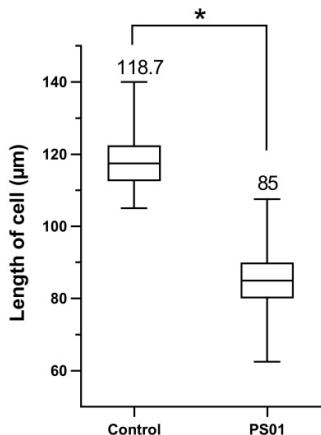


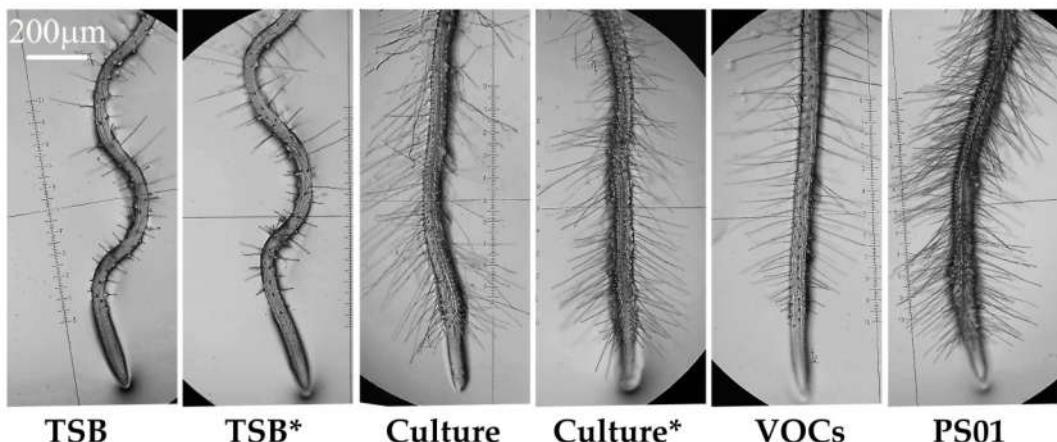
**Figure S1 a. Time course of LR initiation in response to PS01.** At time point 0 d, bacteria were inoculated on the plates. The values represent means  $\pm$  SD ( $n = 15$ ). Asterisks indicate statistically significant differences compared with untreated roots (Student's t test;  $p < 0.05$ ).



**Figure S1 b. Inhibition of root cell elongation in differentiation zone by PS01.** Length of cells were observed and measured under a 40 X microscope. Bars represent average lengths  $\pm$  SD of 75 cells in each developmental zone ( $n = 15$ ). Asterisks indicate statistically significant differences compared with non-inoculated roots (Student's t test;  $p < 0.05$ ).

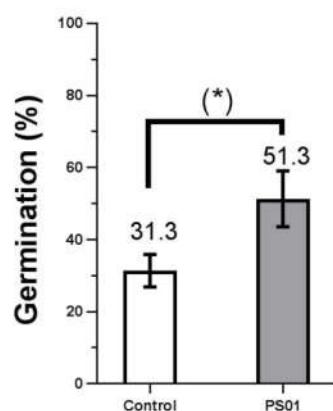


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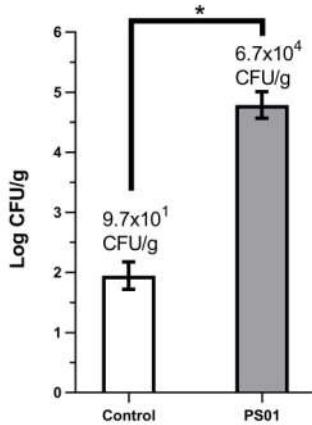


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**Figure S2. Different secreted metabolites produced by PS01 implicated in RSA of *Arabidopsis*.** (a) Split plate assay; (b) Effect of VOCs blend and diffusible compounds on RH development. Photos were taken after 7 days of inoculation.



**Figure S3. *Pseudomonas* PS01 improves germination rate in *Zea mays*.** The germination rate was evaluated after 2 days incubation (100 seeds). Bars represent average values ( $n = 3$ ). Asterisks indicate statistically significant differences compared with non-inoculated roots (Student's t test;  $p < 0.05$ )



**Figure S4. Root colonization of maize plants by PS01.** The number of *Pseudomonas* sp. per gram of root was determined at 30 th day. Bars represent average of log CFU g<sup>-1</sup> ± SD ( $n = 15$ ). Asterisks indicate statistically significant differences compared with non-inoculated roots (Student's t test;  $p < 0.05$ )

**Table S1.** Accession number, name, description, and primer sequences used for quantitative RT-PCR [43]

AGI Code	Name	Description	Fw/Rv primers
At3 g07390	AIR12	Auxin-responsive protein	5'-TGAATCAGGTATGGCAGATCGG-3'(F) 5'-TGAAACTAACACACGGTGGG-3'(R)
At5 g54510	DFL1	IAA-amido synthase that conjugates Ala, Asp, Phe, and Trp to auxin	5'-CACCAAAGATCCAGCTTTG-3'(F) 5'-ATCATCTGCAGTTCTGTCAC-3'(R)
At1 g56010	NAC1	Transcription factor involved in shoot apical meristem formation and auxin mediated Lateral root formation	5'-GCCTCCGGATTCAAGATTCA-3'(F) 5'-TCAGGACAAGAGGTGGTCGATG-3'(R)
At2 g38120	AUX1	Auxin permease	5'-AAGGGCTTGGCTAGATTGCC-3'(F) 5'-CAAGAAGAGCACCGACAGCG-3'(R)
At1 g04240	IAA3/SHY2	Regulates multiple auxin responses in roots, induced by IAA	5'-GCCAAAGGTTAGGCTGTGGT-3'(F) 5'-TAGATCTTCCCAGAAAACCCG-3'(R)
At1 g73590	PIN1	Auxin efflux carrier involved in shoot and root development	5'-CGCTTCAGAGTTCAAGAAACCC-3'(F) 5'-CACAGCTTCTCCAGGACCAAG-3'(R)
At5 g57090	PIN2/EIR1	Auxin efflux carrier	5'-CCAATGTTCACGGGGTAACCG-3'(F) 5'-GAAGCACTCGAACTCCACACG-3'(R)
At5 g20960	AAO1	Arabidopsis aldehyde oxidase 1 with the specificity for indole-3-acetaldehyde	5'-TGTGGCGAAGGTGGTTGTGG-3'(F) 5'-GCTCGAGGGAGGTGGATGAG-3'(R)
At5 g05730	ASA1	Anthraniolate synthase alpha subunit 1	5'-CGCTTGGCTCTTATAGCGTTG-3'(F) 5'-TGGGATCTCATTGGATCTCG-3'(R)
At3 g54640	TSA1	Tryptophan synthase alpha chain	5'-TTGGTGTGGTGGTGTAGTGAG-3'(F) 5'-TGTGTCCAGTCTGCTGATACG-3'(F)
At5 g43890	YUCCA5	Flavin mono-oxygenase	5'-CCCGTGCACCACTAAC-3'(R) 5'-CCATGCAGAGACAACAGAAACCC-3'(F)
At4 g39960	CYP79 B2	Cytochrome P450 that is involved in tryptophan metabolism	5'-AGGTGCTAAAGGACGATGTTTC-3'(R) 5'-ACGAGACGCAAGCACTTTGG-3'(F)
At4 g31500	CYP83 B1	Cytochrome P450 mono-oxygenase 83 B1	5'-GGGGCGTTAGGGTCAAGAGTC-3'(R) 5'-GGACCATTTGAGTTGAGATTGC-3'(F)
At2 g04400	IGPS	Indole-3-glycerol-phosphate synthase	5'-CCTAAGAGCCCCAACAAATCC-3'(R)

**Table S2.** Gene annotations of PS01 genome related to its IAA- and VOCs-producing ability.

Trait	Contig ID	Peptide ID	Gene annotation	KO/gene ID	KEGG gene name	EC number
IAA biosynthesis TAM pathway	NODE_382	fig 286.823.peg.23 19	Tryptophan decarboxylase	K01593	DDC, TDC	4.1.1.28
	NODE_30	fig 286.823.peg.19 39	monoamine oxidase	k00274	MAO, aofH	1.4.3.4
	NODE_446	fig 286.823.peg.28 40	aldehyde dehydrogenase (NAD <sup>+</sup> )	K00128	ALDH	1.2.1.3
IAA biosynthesis IAM pathway	NODE_157	fig 286.823.peg.42 9	Tryptophan 2-monoxygenase	K00466	iaaM	1.13.12.3
	NODE_16	fig 286.823.peg.69 3	amidase	K01426	amiE	3.5.1.4
	NODE_382	fig 286.823.peg.21 79	amidase	K01426	amiE	3.5.1.4

	NODE_101	fig 286.823.peg.62	acetolactate synthase I/II/III large subunit	K01652	ilvB, ilvG, ilvI	2.2.1.6
	NODE_152	fig 286.823.peg.367	acetolactate synthase I/II/III large subunit	K01652	ilvB, ilvG, ilvI	2.2.1.6
	NODE_293	fig 286.823.peg.1591	acetolactate synthase I/II/III large subunit	K01652	ilvB, ilvG, ilvI	2.2.1.6
(R)-2-Acetoin	NODE_76	fig 286.823.peg.3854	acetolactate synthase I/II/III large subunit	K01652	ilvB, ilvG, ilvI	2.2.1.6
	NODE_76	fig 286.823.peg.3855	acetolactate synthase I/III small subunit (R,R)-butanediol	K01653	ilvH, ilvN	2.2.1.6
	NODE_209	fig 286.823.peg.1000	dehydrogenase / meso-butanediol dehydrogenase / diacetyl reductase (R,R)-butanediol	K00004	BDH, butB	1.1.1.-
2,3-butanediol	NODE_209	fig 286.823.peg.1000	dehydrogenase / meso-butanediol dehydrogenase / diacetyl reductase	K00004	BDH, butB	1.1.1.-
						1.1.1.4
						1.1.1.303
4-hydroxybenzoate	NODE_446	fig 286.823.peg.2897	chorismate-pyruvate lyase	K03181	ubiC	4.1.3.40