

Table S1. Mean values of nymph instar, body weight, body length and body width.

Nymph	Instar (days)		Body weight (g $\times 10^{-2}$)		Body length (mm)		Body width (mm)	
	Mean \pm SD	N	Mean \pm SD	N	Mean \pm SD	N	Mean \pm SD	N
N1	9.13 \pm 0.94	1627	0.40 \pm 0.02	10	4.39 \pm 0.30	10	1.82 \pm 0.11	10
N2	10.43 \pm 1.02	741	0.58 \pm 0.06	10	6.21 \pm 0.34	10	2.31 \pm 0.15	10
N3	9.83 \pm 1.65	374	0.91 \pm 0.12	10	6.76 \pm 0.28	10	2.84 \pm 0.10	10
N4	9.23 \pm 1.62	191	1.78 \pm 0.48	10	7.80 \pm 0.51	12	3.03 \pm 0.08	10
N5	9.09 \pm 2.53	93	2.16 \pm 0.20	10	8.49 \pm 0.49	12	3.68 \pm 0.37	10
N6	16.28 \pm 1.83	39	3.43 \pm 0.60	10	10.06 \pm 0.97	12	4.11 \pm 0.07	10
N7	21.07 \pm 1.90	73	5.37 \pm 1.06	10	11.91 \pm 0.85	10	4.67 \pm 0.24	10
N8	18.00 \pm 2.29	51	8.55 \pm 1.06	10	13.70 \pm 0.82	10	5.80 \pm 0.26	10
N9	17.56 \pm 3.83	41	23.49 \pm 7.56	14	18.04 \pm 1.57	14	6.77 \pm 0.09	10
N10	19.22 \pm 2.27	32	29.27 \pm 9.19	14	20.57 \pm 1.91	14	6.98 \pm 0.10	11
N11	19.67 \pm 2.73	36	44.35 \pm 5.71	11	24.00 \pm 0.89	11	8.40 \pm 0.27	11
N12	17.79 \pm 2.41	28	44.42 \pm 3.67	11	25.20 \pm 0.63	10	9.11 \pm 0.17	10
N13	19.59 \pm 3.15	27	51.44 \pm 4.09	10	26.00 \pm 0.67	10	11.20 \pm 0.79	10
N14	32.85 \pm 5.64	27	61.75 \pm 7.39	10	28.30 \pm 0.95	10	11.90 \pm 0.88	10

* Nymphal instars were the result of multiple observations, and only those groups with a population of 10 or more were counted.

Table S2. P values of body weight, body length, and body width between adjacent pairs of nymphal instars. (A) Body weight. (B) Body length. (C) Body width.

Nymph	N1	
N2	2.92 x 10 ⁻⁸	N2
N3	2.60 x 10 ⁻⁷	N3
N4	2.94 x 10 ⁻⁵	N4
N5	0.031636	N5
N6	2.21 x 10 ⁻⁶	5.27 x 10 ⁻⁶
N7	8.34 x 10 ⁻⁵	N7
N8	2.67 x 10 ⁻⁶	N8
N9	3.33 x 10 ⁻⁶	N9
N10	0.080525	N10
N11	8.55 x 10 ⁻⁵	N11
N12	0.148923	N12
N13	0.004292	0.028303
N14	7.66 x 10 ⁻⁶	0.001144

* (A) P values of body weight.

Nymph	N1	
N2	2.29 x 10 ⁻¹⁰	N2
N3	9.58 x 10 ⁻⁴	N3
N4	1.16 x 10 ⁻⁵	N4
N5	0.002545	N5
N6	3.88 x 10 ⁻⁷	5.52 x 10 ⁻⁵
N7	1.35 x 10 ⁻⁴	N7
N8	1.44 x 10 ⁻⁴	N8
N9	6.78 x 10 ⁻⁸	N9
N10	7.22 x 10 ⁻⁴	N10
N11	1.42 x 10 ⁻⁵	N11
N12	0.002316	N12
N13	1.51 x 10 ⁻⁵	0.013089
N14	1.78 x 10 ⁻⁹	6.48 x 10 ⁻⁶

* (B) P values of body length.

Nymph	N1												
N2	1.87 x 10 ⁻⁷	N2											
N3		2.74 x 10 ⁻⁸	N3										
N4			1.66 x 10 ⁻⁴	N4									
N5				3.49 x 10 ⁻⁵	N5								
N6				4.78 x 10 ⁻¹⁷	0.001928	N6							
N7						1.45 x 10 ⁻⁶	N7						
N8							7.37 x 10 ⁻⁹	N8					
N9								1.63 x 10 ⁻⁹	N9				
N10									7.64 x 10 ⁻⁵	N10			
N11										5.36 x 10 ⁻¹³	N11		
N12											9.00 x 10 ⁻⁷	N12	
N13											9.64 x 10 ⁻¹⁰	1.73 x 10 ⁻⁷	N13
N14											1.08 x 10 ⁻¹⁰		0.076638

*(C) P values of body width.