



Supplementary Materials: Replacing fish meal with defatted insect meal (yellow mealworm *Tenebrio molitor*) improves the growth and immunity of Pacific white shrimp (*Litopenaeus vannamei*)

Table S1. Ÿnsect meal of defatted yellow protein; hydrosoluble part and distribution size of protein of the hydrosoluble part.

Size (kDa)	Percentage (%)
Soluble protein	20,02
<0,555	68,54
1,4–0,555	4,45
6,5–1,4	5,89
12,4–6,5	11,56
>12,4	9,57
insoluble protein	79,98

Nucleotide	Ÿnsect defatted meal (g/kg)
Cytosine	0,025
Cytidine	0,185
Uracyl	0,013
Guanine	0,1
Uridine	0,478
Hypoxanthine	0
Adenine	0,165
Guanosine	0
Adenosine	1,467
Inosine	0
Cytidine Mono-Phosphate	0
Uridine Mono-Phosphate	0,23
Gunaosine Mono-Phosphate	0,037
Iinosine Mono-Phosphate	0,04
Adenosine Mono-Phosphate	0,175
TOTAL	2,915

Table S2. Nucleotide composition of Ÿnsect meal.



Figure S1: Comparison of cumulative mortality (%) per dietary treatment 10 days after the bacterial challenge (*n* = 30). Different letters show significant differences between dietary groups.



Figure S2. Immune status of the shrimp before and after bacterial challenge with PO expressed as units/mg of protein. (**A**) Phenoloxidase (B) hemocyte counts (**C**) hemolymph protein (**D**) persistent bacterial numbers in hemolymph 3h after the bacterial challenge. Confidence bands for each fitted line correspond to one SEM (n = 3).



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