

Supplementary Materials: Phylogenetic and Molecular Variability Studies Reveal a New Genetic Clade of *Citrus leprosis virus C*

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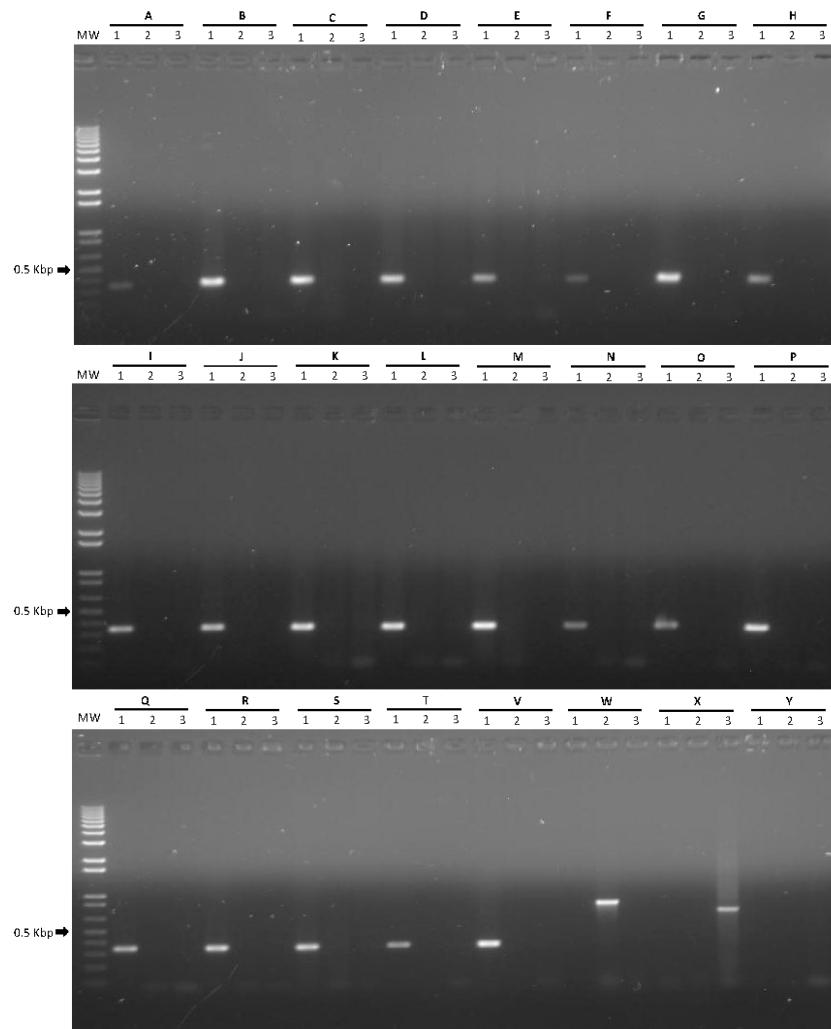


Figure S1. 1% agarose gel electrophoresis of RT-PCR products for detection of leprosis associated viruses. Each RNA sample was analyzed with three independent primer pairs which are specific for the detection of CiLV-C (partial MP gene, lanes 1), CiLV-C2 (p29 gene, lanes 2), and CiLV-N (partial N gene, lanes 3). Each isolate was identified with a letter. A: BR_PR_LDB_01, B: BR_GO_PNT_01, C: BR_AM_MAO_01, D: BR_GO_GYN_01, E: BR_MG(CGZ)_01, F: BR_MT_TRN_01, G: BR_DF_BSB_01, H: BR_TO_PMW_01, I: BR_RJ_TNG_01, J: BR_PA_BEL_01, K: BR_SE_AJU_01, L: BR_SC_LSP_01, M: BR_PR_MGF_01, N: BR_SP_PRB_01, O: BR_SP_ARA_01, P: BR_SP_MRN_01, Q: BR_SP_SJP_01, R: BR_SP_CSB_01, S: BR_SP_CRD_02, T: BR_SP_CSM_01, V: CiLV-C – infected sweet orange plant (positive control), W: CiLV-C2 – infected citrus from Meta, Colombia (positive control), X: CiLV-N infected citrus from Guadalajara, México (positive control), Y: Healthy citrus plant. MW: molecular weight marker, 1 Kbp Plus DNA Ladder (Invitrogen, Carlsbad, CA, USA). Sizes of the expected amplicons are 339, 795 and 655 bps, for CiLV-C, CiLV-C2, and CiLV-N, respectively. Figure shows 20 of the 46 isolates analyzed in this work (Table 1).

Table S1. Library composition and viral genome coverage of the isolate BR_SP_SJP_01 obtained by next generation sequencing of the small RNA fractions derived from infected sweet orange and Arabidopsis plants.

	<i>Citrus sinensis</i> library		<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i> library	
Total of reads (20–25 nt in length)	4,693,816		2,264,321	
	Isolate BR_SP_SJP_01 ¹			
	RNA1	RNA2	RNA1	RNA2
Viral RNA matched reads	1,829,215	579,817	868,813	812,968
Non-specific RNA matched reads	2,864,601	4,113,999	1,395,508	1,451,353
Total of bases in viral RNA matched reads	40,291,858	12,775,407	19,878,115	18,582,061
Viral RNA length (nt)	8753	5004	8753	5004
Viral RNA covered (%)	98.0	86.0	94.0	98.0
Viral genome coverage	4603.9	2552.6	2271.0	3713.9

¹ Isolate BR_SP_SJP_01 sequences are deposited in the GenBank under the accession numbers KP336746 and KP336747.

Table S2. List of primers used to amplify the BR_SP_SJP_01 complete genome.

Primer Sequence (5'-3')	Direction ¹	Target Region	Amplicon Size (bp)
RNA1			
GTCAAGTGATATACCATTGCTTG	F	9–33	
TCATCGTCTTTCTGTAACCG	R	655–665	666
CGCACATAAACGCTGCTG	F	595–614	
GCAACAGAACCAAACATCTC	R	1259–1278	677
TGTTCATAGGTTGGATGTGT	F	1171–1191	
AGCAGATGATGGATGCGG	R	1804–1820	652
CGGTATAGTCGGTCCCTA	F	1750–1768	
ACAAGCAAGCTGTAATGACT	R	2489–2508	789
CCCATTTCATCTCAAATAAAGGC	F	2436–2458	
CTAAATACCGCAGTCCACC	R	3101–3121	685
TTCACITGGTTTAGGACGC	F	3022–3041	
ACGTTCATGTGTAGCAGAAG	R	3672–3691	670
ACTTGAATCCGAATGCTTACA	F	3595–3615	
AAAGATTACTGCCGGCTTT	R	4263–4282	688
TAAGGCTATCGTTGGTGTG	F	4201–4221	
GCGGTTCTAACAGTTGG	R	4853–4871	670
CCTTGGTGTGATACTTCT	F	4809–4829	
AAGATTGAACCACCACTACTT	R	5452–5472	664
GAAAGATAGATTGACCATGACG	F	5377–5399	
TTAGCTGCATGACCTCAAAC	R	6022–6041	665
TGCTTAAATCTATTGTCGGTCA	F	5952–5974	
CCCCAATCACCTCATCAAC	R	6592–6611	660
CGCAATGTCCTTATTATC	F	6434–6453	
TCATCACCGAAAATACTGC	R	7181–7200	767
ACACTGTCCTTATGGCTTT	F	7124–7143	
TAGCCTGCATAATCTCAGCA	R	7755–7774	651
ACCGTGAATTGTATTGTCA	F	7686–7706	
GTCAGCAACGGAATCCTTAG	R	8321–8341	657
ACTGCCCTAAGTATGCTGAA	F	8036–8055	653

CAGCTGGAAGAGACTAGAAA	R	8668–8687	
RNA2			
TGTTCTAGGCTAATAACTCTCAA	F	36–58	
ATAAATCTAACAAACTATTGTATTGTTCTAGGC ²	F	11–45	667–692
CTGAAACAGCTCATGAAACA	R	684–703	
ACTTGTGTTGTCATTGCC	F	608–627	
ATCGGCTTATGACCTTACC	R	1052–1071	464
TATGTATTGAAGCGCGTTT	F	931–951	
GCTTGATTGTTGTAGGCTC	R	1568–1586	
CAACCGTTTGTACATATTGT	F	1492–1512	
AAGCCTTGGTATTGAGTGA	R	2048–2067	
GGGCAAGTACATATTGGTGA	F	1971–1991	
AACAACCAGATGATGTACAGA	R	2632–2652	
TTCTGTGTCAATTATTCTATGCA	F	2562–2584	
TCAATGGTATCAGCTATGTCG	R	3191–3211	
GTTACTCCAACCTACACTCA	F	3089–3109	
AACACGACCCGAAATGTTAT	R	3736–3755	
GACAGGACTCATGTAAACGG	F	3669–3688	
CTGCTTGTGTCGGCAAC	R	4201–4218	
CGAATAAACGCCTTTGAGG	F	4130–4149	
CCACCCAGCTAGAAGAGACTA	R	4921–4943	

¹ F: forward and R: reverse; ² Two partially overlapped forward primers were used to amplify this fragment.

Table S3. Transmission efficiency of CiLV-C isolate BR_SP_SJP_01 by *Brevipalpus yothersi* mites.

Host	Experiment	Number of Infected/Inoculated Plants ¹	Percentage of Infected Plants
<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>	1	15/15	100
	2	15/15	100
	3	14/15	93.3
<i>Citrus sinensis</i> cv. Pera	1	10/10	100
	2	9/10	90
	3	10/10	100

¹ Virus presence was confirmed by RT-PCR using primers that detect part of the CiLV-C MP gene.



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