

Table S1. The sequence of gene specific primers.

Gene	Forward(5'-3')	Reserve(5'-3')
<i>CgENDO1(RT)</i>	GAAGCTCTGATGCCGACAT	GATTGTGCCTGAACCAGCG
β -Actin	CACACTGGAGTGATGGTTGG	ATTGGCCTGGGTTAAGAG
<i>CgENDO1(Clone)</i>	ATGGGGGGATTGTGCCCTTA	TCATGTAGCTGCTGCAAATTC TTC
<i>CgENDO1(PGEX)</i>	TGGATCCCCGGAATTCACTGGG GGGATTGTGCCCTTA	CTCGAGTCGACCCGGTCATGT AGCTGCTGCAAATTCTTC

Note: β -Actin is the internal control for quantitative real-time PCR. *CgENDO1(RT)* is for quantitative real-time PCR. *CgENDO1(Clone)* is for gene clone; *CgENDO1(PGEX)* is for expression of *CgENDO1* in the *in vitro* Escherichia coli.

A



B

Stage	H1	H2	H3	H4	H5	H6	H7	H8	H9	H10	H11	H12
Size (length × width) (mm)	2×2	3×3	4×4	6×5	7×5	8×5	8×7	10×10	13×12	17×17	19×19	22×22

C

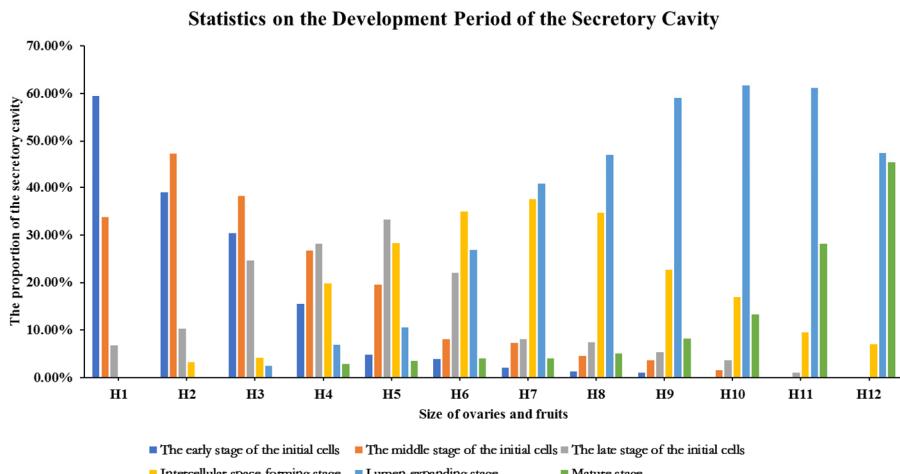


Figure S1. Statistics of sampling standards at different developmental stages of the secretory cavity of *Citrus grandis* ‘Tomentosa’ fruits.

- A. Morphology of *Citrus grandis* ‘Tomentosa’ fruits.**
- B. Sampling standard of different developmental stages of secretory cavity of *Citrus grandis* ‘Tomentosa’ fruits.**
- C. Proportion statistics of secretory cavity development stages in different fruit sizes.** Sample form: diameter (size, 1mm×1mm); Sample quantity: 20.

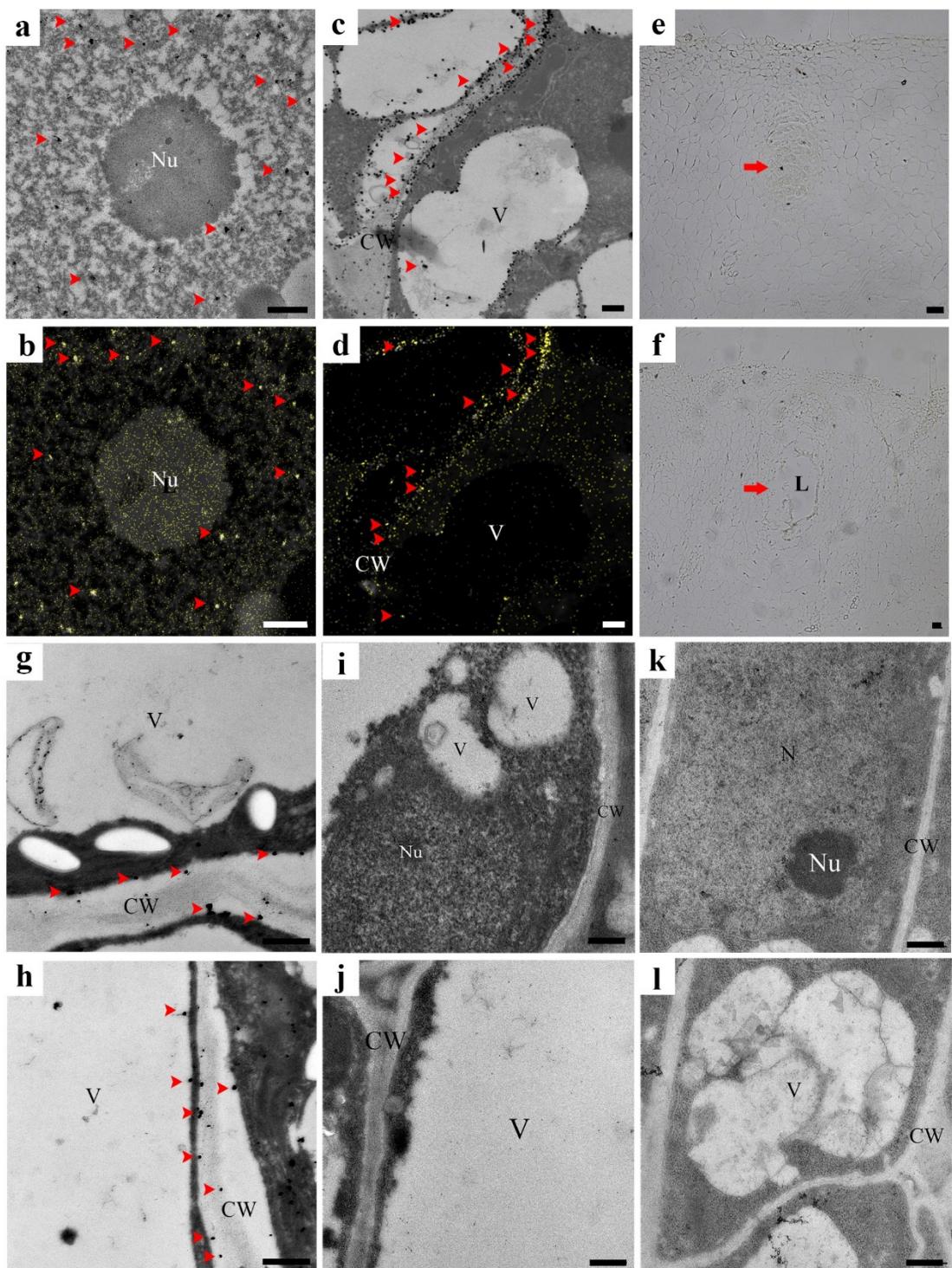


Figure S2. Control.

(a)-(d) Zn^{2+} subcellular localization methodology validation, which display EDS spectrum analysis of secretory cavity cells of *Citrus grandis* ‘Tomentosa’ fruits. (a) shows the black precipitations in the nucleus (arrowhead), (b) shows the black precipitations in the cell walls (arrowhead), (c) shows black precipitation in the nucleus

contains Ag elements (arrowhead), (d) shows black precipitation in the cell walls contains Ag elements (arrowhead).

(e)-(f) *in situ* hybridization control.

(g)-(h) Zn²⁺ subcellular localization control. (g), (h) shows non-secretory cavity cells of *Citrus grandis* ‘Tomentosa’ fruits. There are little Zn²⁺ in the cell wall (arrowhead).

(i)-(l) Immunogold particles control. (i), (j) shows non-secretory cavity cells. There are no immunogold particles in the nucleus, vacuole and cell wall. (k), (l) shows the globular regoin. (k) shows control in which the antibody replaced with pre-immune serum. (l) shows control which is used PBST instead of the antibody.

N: Nucleus; Nu: Nucleolus; V: Vacuole; CW: Cell Wall.

Bar = 500 nm.

S1.seq	WGNLGHETVAYIAQSFVASSTESFCQNIIIGDSTS..YIAN	39
P1.seq	WGALGHATVAYVAQHYVSFEAASWAQGILGSSSS..YIAS	39
ZEN1.seq	WSKEGHVMTTCQIAQELLSFIAAHAWCMLPEYVKG..LISA	39
BEN1.seq	WGKEGHYMTCKIADGELTSEALTGVKAIIIPSWANG..BIAE	39
AtENDO1.seq	WSKEGHILTCRIAQNLLEAGFAHVVENILPEYVKG..LISA	39
AtENDO2.seq	WGKEGEHETICKIAQTRLETAAKAVKEILPESARG..LJSS	39
AtENDO3.seq	WGLAGHYAVCKLIAQSFEEDTVAVKKLILPESANG..BIAA	39
AtENDO4.seq	WGKEGHYTVCKLIAQSFEETVAAVKKLILPKSAIG..LIAS	39
AtENDO5.seq	WGKDGHYTVCKLIAEGFFEDTIAAVKKLILPESVIGGGIAD	40
CgENDO1.seq	WSKEGHIMTCRIAQSILEFDAAHAVENILPCHVNG..LISA	39
Consensus	w g h a 1 1	
S1.seq	VATRWDTY..KYTDAGEFSKPYIFI.DAQDNPPCSGVDY	76
P1.seq	IASWADIEY..RLTSACKWNASIHHFI.LAEEDNPPTINONVDY	76
ZEN1.seq	IQCWWDQIIRHWYFYRW..TSPFHFDITDQ....ACSYEY	73
BEN1.seq	VCSWWD....SQRFRYRWSRSIHFADTPD...GDKFSY	70
AtENDO1.seq	LCWWWDQIIRHWYKYRW..TSHIHYYIDTEDQ....ACSYEY	73
AtENDO2.seq	LCIWIWIRV..KFIFYHW..SSPLHYI..NTPD....ACSYQY	70
AtENDO3.seq	VCSWWDIEI..KKLPQWRWTSALHFADTPD...YRQNEYY	73
AtENDO4.seq	VCSWWDIEI..KHHWQWRWTSPLHYV..DTPD...YRQNEYY	73
AtENDO5.seq	FCSWWDIEI..KKLSQWQWTSTLHYV..NTPE...YRQNEYY	74
CgENDO1.seq	LGWWDLQVRHWYFYRW..TSPFHFDITDQ....ACTYEQY	73
Consensus	w d h c y	
S1.seq	IRLC.....GSAGCSISIAQNYINILLESPNGS.....E.	105
P1.seq	ERDC.....GSSGCSISATANYTQVSISSSLSS.....EN	106
ZEN1.seq	TRLCHESGNGVIMCVCAAIKQNETSQLSHY..CHGTSDRRYN	112
BEN1.seq	ARLCHETKGNKNVCVCAIAINNYAALQESS.....SPFN	104
AtENDO1.seq	SRDCHIQHLKMCVIGDQIATNETSCLQHY..GEGTSDRRYN	112
AtENDO2.seq	NRDCKESEGEKGRCVCAIAINNYTQLLSYKIAASSQSQIN	110
AtENDO3.seq	SRDCH.....PKDWCVTCIAIFNYTNCIMSTSNSCSIVHYN	108
AtENDO4.seq	GRDCHETHHKRNQDFCIVTCIAIFNYTNCIMSAENSQNIVHYN	113
AtENDO5.seq	CRDCHETHHKHDWCVTCIAIFNYTNCIMSAENSQNIVHYN	114
CgENDO1.seq	SRDCHETHGKKNMCIVCAIRNFTSCLLHY..REGSSDRRH	112
Consensus	rdc c ai n t	
S1.seq	ALNAKPEVUHIIIGTHEQIHL..DENIEAGGNIDIVTYIGET	144
P1.seq	HAAEAFRLVHFIFGDNQTEQIHL..DEAYAVGGNKINVTFIGYH	145
ZEN1.seq	MTEAALFVSHFMGDIHQIHMHVGFTTIDPGCNVTIDLRWFRHK	152
BEN1.seq	PTESMELAHEFGDVHQMHCCHVLDIIGGTNTIKLRWYRK	144
AtENDO1.seq	MTEAALFLSHFMGDIHQIHMHVGFTSDEGGVNTIDLRWYKH	152
AtENDO2.seq	LTEAALFVSHFMGDIHQIHLHVSYSADKGGNVIIEHWYTRK	150
AtENDO3.seq	LTEAALMELSHFMGDIHQIHLHCFICDIGHGPNIKVHWYRNQE	148
AtENDO4.seq	LTEAALMELSHFMGDIHQIHLHVGFLGDEGGVNTIVRWYRRK	153
AtENDO5.seq	LTEAALMELSHFMGDIHQIHLHCGFLDIGHGNNIIIVNWYHNK	154
CgENDO1.seq	MTEAALFLSHFMGDIHQIHMHVGFTSDPGGNVTEIRWFRHK	152
Consensus	l f h gd q p h ggn i	
S1.seq	TNIHIIWETNMPEFAAGGYSLSVAKTYADLITERIK.TGT	183
P1.seq	DNLHSIWDTYMPCKLIGGEALSIAESWAKTIVQNIE.SGN	184
ZEN1.seq	SNLHWBWEPEIIITIASELYDKIMESLKAIQCANFTHGL.	191
BEN1.seq	SNLHWBWE SDVITQTIMKDFDKDQIAMIESTQRNIT..DD.	182
AtENDO1.seq	SNLHWBWEPEIIITIAKENYDKNLLIEDELEKNITNGL.	191
AtENDO2.seq	ANLHIIWESNIIETAEDLYNSALEGMVLAIKKNIT..TE.	188
AtENDO3.seq	ANLHRWWEIMIIIESALETYYNSSLFRMIHEQAKLK.NG.	186
AtENDO4.seq	ANLHWBWEIMIIIESALKTYYNKSLFIMIEAIÇANLT..ND.	191
AtENDO5.seq	SNLHWBWEPEIIITIASELYTNSSLFHMIQAIÇAKLK.NG.	192
CgENDO1.seq	SNLHWBWEPEIIITIAADYYDKDTELLIQDIVANFTIGV.	191
Consensus	nlh wd	
S1.seq	YSSKKDSWTDGIIKIPVSTSMIAADANTY.VCSTVLDD	222
P1.seq	YTAQAIWGKDNISEPITTATRWSAANAL.VCTVVMPH	223
ZEN1.seq	.....WSDEVNSWKL..DDISNCVNKIAKESIALAC	221
BEN1.seq	.....WSSEEKQWEITCRSKTTTCAEKYIAQESAVIAC	213
AtENDO1.seq	.....WHDLSSWTEC.NDLIAECHVKAESIKLAC	221
AtENDO2.seq	.....WADQVKRWEETC.TKKTACEDIYASEGIÇAAC	218
AtENDO3.seq	.....WSNIVPWSWESCOLNQTAKENPYASESISILAC	217
AtENDO4.seq	.....WSNIVPWLWESCOLNQTAKENPYASESISILAC	222
AtENDO5.seq	.....WSNIVPWSWKSCHHHQKACENLYASESISILAC	223
CgENDO1.seq	.....WHDLVSSWKDC.DNLMKCENKYATESINMAC	221
Consensus		
S1.seq	GLAYINST...DLSGEYYIKSQPVFEELIAFAGYRILAWL	259
P1.seq	GAALIQTG...DLYFTYIIDSVIDTIELQIAKCCRILANWI	260
ZEN1.seq	KWGYEGVEAGEITISDLYIIDSMPPIVMKFIAAGGVRIAMIL	261
BEN1.seq	.DAYEGVECDDIIGDEYYFKALPVVQKELAAGGIRLIAIL	252
AtENDO1.seq	KWGYKGVKSGETIISSEYENTRLPIVMKRVCCGRILAMIL	261
AtENDO2.seq	DWAYKGVTEGDTIIEDEYYFSRSLPIVYQRLAAGGVRIATL	258
AtENDO3.seq	KYAYRNATAGTTIIGDYYFVSRLPVVKEKLAAGGIRLAGTL	257
AtENDO4.seq	KYAYRNATGTTIIGDYYFSLRSLPIVEKFLAAGGIRLAGTL	262
AtENDO5.seq	KYAYRNATEGTTIIGDYYFSLRSLPVVKEKLAAGGIRLAGTL	263
CgENDO1.seq	KWGYKGVTGETIADDYFNSRMPPIVMKRIAGGIRLAMFL	261
Consensus	1 y g rl	
S1.seq	DLIASQPS.....	267
P1.seq	NEIHGSEIAK.....	270
ZEN1.seq	NRVFQGSSSSLEALVP	277
BEN1.seq	NRIFSGNGRLQSI...	265
AtENDO1.seq	NRVFSEDHAIAGVAA	277
AtENDO2.seq	NRIFG.....	263
AtENDO3.seq	NRIFSAKRKLARA...	270
AtENDO4.seq	NRIFSSKPKHAGS...	275
AtENDO5.seq	NRIFESAKPKLAGI...	276
CgENDO1.seq	NRIFESISDEEFAAAT.	276
Consensus		

Figure S3. Comparison of the functional domains of CgENDO1 and different Zn²⁺ dependent nucleases and zinc ion binding sites involved in PCD.

S1 = *Aspergillus oryzae* 3.042 (EIT80979.1); P1 = *Penicillium citrinum* (P24289.1); ZEN1 = *Zinnia elegans* (BAA28948.1); BEN1 = *Hordeum vulgare* subsp. *Vulgare* (BAA28942.1); AtENDO1 (BFN1) = *Arabidopsis thaliana* (AAD00693.1); AtENDO2 = *Arabidopsis thaliana* (NP_176996.1); AtENDO3 = *Arabidopsis thaliana* (OAO99578.1); AtENDO4 = *Arabidopsis thaliana* (NP_001328107.1); AtENDO5 = *Arabidopsis thaliana* (OAO96613.1) (Arrow indicates conserved sequence to bind three Zn²⁺ when enzymes work.)