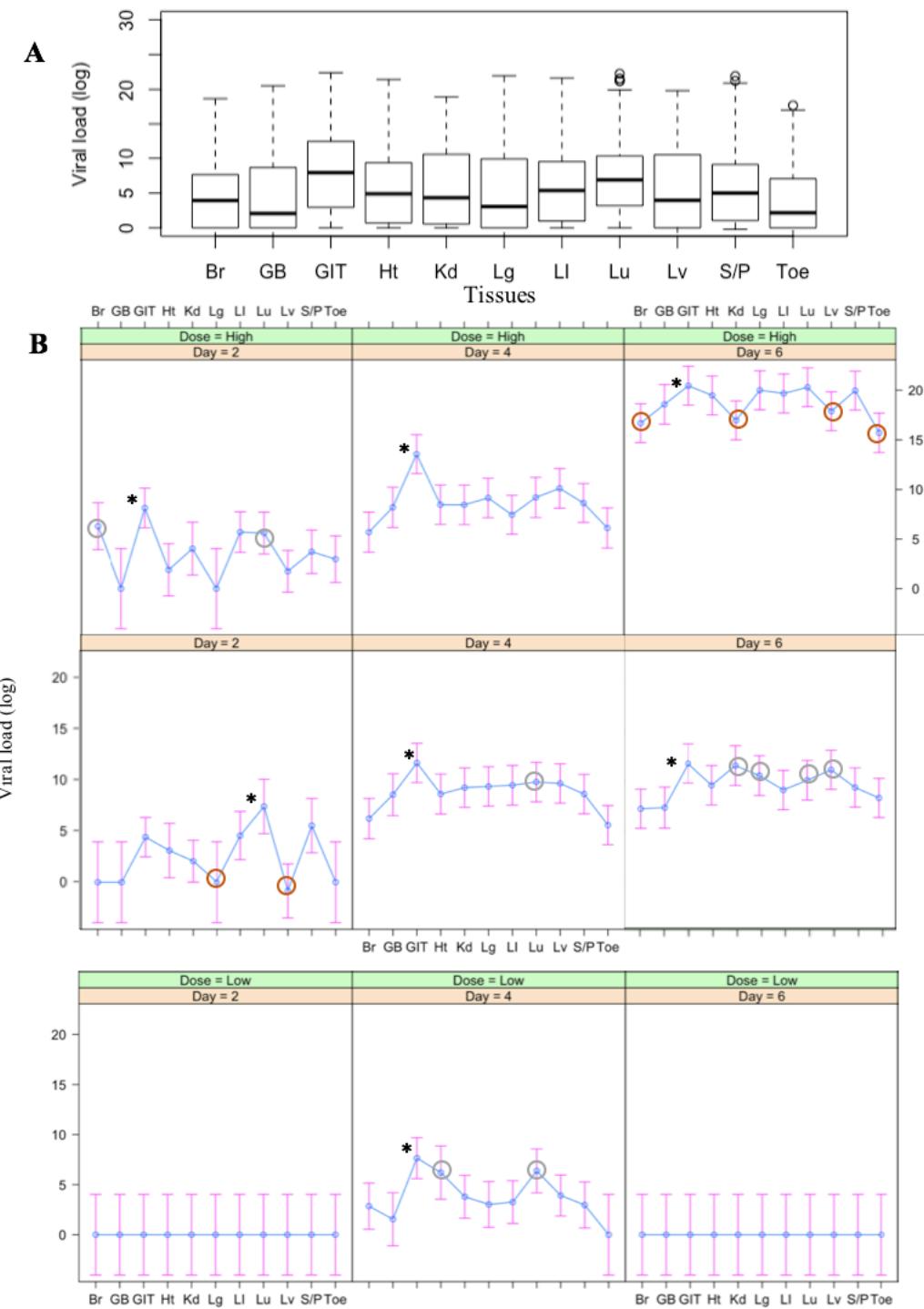


Figure S1. Predicted probabilities of viral load in *R. temporaria* generated from the zero inflated gaussian mixed model for A) tissue as a single factor and, B) tissue*day*dose as interactions. Br=brain, GB=gall bladder, GIT=gastro-intestinal tract, Ht=heart, Kd=kidney, Lg=leg muscle, LI=large intestine, Lu=lung, Lv=liver, S/P=spleen/pancreas, Toe=t�e clip. * indicates a tissue with significantly higher viral loads than either tissue ringed in red, or all tissues not ringed in grey.

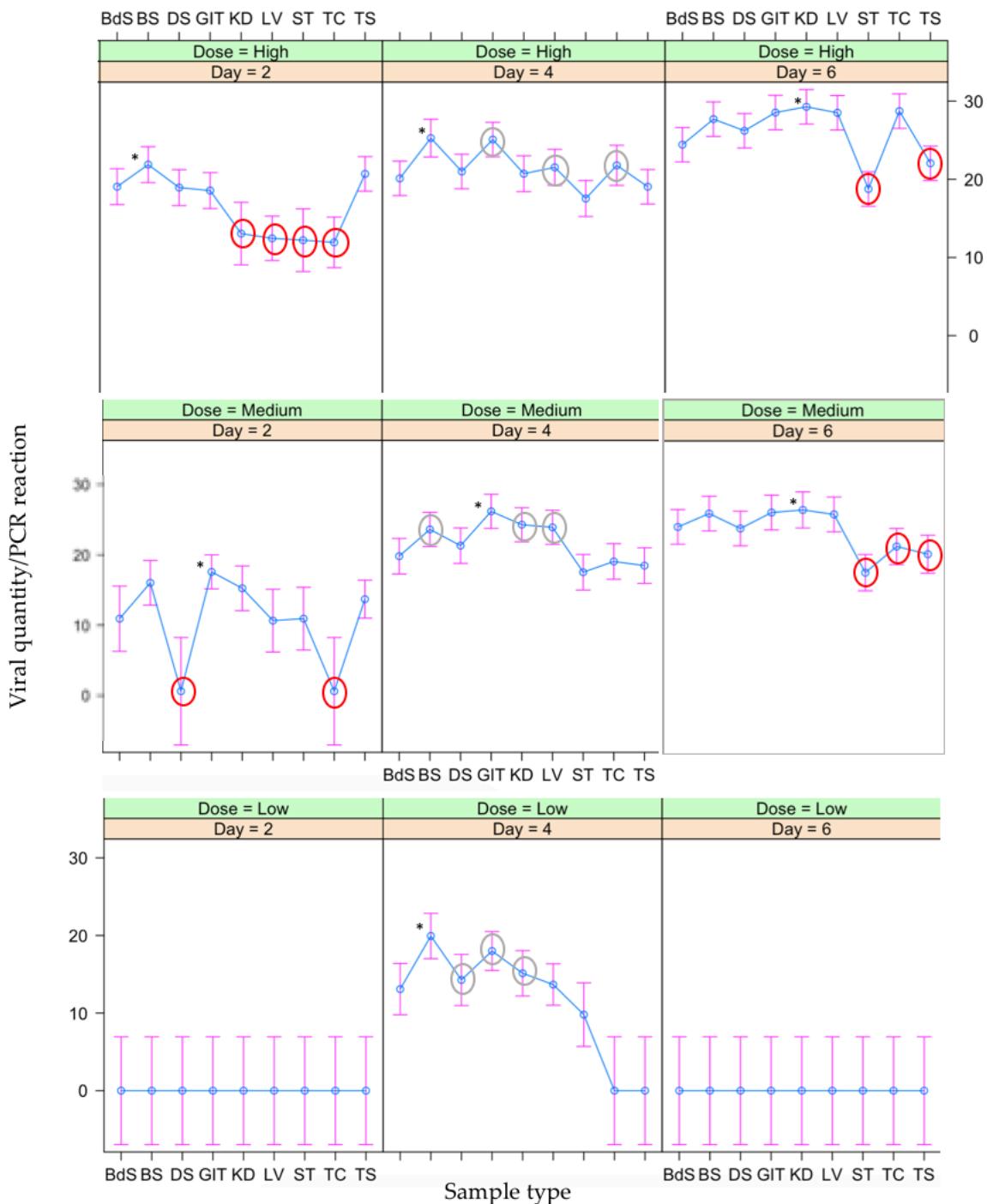


Figure S2. Predicted probabilities of ranavirus quantity/PCR reaction in *R.temporaria* generated from the zero inflated gaussian mixed model for sample*day*dose as interactions. BdS=body swab, BS=buccal swab, DS=digital swab, GIT=gastro-intestinal tract, Kd=kidney, Lv=liver, ST=stool, TC=toe clip, TS=tank swab. * indicates a sample with significantly higher quantities or virus than either tissue ringed in red, or all tissues not ringed in grey.

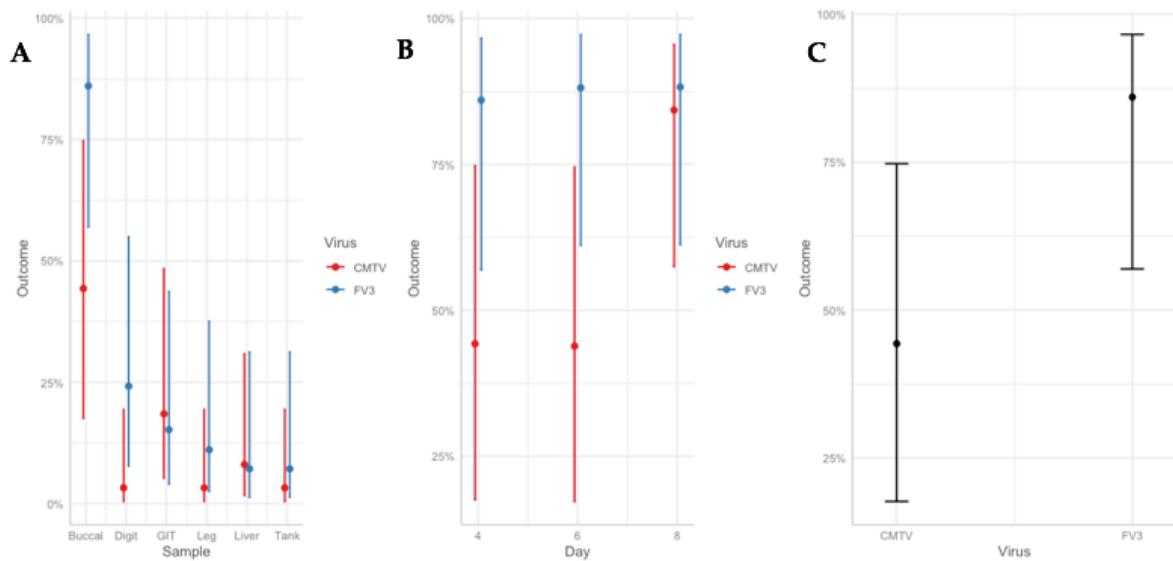


Figure S3. Predicted probabilities of outcome generated from generalised linear mixed effects model of toads for a) sample type with virus, b) virus with day and c) virus only.

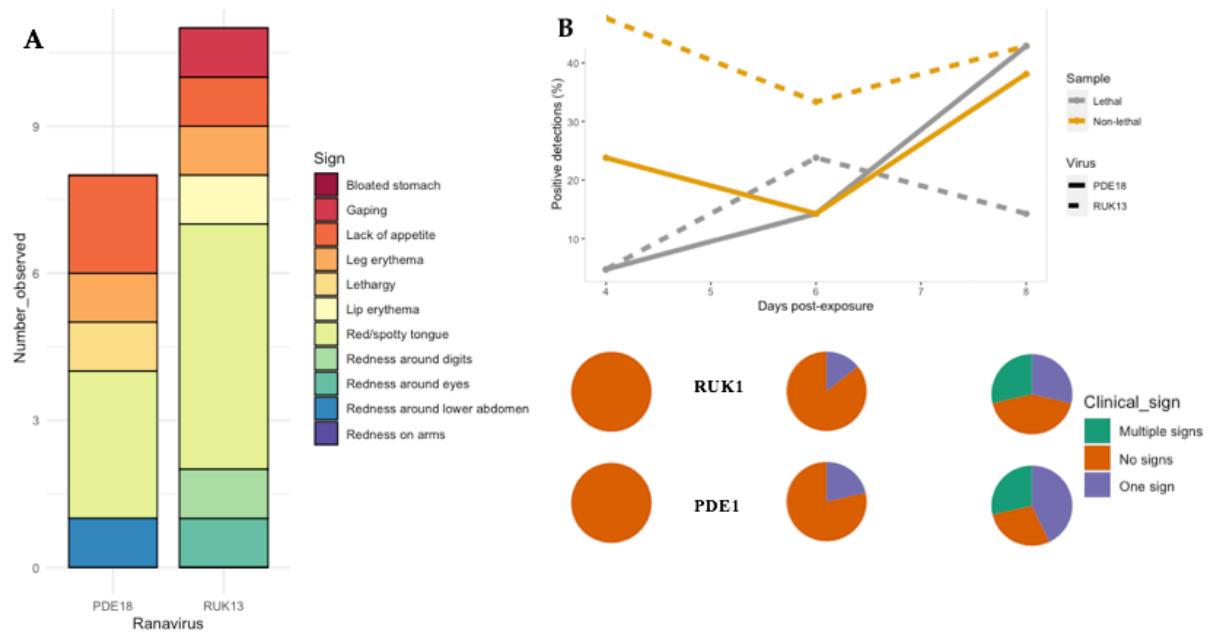


Figure S4. Clinical signs observed in *B.bufo* for both ranavirus treatment groups; a) in total, and b) by individual on sampling days compared to detectability of ranaviruses in non-lethal vs lethal samples.