

TABLE S1 The 200 gene candidates for TEM1 protein translocation assay

gene	Function	Percentage of blue cells (%)	FRET result
ETAE_0047	conserved hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0084	2-amino-3-ketobutyrate coenzyme A ligase	0	negative
ETAE_0085	L-threonine 3-dehydrogenase	0	negative
ETAE_0132	conserved hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0134	gluconate transporter, low affinity GNT 1 system	0	negative
ETAE_0135	gluconate kinase 1	0	negative
ETAE_0137	zinc/cadmium/mercury/lead-transporting ATPase	0	negative
ETAE_0156	peptidase E	0	negative
ETAE_0176	DNA-directed RNA polymerase, beta subunit/160 kD subunit	0	negative
ETAE_0231	DNA damage response protein	0	negative
ETAE_0247	copper-zinc superoxide dismutase	3.2	positive
ETAE_0275	hypothetical protein	4.5	positive
ETAE_0292	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0311	aspartate ammonia-lyase	0	negative
ETAE_0338	fumarate reductase flavoprotein subunit	0	negative
ETAE_0362	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0372	cell morphogenesis/cell wall metabolism regulator	0	negative
ETAE_0411	ATP-dependent RNA helicase	0	negative
ETAE_0435	galacturonate transporter	0	negative
ETAE_0436	glucuronate isomerase	0	negative
ETAE_0438	altronate hydrolase	0	negative
ETAE_0472	3,4-dihydroxy-2-butanone 4-phosphate synthase	0	negative
ETAE_0474	conserved hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0490	putative cytochrome	10.5	positive
ETAE_0512	trypsin-like serine proteases(degQ)	0	negative
ETAE_0530	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0555	conserved hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0578	Na+/H+ antiporter	0	negative
ETAE_0586	putative outer membrane protein	0	negative
ETAE_0666	conserved inner membran protein	0	negative
ETAE_0696	outer membrane protein S1 precursor	0	negative
ETAE_0729	conserved hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0732	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0770	putative alcohol dehydrogenase	0	negative
ETAE_0851	putative sulfite oxidase	0	negative
ETAE_0853	putative guanine amidohydrolase	0	negative
ETAE_0866	two-component sensor/regulator	22.7	positive
ETAE_0867	type III secretion system chaperone protein B(ESCB)	0	negative
ETAE_0871	type III secretion low calcium response	0	negative

	chaperone(escA)		
ETAE_0888	putative TTSS effector protein	14.6	positive
ETAE_0903	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0904	lactose/L-arabinose transport system permease protein	0	negative
ETAE_0906	putative extracellular solute-binding protein	0	negative
ETAE_0913	putative formate acetyltransferase 2	0	negative
ETAE_0922	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0941	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_0943	putative amino acid permease	0	negative
ETAE_1002	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1029	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1030	type 1 fimbrial protein	0	negative
ETAE_1031	fimbrial chaperon protein	0	negative
ETAE_1036	gluconate:H <sup>+</sup> symporter, GntP family	0	negative
ETAE_1050	putative NADH oxidase	0	negative
ETAE_1057	hydroxyisourate hydrolase	0	negative
ETAE_1063	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1142	manganese transport protein	0	negative
ETAE_1157	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1158	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1159	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1163	anti holin-like protein (LrgB)	0	negative
ETAE_1164	anti holin-like protein (LrgA)	0	negative
ETAE_1206	sialic acid synthase	0	negative
ETAE_1217	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1276	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1282	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1289	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1303	major cold shock protein	10.7	positive
ETAE_1304	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1311	putative integral membrane protein	0	negative
ETAE_1322	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1324	peptidoglycan glycosyltransferase	0	negative
ETAE_1342	hypothetical protein	3.2	positive
ETAE_1412	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1438	holliday junction resolvase, endonuclease subunit	0	negative
ETAE_1473	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1507	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1528	outer membrane protein W	0	negative
ETAE_1544	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1572	fructosamine kinase	0	negative
ETAE_1573	hypothetical protein	0	negative

ETAE_1574	lytic transglycosylase catalytic	0	negative
ETAE_1586	hypothetical protein	8.1	positive
ETAE_1604	hypothetical protein	3.7	positive
ETAE_1629	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1638	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1640	putative prophage protein	20.2	positive
ETAE_1708	fumarate hydratase	0	negative
ETAE_1714	dethiobiotin synthetase	0	negative
ETAE_1716	transcriptional antiterminator	0	negative
ETAE_1732	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1733	outer membrane protein induced after carbon starvation	0	negative
ETAE_1743	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1745	universal stress protein	0	negative
ETAE_1752	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1757	hypothetical protein	15.1	positive
ETAE_1765	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1766	putative peptidase	0	negative
ETAE_1771	D-lactate dehydrogenase	0	negative
ETAE_1772	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1780	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1789	phosphoenolpyruvate synthase	0	negative
ETAE_1798	hemin transport protein	0	negative
ETAE_1799	hemin-binding periplasmic protein	0	negative
ETAE_1826	outer membrane protein	0	negative
ETAE_1854	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1855	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1893	site-specific recombinase	0	negative
ETAE_1897	periplasmic stress adaptor protein	0	negative
ETAE_1903	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1931	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1932	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1938	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_1943	putative phage glucose translocase	0	negative
ETAE_1971	vibrio ferrin biosynthesis protein	0	negative
ETAE_1974	ferric vibrio ferrin receptor	0	negative
ETAE_1994	vitamin B12 biosynthetic protein	0	negative
ETAE_2010	sensory histidine kinase in two-component regulatory system with AtoC	0	negative
ETAE_2036	PEBP family protein	0	negative
ETAE_2037	kinesin family	0	negative
ETAE_2038	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2069	hypothetical protein	0	negative

ETAE_2080	lipoprotein	20.2	positive
ETAE_2136	major cold shock protein	10.4	positive
ETAE_2139	putative integrase	0	negative
ETAE_2141	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2167	3-deoxy-manno-octulosonate cytidyltransferase	0	negative
ETAE_2170	cold-shock domain family protein	0	negative
ETAE_2185	hypothetical membran protein	0	negative
ETAE_2186	thioredoxin (H-type,TRX-H)	7.5	positive
ETAE_2187	putative cytochrome c-type biogenesis protein	0	negative
ETAE_2188	hypothetical protein	4.6	positive
ETAE_2209	cold shock protein	5.2	positive
ETAE_2228	putative outer membrane protein	0	negative
ETAE_2259	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2263	probable serine transporter	0	negative
ETAE_2272	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2326	transcriptional regulator, AraC family	0	negative
ETAE_2327	ATP-dependent RNA helicase	0	negative
ETAE_2396	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2399	rhodanese-like protein	22	positive
ETAE_2405	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2410	colicin V production protein	0	negative
ETAE_2419	acid shock protein precursor	0	negative
ETAE_2422	5-methylaminomethyl-2-thiouridine methyltransferase	0	negative
ETAE_2428	type VI secretion system protein EvpP	6.8	positive
ETAE_2429	type VI secretion system protein EvpA	0	negative
ETAE_2430	type VI secretion system protein EvpB	0	negative
ETAE_2431	type VI secretion system protein EvpC	0	negative
ETAE_2432	type VI secretion system protein EvpD	0	negative
ETAE_2433	type VI secretion system protein EvpE	0	negative
ETAE_2434	type VI secretion system protein EvpF	0	negative
ETAE_2436	type VI secretion system protein EvpH	0	negative
ETAE_2437	type VI secretion system protein EvpI	0	negative
ETAE_2438	type VI secretion system protein EvpJ	4	positive
ETAE_2439	type VI secretion system protein EvpK	0	negative
ETAE_2441	type VI secretion system protein EvpM	0	negative
ETAE_2473	phage-related protein, tail component	26.3	positive
ETAE_2476	phage tail component L-like protein	0	negative
ETAE_2477	phage-related minor tail protein	0	negative
ETAE_2493	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2497	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2509	carbon starvation protein, predicted membrane protein	0	negative

ETAE_2546	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2622	hypothetical protein	2.2	positive
ETAE_2655	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2658	putative crotonobetaine/carnitine-CoA ligase	0	negative
ETAE_2676	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2678	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2694	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2707	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2807	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2902	electron transport protein	4.7	positive
ETAE_2909	formate hydrogenlyase regulatory protein HycA	0	negative
ETAE_2913	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2942	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_2976	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3001	hydrogenase-1 small subunit	0	negative
ETAE_3008	inner membrane protein	0	negative
ETAE_3017	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3019	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3041	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3077	transposase, IS21 family	0	negative
ETAE_3112	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3124	aspartate carbamoyltransferase regulatory subunit	0	negative
ETAE_3178	aspartate/ornithine carbamoyltransferase family protein	0	negative
ETAE_3179	hypothetical protein	3.6	positive
ETAE_3180	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3282	hypothetical protein	4.5	positive
ETAE_3357	rhamnose transport system substrate-binding protein	0	negative
ETAE_3369	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3372	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3417	putative bacteriophage protein	0	negative
ETAE_3418	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3452	periplasmic stress adaptor protein	0	negative
ETAE_3515	ATP-binding components	0	negative
ETAE_3516	high-affinity D-ribose transport protein	0	negative
ETAE_3547	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3552	RNase P protein component	0	negative
ETAE_3559	hypothetical protein	0	negative
ETAE_3601	hypothetical protein	14.6	positive
ETAE_3634	hypothetical protein	0	negative

TABLE S2 Strains and plasmids used in this study

Strains and plasmids	Description	Reference
<b><i>Edwardsiella piscicida</i></b>		
EIB202	<i>Edwardsiella piscicida</i> wild-type strain, Col <sup>r</sup> , Cm <sup>r</sup>	CCTCC No: M208068
ΔT3SS EIB202	EIB202, deletion of <i>eseB-eseD</i>	Yang et al., 2015
ΔT6SS EIB202	EIB202, deletion of <i>evpA-evpB</i>	Yang et al., 2015
Δ <i>eseL</i>	EIB202, in-frame deletion of ETAE_1303	This study
Δ <i>eseM</i>	EIB202, in-frame deletion of ETAE_2136	This study
Δ <i>eseN</i>	EIB202, in-frame deletion of ETAE_0247	This study
Δ <i>eseO</i>	EIB202, in-frame deletion of ETAE_0490	This study
Δ <i>eseP</i>	EIB202, in-frame deletion of ETAE_2080	This study
Δ <i>eseLM</i>	EIB202, in-frame deletion of ETAE_1303 and ETAE_2136	This study
Δ <i>eseNOP</i>	EIB202, in-frame deletion of ETAE_0247, ETAE_0490 and ETAE_2080	This study
Δ <i>eseLMNOP</i>	EIB202, in-frame deletion of ETAE_1303, ETAE_2136, ETAE_0247, ETAE_0490 and ETAE_2080	This study
<b><i>Escherichia coli</i></b>		
DH5α	Δ( <i>lacZYA-argF</i> ) U169 (Φ80 <i>LacZ</i> Δ <i>M15</i> )	
cc118 λpir	λpir lysogen Δ( <i>ara-leu</i> ) <i>araD</i> Δ( <i>lacX74</i> ) <i>phoA20 thi-1 rpoB argE (am)recA1</i>	
SM10 λpir	<i>thi thr leu tonA lacy supE recA::RP4-2-Tc::Mu λpir Kan</i> <sup>r</sup>	
<b>Plasmids</b>		
pMD19-T	PCR cloning vector, Amp <sup>r</sup>	TaKaRa
pDM4	Suicide plasmid, pir dependent, R6K, SacBR, Cm <sup>r</sup>	
pDMK	pDM4 derivative with Km resistance, Km <sup>r</sup>	
pCX340	pBR322 derivative, cloning vector used to fuse EIB202 effectors to the mature form of TEM-1 β-lactamase, Tet <sup>r</sup>	Xie et al., 2010
pCX340- <i>eseG</i>	pCX340 derivative containing <i>eseG</i>	Xie et al., 2010
pCX340- <i>eseJ</i>	pCX340 derivative containing <i>eseJ</i>	Xie et al., 2015
pCX340- <i>eseH</i>	pCX340 derivative containing <i>eseH</i>	Hou et al., 2017
pCX340- <i>eseK</i>	pCX340 derivative containing <i>eseK</i>	Cao et al., 2017
pCX340- <i>evpP</i>	pCX340 derivative containing <i>evpP</i>	Chen et al., 2017
pCX340-candidate genes	pCX340 derivative containing 200 candidate genes	This study
pUTt	Ori from pBR322, Amp <sup>r</sup>	Yang et al., 2015
pUTt-pBAD- <i>eseL-HA</i>	pUTt derivative containing fragment of L-ara promoter and <i>eseL-HA</i> fusion, Amp <sup>r</sup>	This study
pUTt-pBAD- <i>eseM-HA</i>	pUTt derivative containing fragment of L-ara promoter and <i>eseM-HA</i> fusion, Amp <sup>r</sup>	This study

pUTt-pBAD- <i>eseN</i> -HA	pUTt derivative containing fragment of L-ara promoter and <i>eseN</i> -HA fusion, Amp <sup>r</sup>	This study
pUTt-pBAD- <i>eseO</i> -HA	pUTt derivative containing fragment of L-ara promoter and <i>eseO</i> -HA fusion, Amp <sup>r</sup>	This study
pUTt-pBAD- <i>eseP</i> -HA	pUTt derivative containing fragment of L-ara promoter and <i>eseL</i> -HA fusion, Amp <sup>r</sup>	This study

TABLE S3 Primers used in this study

<b>Primers</b>	<b>Sequence( 5' → 3')</b>
deletion- <i>eseL</i> -P1	GAAGATCTAACCAAGACTTAGATTAGC
deletion- <i>eseL</i> -P2	TAGTTGTCCGAGCAGGCAGAAAGCCG
deletion- <i>eseL</i> -P3	GACAAACTAATTCCTTACTG
deletion- <i>eseL</i> -P4	ACATGCATGCACCATCGCTGGTTGATGAGG
deletion- <i>eseM</i> -P1	GAAGATCTTCCACGAGCGACCTAGAGATA
deletion- <i>eseM</i> -P2	CCTATAAAACAATATTACCTTCTCAAT
deletion- <i>eseM</i> -P3	GTTCAGGGCTCGCTCCCTGCG
deletion- <i>eseM</i> -P4	ACATGCATGCGTTATATGGCAGGGCGTTAT
deletion- <i>eseN</i> -P1	GAAGATCTGACCCGATTCCATTTTCC
deletion- <i>eseN</i> -P2	GCCGTCCGCAATCGTTCTCCATATTGTC
deletion- <i>eseN</i> -P3	TGCGGACGGCGCGTCAGTG
deletion- <i>eseN</i> -P4	ACATGCATGCCGGAGGGGTGCAGCAGATCG
deletion- <i>eseO</i> -P1	GAAGATCTTCTGCACCGTTCTGACCAT
deletion- <i>eseO</i> -P2	CATCGAGGCGCTTACACCCCTCACGTTTA
deletion- <i>eseO</i> -P3	GCCTCGATGCATTGGGATGCCGT
deletion- <i>eseO</i> -P4	ACATGCATGCCAGATAACGATTGCGCCCA
deletion- <i>eseP</i> -P1	GAAGATCTCTCGTTAACAGCACCAGG
deletion- <i>eseP</i> -P2	AGAGGGGGAAATTGGGCTCCTACTGCG
deletion- <i>eseP</i> -P3	TCCCCCTCTCACCGATAAA
deletion- <i>eseP</i> -P4	ACATGCATGCACCAGCGGACGTAAAGGCAA
pBAD-F	ATTGGTTAAAAATTAAGGAGTTATGACAACTTGACGGCTACA
pBAD-R	GGTTAACCTCCTGTTAGCCCA
pUTt- <i>eseL</i> -F	AGGAGGAATTAACCATGTCTAACAAATGACTGGC
pUTt- <i>eseL</i> -R	ACAGCCAAGCTTTATTAGGCATAGTCTGGACGTCAATGGATACA GCGGGGTTACATTAATGGCTG
pUTt- <i>eseM</i> -F	AGGAGGAATTAACCATGTCTAACAAATGACTGG
pUTt- <i>eseM</i> -R	CAAAACAGCCAAGCTTTATTAGGCATAGTCTGGACGTCAATGGG TTGATAGCAACTACGTTA
pUTt- <i>eseN</i> -F	AGGAGGAATTAACCATGAAAAAAATGAAAAT
pUTt- <i>eseN</i> -R	ACAGCCAAGCTTTATTAGGCATAGTCTGGACGTCAATGGCTGAA TAACGCCGCAGGC
pUTt- <i>eseO</i> -F	AGGAGGAATTAACCATGCGTAAGAGCGTATTGGC
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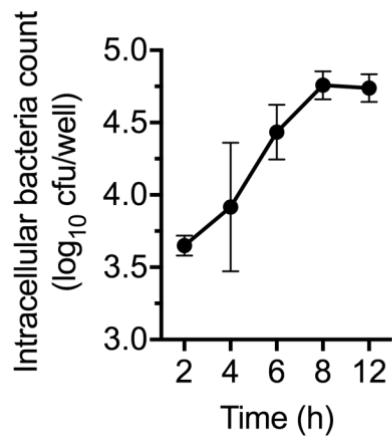
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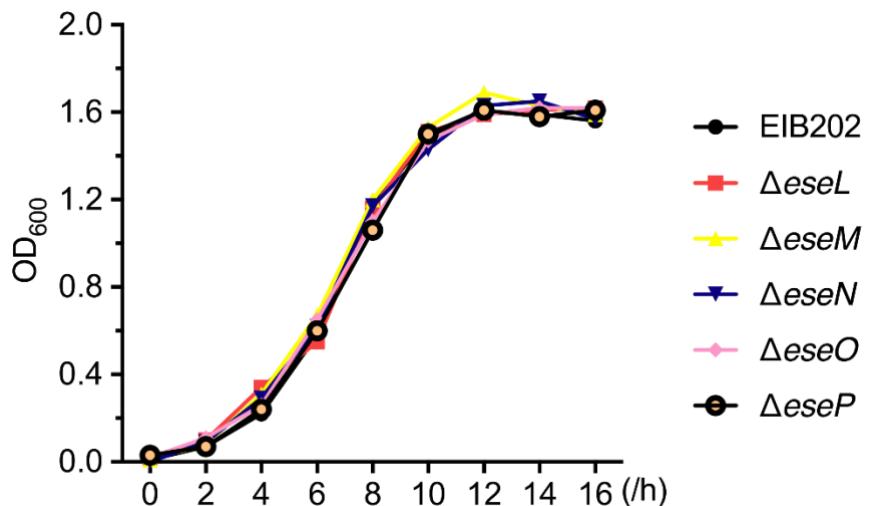
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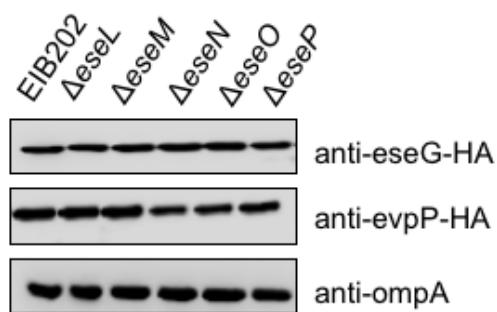
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**FIGURE S1 Replication of *E. piscicida* in HeLa cells.** HeLa cells were infected with *E. piscicida* at a MOI of 100 for 2 hrs, and then treated with 100  $\mu\text{g}/\text{ml}$  gentamicin for 1 hrs to kill extracellular bacteria, and after three washes with PBS, incubated in the growth medium containing 10  $\mu\text{g}/\text{ml}$  gentamicin for the rest of time. At 2, 4, 6, 8 and 12 hrs post infection, Triton X-100 was added into the cell culture at 1% (v/v) and the lysed mixture was diluted and counted by CFU.

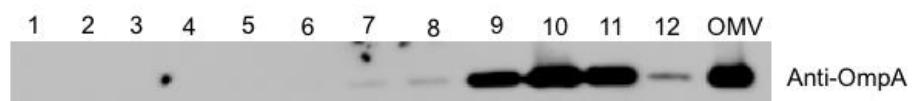


**FIGURE S2 Growth of *E. piscicida* wild-type and candidate effector mutants.** Strains were cultured in TSB medium with shaking. A 100 ml sample of the bacterial cultures was taken every 2 h to measure the cell density at 600 nm with an ND1000 spectrophotometer (NanoDrop Technologies, Wilmington, Delaware, USA).

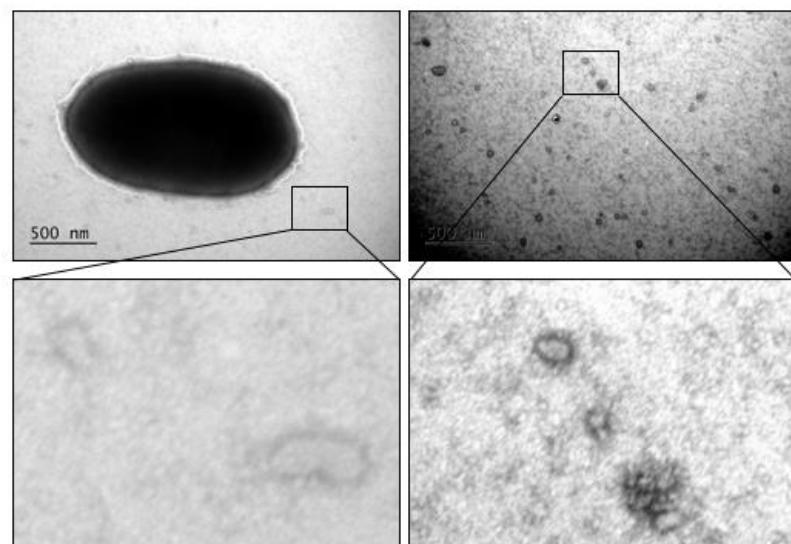


**FIGURE S3 T3SS, T6SS and OMV protein secretion in five candidate effector mutants.** C-terminal HA-tagged eseG or evpP were expressed in the *E. piscicida* wild-type,  $\Delta$ eseL,  $\Delta$ eseM,  $\Delta$ eseN,  $\Delta$ eseO,  $\Delta$ eseP and their secretion in the supernatant were assessed by Western Blot. The secretion of OMV-dependent protein OmpA in the *E. piscicida* wild-type and five mutants was assessed by using an anti-ompA antibody.

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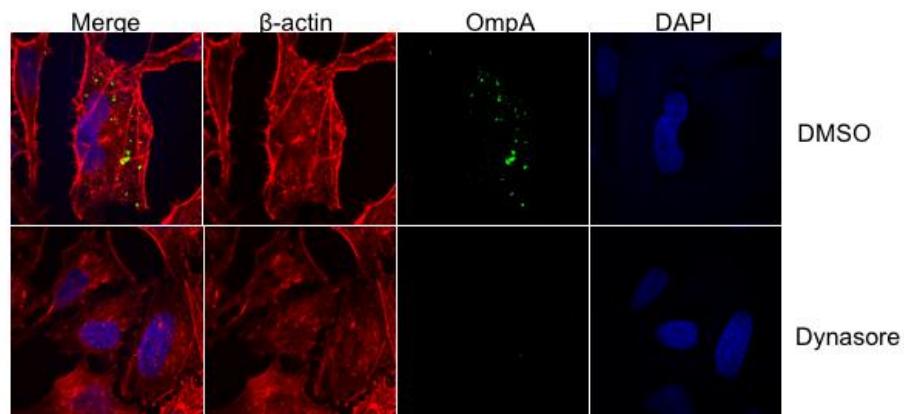


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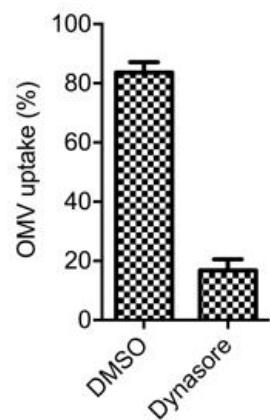


**FIGURE S4 OMVs of *E. piscicida*.** (A) OMV fractions were prepared as described in Materials and Methods and immunoblotted using anti-OmpA antibody. After adding different OptiPrep/PBS layers, the gradients were centrifuged and twelve fractions of equal volumes (1 ml) were removed sequentially from the top. aliquots (9  $\mu$ l ) of each fractions (lane 1-12, lane 1 is the top fraction, lane 12 is the bottom fraction) and the final OMV fraction (collected from 9-11 fractions) were separated using SDS-PAGE in 12% gels, and analyzed using immunoblotting with anti-OmpA antibody. OmpA is a highly expressed outer membrane protein, which indicates the presence of OMVs. (B) *E. piscicida* containing secreted OMVs (left) and purified OMVs (right) are verified by transmission electron microscope. Enlarged images are shown in the below.

A



B



**FIGURE S5 OMVs internalization inhibited by dynasore.** (A) HeLa cells were pretreated with dynasore (below) or DMSO as a control (upper) for 30 min before infection (80  $\mu$ M), and the inhibitor was maintained throughout the course of infection. After 7 h infection with wild-type *E. piscicida*, cells were fixed, permeabilized, and immunostained with DAPI,  $\beta$ -actin and OmpA. (B) The percentage of ompA-positive cells (% OMV uptake) was determined.