

Using CRISPR to make phages more deadly to E. coli

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Tail fiber engineering. a, EoP results of LPS-dependent WT $\alpha 15$, Tsx-dependent WT $\alpha 17$ and engineered CAP $\alpha 15.2$ that consolidates both WT phages' receptors. Presented titers (PFU ml⁻¹) were obtained from independent biological triplicates as dots, with averages illustrated as bars. b–d, Lawn kill assay results of E. coli are shown as boxplots, whiskers indicate maximum and minimum values, box bounds indicate 25th and 75th percentile, with center line indicating the median; b1460 (b), b1475 (c), b1813 (d) with phages WT $\alpha 15$ and CAP $\alpha 15.2$. Significances *P

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