

Functional expression of a peritrophin A-like SfPER protein is required for larval development in *Spodoptera frugiperda* (Lepidoptera: Noctuidae)

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Table S1. Primers and experimental conditions used in quantitative RT-PCR.

Figure S1. Pairwise sequence alignment between SfPER and SfPMP24. The amino acids sequence of SfPMP24 (171 amino acids) was obtained from Dias et al. (41).

Figure S2. Multiple sequence alignment of SfPER peritrophin A-like chitin-binding domains. In the alignment, each of the six conserved cysteines residues from consensus arrangement of peritrophin A domain (PAD) i.e. $C^1X_{13-18}C^2X_5C^3X_{9-11}C^4X_{10-13}C^5X_{7-8}C^6$, has been enclosed in a square.

Table S1

Gene	Primer sequence (5'–3')	Product size (bp)	Ta ^a (°C)	S ^b	E ^c	r ^{2d}
SfPER	<i>CACACGAAATCTGCAACAAGTTC</i> <i>CCGCAGACGACATTCTCGGGCCAGTC</i>	127	58	-3.67	1.87	0.97
β-actin	<i>CGGTATCGTGCTGGACTCCGGTG</i> <i>GAGTAACCCCTCTCGGTGAGGATC</i>	150	58	-3.52	1.92	0.98

^aAnnealing temperature in the PCR program for a specific primer set.

^bSlope of the linear regression line of the amplification efficiency plot.

^cAmplification efficiency calculated by Q-gene as: $10^{(-1/\text{slope})}$.

^dReproducibility of the real time PCR reaction.

Figure S1

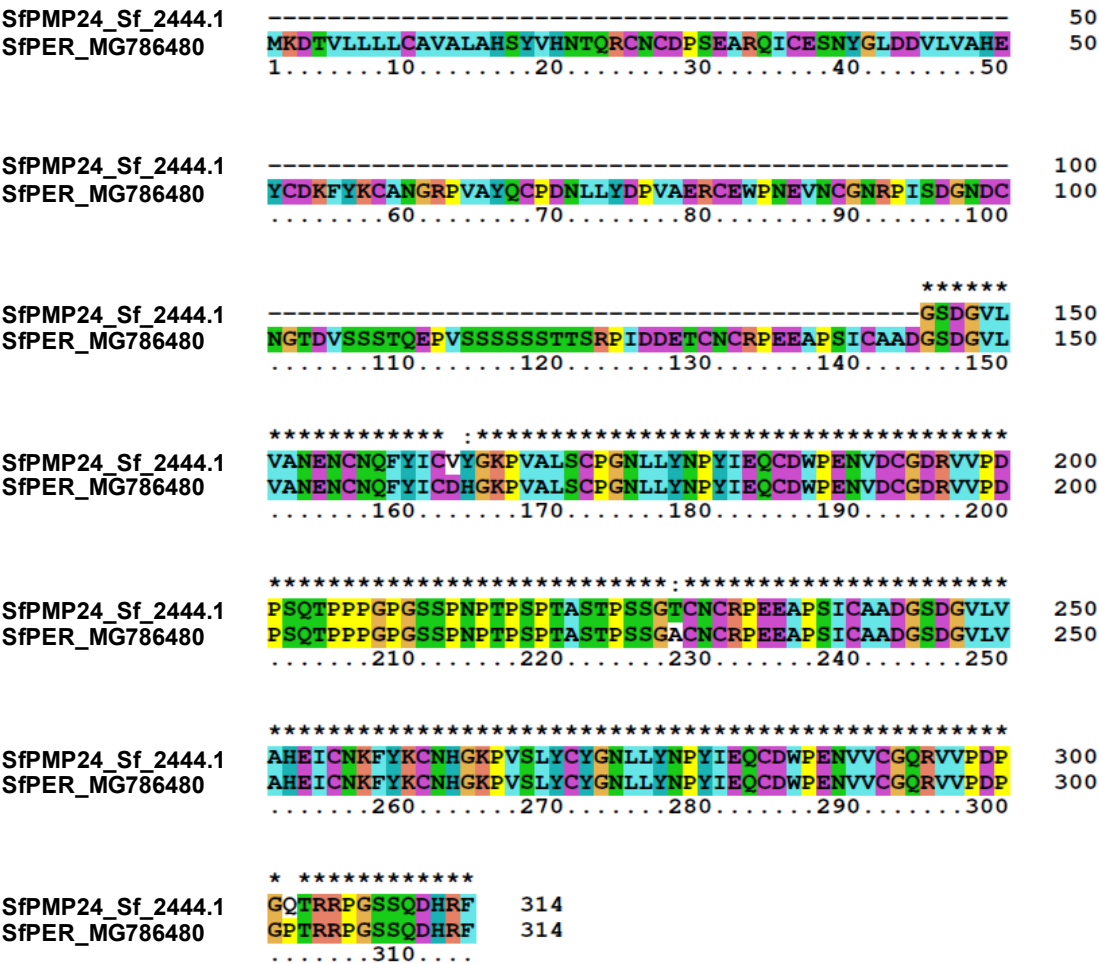


Figure S2

