

# Supplementary Materials

**Table S1.** Genes encoding for transcription factors participating in anthocyanin biosynthesis regulation in different plant species.

	<b>MYC (bHLH)</b>	<b>MYB</b>	<b>WD40</b>
<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>	<i>TT8</i> (Nesi <i>et al.</i> , 2000) <i>GL3/EGL3</i> (Bernhardt <i>et al.</i> , 2003; Heim <i>et al.</i> , 2003; Zhang <i>et al.</i> , 2003)	<i>TT2, CPC</i> (Borevitz <i>et al.</i> , 2000; Gonzalez <i>et al.</i> , 2008) <i>MYBL2</i> (Dubos <i>et al.</i> , 2008; Matsui <i>et al.</i> , 2008) <i>PAP1, PAP2</i> (Borevitz <i>et al.</i> , 2000)	<i>TTG1</i> (Walker <i>et al.</i> , 1999)
<i>Petunia hybrida</i>	<i>AN1, JAF13</i> (Llyod <i>et al.</i> , 1992; Quattrocchio <i>et al.</i> , 1998; Spelt <i>et al.</i> , 2000, 2002)	<i>AN2, AN4</i> (Quattrocchio <i>et al.</i> , 1999, 2006)	<i>AN11</i> (de Vetten <i>et al.</i> , 1997)
<i>Antirrhinum majus</i>	<i>Delila</i> (Gong <i>et al.</i> , 1999)	<i>Roseal, Rosea2, Venosa, MYB308, MYB330</i> (Schwinn <i>et al.</i> , 2006)	not defined
<i>Vitis vinifera</i>	<i>MYC1, MYCA1</i> (Hichri <i>et al.</i> , 2010; Matus <i>et al.</i> , 2010)	<i>MYBA1, MYBA2, MYB5a</i> (Kobayashi <i>et al.</i> , 2002; Deluc <i>et al.</i> , 2006, 2008; Walker <i>et al.</i> , 2007; Cutanda-Perez <i>et al.</i> , 2009)	<i>WDR1, WDR2</i> (Matus <i>et al.</i> , 2010)
<i>Zea mays</i>	<i>B, R, Lc, Sn, In1</i> (Burr <i>et al.</i> , 1996; Chandler <i>et al.</i> , 1989; Ludwig <i>et al.</i> , 1989; Consonni <i>et al.</i> , 1993; Petroni <i>et al.</i> , 2000)	<i>C1, Pl1, P1</i> (Paz-Ares <i>et al.</i> , 1987; Chandler <i>et al.</i> , 1989; Goff <i>et al.</i> , 1990; Petroni <i>et al.</i> , 2000)	<i>PAC1</i> (Selinger and Chandler, 1999)
<i>Oryza sativa</i>	<i>R, Pl, Ra, Pb</i> (Hu <i>et al.</i> , 1996; 2000; Sakamoto <i>et al.</i> , 2001; Wang and Shu, 2007)	<i>OsC1</i> (Reddy <i>et al.</i> , 1998; Saitoh <i>et al.</i> , 2004)	not defined
<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>	<i>ANT2</i> (Cockram <i>et al.</i> , 2010)	not defined	not defined
<i>Triticum aestivum</i>	<i>TaMyc1</i> (current study)	<i>Mpc1</i> (Li <i>et al.</i> , 1999)	not defined

**Table S2.** PCR primers amplifying *Myc*-like gene sequences of wheat. e: exon, i: intron, UTR: untranslated region, TDN: touchdown, TDN ext: touchdown extended, \*: primers designed from *T. aestivum* contigs 32064, 42144, 65805, 248535, 249890, 302985, 445995, 467773, 1280203, 1475001, 1815797, 1821237 and 4203206 found in www.cerealsdb.uk.net. Primer pairs used for cDNA sequencing are shown in gray color.

Primer Pair Number	Purpose	Gene (Copy)	PCR Product Length (DNA/cDNA)	Forward Primer (FP), 5'→3'		Reverse Primer (RP), 5'→3'		PCR Conditions (Amplification Program/MgCl <sub>2</sub> Concentration, mM)	Gene Region Containing Primer Annealing Site	
									Forward	Reverse
1	cloning	<i>TaMyc1-4</i>	373, 379, 382	gtggacaaggcatccatcttagc		tctttagagcgaggaggccg		60 grad <sup>1</sup> /1.5	e8	e8
2	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	453/-	ataattgcattcgccaggc *		gaactaagaagtaagctgacccatgac *		TDNExt <sup>2</sup> /1.8	5' region	i1
3	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	640/228	gctccatcttcctccccg		cgcgcgtttagaaaccctgt		TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.0	e1	e3
4	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	491/-	gtcatggctagttacttcttagttc *		cacaacaaacggccgggt *		55 grad <sup>1</sup> /1.8	i1	i2
5	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	296/-	taccggccgttgttgt *		tgttcttgagatacatacccttg *		TDNExt <sup>2</sup> /1.8	i2	e3i3
6	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	393/262	tcaccagctgggggaca *		gcgcactgaggcattgcacaa *		TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.8	e3	e4
7	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	600/-	gagcaacgagcatttggt *		atcgggtgcagatttagagatgt *		TDNExt <sup>2</sup> /1.8	e4	i4
8	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	147/-	acgtgttagccgcacatcttgg *		ccggcagaggtagcatgcat *		TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.8	i4	i4
9	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	245/-	atggcccacatgcac *		aaggagaacatcgatgtgcac *		TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.8	i4	i6
10	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	802/-	ttagtttcgtccatgtatgc *		catgagattgcccctgtaa *		TDNExt <sup>2</sup> /1.8	i6	i6
11	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	687/-	cttacaggggcaaactctatgc *		gagaactggaaaaactcatggac *		TDNExt <sup>2</sup> /1.8	i6	i6
12	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	492/-	aaatcagtccatgaggtttcca *		cgtgattcgctcaagggtgt *		TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.8	i6	e7
13	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	534/-	gataccggggaaacttgagctag *		ttactttttgggtgtgcgtgt *		TDNExt <sup>2</sup> /1.8	e7	i7
14	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	283/177	aaccatgtcatctcgagagga *		ggccgcctgtggatc		TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.8	e7	e8

**Table S2.** *Cont.*

Primer Pair Number	Purpose	Gene (Copy)	PCR Product Length (DNA/cDNA)	Forward Primer (FP), 5'→3'		Reverse Primer (RP), 5'→3'	PCR Conditions (Amplification Program/MgCl <sub>2</sub> Concentration, mM)		Gene Region Containing Primer Annealing Site	
				Forward	Forward		Forward	Forward	Forward	Forward
15	sequencing	<i>TaMyc1</i>	422/331	acgacggccctgagcagtg		atgaagggttgcgcatagcc *	TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.8	e8	3UTR	
16	5'RACE	<i>TaMyc1</i>	466/332	atgtttcgccatgccag		ggtcctcaggcgacag	MINTa <sup>3</sup> , 55°C, 29 cycles	e2	e3	
17		<i>TaMyc1</i>	-/151	(primer for control)		ccacgtcagaacccc	MINTa <sup>3</sup> , 53°C, 26 cycles		e2e3	
18	3'RACE	<i>TaMyc1</i>	531/440	1FP		agtgttcgctaattcatc	MINTa <sup>3</sup> , 60°C, 24 cycles	e8		e9
19		<i>TaMyc1</i>	407/316	gcgggaagaagggttag		(primer for control)	MINTa <sup>3</sup> , 55°C ,20 cycles	e8		
20	mapping expression	<i>TaMyc1</i>	283/177	13F		13R	TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.8	e7	e8	
21	mapping expression	<i>TaMyc2</i>	330/220	13F		tcttcccgccgacttcatga	TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.5	e7	e8	
22	mapping expression	<i>TaMyc3</i>	347/198	13F		gagtttccggacggctgttg	TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.8	e7	e8	
23	mapping expression	<i>TaMyc4</i>	341/188	13F		acggctgtccggcca	TDN <sup>2</sup> /1.8	e7	e8	

<sup>1</sup> The amplification was initiated by a denaturing step (94 °C/2 min), followed by 45 cycles (35 cycles in **55 grad** program) of 94 °C/15 s, 60 °C (55 °C in **55 grad** program)/30 s, 72 °C/60 s, and completed with a final extension step of 72 °C/5 min; <sup>2</sup> The amplification was initiated by a denaturing step (94 °C/2 min), followed by 13 cycles of 94 °C/15 s, 65 °C/30 s (decreasing by 0.7 °C/cycle), 72 °C/45 s (2 min in **TDNext** program), 24 cycles of 94 °C/15 s, 56 °C/30 s, 72 °C/45 s (2 min in **TDNext** program); and a final extension of 72 °C/5 min; <sup>3</sup> The amplification program was as in a manual to a Mint RACE primer set (Evrogen, Moscow, Russia) with annealing temperature and numbers of cycles, established empirically (pointed in column "PCR Conditions").

**Table S3.** Sequence similarity between *TaMyc1* and its three related copies.

	<i>TaMyc1</i>	<i>TaMyc2</i>	<i>TaMyc3</i>
<i>TaMyc2</i>	87.61% 2 in/dels (6+3bp)	-	-
<i>TaMyc3</i>	89.97%	86.73%	-
	1 in/del (3bp)	3 in/del (3+6+3 bp)	-
<i>TaMyc4</i>	91.45%	87.32%	95.83%
	1 in/del (3bp)	3 in/del (3+6+3 bp)	0 in/del

**Table S4.** Fold differences in transcript *TaMyc1* abundance between test genotypes in various parts of the wheat plant. \*: differences statistically significant at  $p \leq 0.05$ .

Comparable Genotypes	Pericarp	Culm	Leaf	Coleoptile	Root
“i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1Pp3 <sup>P</sup> ”/“Saratovskaya 29”	1446.31 *	18.79 *	35.54 *	61.12 *	47.87 *
“i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1Pp3 <sup>PF</sup> ”/“Saratovskaya 29”	1492.27 *	6.81 *	2.59 *	100.82 *	30.79 *
“i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1Pp3 <sup>P</sup> ”/“i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1Pp3 <sup>PF</sup> ”	0.97	2.76 *	13.70 *	0.61	1.55 *

**Table S5.** Fold differences in transcript *TaMyc1* abundance between genotypes marked in the table line to the genotypes marked in the table row. \*: differences significant at  $p \leq 0.05$ .

Saratovskaya29 i:S29Pp-A1pp-D1pp3	i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1Pp3 <sup>P</sup>	i:S29Pp-A1pp-D1Pp3 <sup>PF</sup>	i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1pp3 <sup>P</sup>
i:S29pp-A1pp-D1pp3	3.31 *	197.82 *	476.45 *
Saratovskaya29	-	59.76 *	143.93 *
i:S29Pp-A1pp-D1pp3	1.98 *	118.63 *	285.71 *
i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1pp3 <sup>P</sup>	-	-	2.41 *

**Table S6.** Fold differences in transcript *TaMyc1* abundance between genotypes marked in the table line to the genotypes marked in the table row. \* differences significant at  $p \leq 0.05$ .

Saratovskaya29 i:S29Pp-A1pp-D1pp3	i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1Pp3 <sup>PF</sup>	i:S29Pp-A1pp-D1Pp3 <sup>PF</sup>	i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1pp3 <sup>PF</sup>
i:S29pp-A1pp-D1pp3	3.31 *	80.55 *	150.01 *
Saratovskaya29	-	24.33 *	45.32 *
i:S29Pp-A1pp-D1pp3	1.09	26.46 *	49.28 *
i:S29Pp-A1Pp-D1pp3 <sup>PF</sup>	-	-	1.86

**Figure S1.** Multiple alignment of the coding regions of maize *Lc*, rice *Ra* and the *T. urartu* *Myc*-like gene. Intron positions are marked by triangles, its localizations were predicted by comparison of the mRNA sequences with the corresponding rice (AL606682) and maize (DQ414252) genomic sequences with determined gene structures. The sites of the primers forming primer pair 1 (Table S2) are underlined.

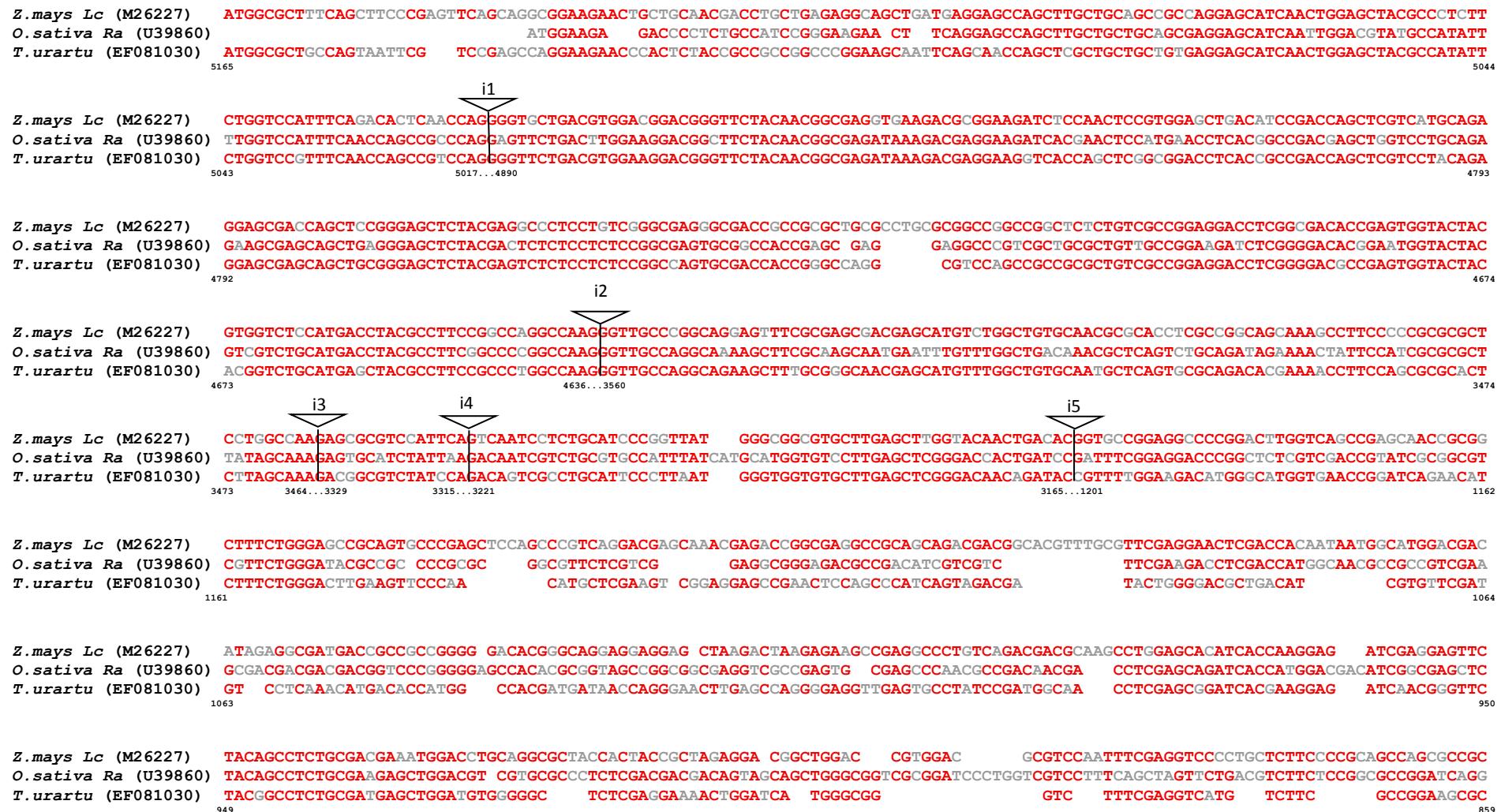


Figure S1. Cont.

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*T. urartu* (EF081030) TCGGCCAAAGACGTG GTTGTGCCGGTCGCCGGGGAGTCGCAAGAAATTGCTAAAGAAAGCTTGGCCGTG GGGCATGGGCAAATAATGATGACGACGGCA CCGCTAGAG  
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*Z. mays Lc* (M26227) AAATGAGTGGCACTGGCACCAAGAACCAAGTCATGTCGGAGCGAAAGCGACGAGAGAACGCTCAACGAGATGTTCTCGTCCTCAACTGCTTCGGCCATTCAACAGCTGAACAAAGCGTC  
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*Z. mays Lc* (M26227) ATCCTCGCGAAACGATAGCCTACCTCAAGGAGCTTCAGAGAAGGGTGCAGAGAAGGCTGGAGTCCAGTAGGAAACCTGCGTCGCCCATCCGAAACGACGACAAGGCTAAATAA CAAGGCCCTCCC  
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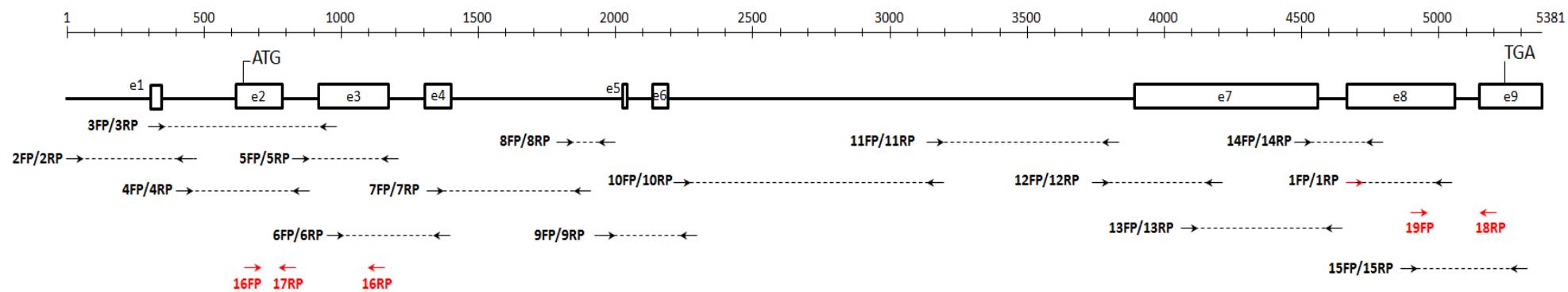
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*O. sativa Ra* (U39860) CAACATGGATGGCTCCTGGACTGAAGATACAGGCCAGTTGCCATCTGCTGCCGTGAAACCTGGATGATTACAGAAAGCTCTCGGAAAGCTATAGCAAGCTAG  
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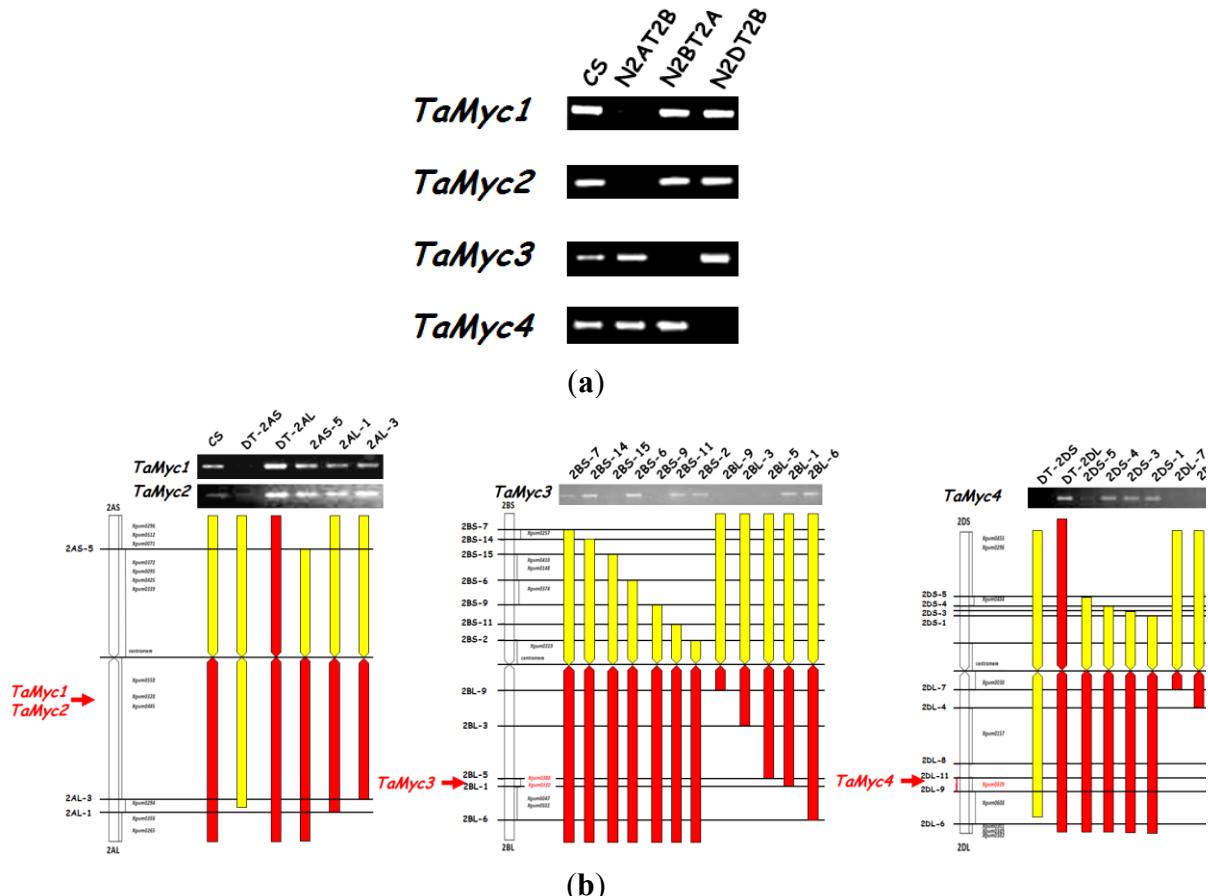
**Figure S2.** *TaMyc1* structure and the placement of the overlapping amplicons used to derive the gene's full sequence. Primers used for 5'- and 3'-RACE shown in red.



**Figure S3.** Alignment of wheat *Myc*-like sequences obtained by amplification with primer pair 1 (Table S2).

	TaMyc1	TaMyc2	TaMyc3	TaMyc4	CONSENSUS
TaMyc1	TGAGACGATA <del>A</del> CCTATCTCAGAGAGCT <del>G</del> AACAGAAGGTGGAGGAGCTAG <del>G</del> ATCCAACAGGGCGGCC <del>A</del> GAACAAACAGCTG				
TaMyc2	TGAGACGATAGC <del>A</del> TATCTCAGAGAGCTGGAACAGAAGGTGGAGGAGCTAGAA <del>G</del> TC <del>T</del> AACA <del>G</del> G <del>T</del> CCGGAAACAACAGT <del>T</del> G				
TaMyc3	TGA <del>A</del> ACGATAGCCTAC <del>C</del> CTCAGAGAGCTGG <del>G</del> CAAGAAGGTGGAGGAGCTAGAA <del>T</del> ATCCAACAGGGCGGCC <del>G</del> CAACAGCCG				
TaMyc4	TGA <del>A</del> ACGATAGCCTAC <del>C</del> CTCAGAGAGCTGG <del>G</del> CAAGAAGGTGGAGGAGCTAGAA <del>T</del> ATCCAACAGGGTG <del>G</del> CCGGAACAGCCG				
CONSENSUS	TGAGACGATAGCCTAC <del>C</del> CTCAGAGAGCTGG <del>G</del> CAAGAAGGTGGAGGAGCTAGAA <del>T</del> ATCCAACAGGGCGGCC <del>G</del> CAACAGCCG				
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TaMyc1	TCAGAAAACCCATGAAGTCGGCGGGAAAGAAGGTGTTAGCTCGTTCTAAGAGAAAGGCATCA <del>G</del> AGCTGGCGGGGAC <del>G</del> AC				
TaMyc2	TCAG <del>G</del> AAACGTCATGAGTCGGCGGGAAAGAAGGTGTTAGCTGGTTCTAAGAGAAAGGC <del>G</del> CTGGAGCTGGCGGGGAG <del>G</del> AC				
TaMyc3	TCC <del>G</del> AAAATCCCATGA <del>G</del> CG <del>T</del> CA <del>G</del> CGGGAAAGAGGTGTTAGCTGGTT <del>C</del> AAAGAGAAAGGC <del>G</del> TGGAGCTGGCGGGGAT <del>G</del> AC				
TaMyc4	TCC <del>G</del> AAAATCCCATGA <del>G</del> CG <del>T</del> CA <del>G</del> GTGG <del>G</del> AAAGAGGTGTTAGCTGGTT <del>C</del> AAAGAGAAAGGC <del>G</del> TGGAGCTGGCGGGGAG <del>G</del> AC				
CONSENSUS	TCAGAAAACCCATGAAGTCGGCGGGAAAGAAGGTGTTAGCTGGTTCTAAGAGAAAGGC <del>G</del> TGGAGCTGGAGCTGGCGGGGAG <del>G</del> AC				
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TaMyc1	ACGGAGGGTGCTCCCCAAGG <del>A</del> GACGCC <del>T</del> GAGCAG <del>G</del> TC <del>C</del> ATCAACGT <del>C</del> ACCGTGACTGACAA <del>G</del> AGGTGCTCCTGG				
TaMyc2	ACG <del>C</del> CTCTCCCCAAGGA CGGCC <del>C</del> GAGCAACATCGTAAT <del>G</del> T <del>C</del> ACCGTGACGGACA <del>A</del> AGAGGTGCTCCT <del>T</del> G <del>A</del>				
TaMyc3	GCGGACAGGGTGCTCTCC <del>A</del> AGGA <del>G</del> AC <del>G</del> GT <del>C</del> CCGAGCAAC <del>T</del> CGTAAC <del>G</del> TCACC <del>G</del> TGAC <del>G</del> GA <del>A</del> AAGAGGTGCTCCT <del>T</del> GG <del>A</del>				
TaMyc4	ACGGAGGGTGCTCCCCAAGGA <del>G</del> ACGCC <del>C</del> GAGCAACATCGTAAC <del>G</del> T <del>C</del> ACCGTGAC <del>G</del> ACA <del>A</del> AGAGGTGCTCCTGG <del>A</del>				
CONSENSUS	ACGGA AGGGTGCTCCCCAAGGA GACGCC <del>C</del> GAGCAACATCGTAAC <del>G</del> T <del>C</del> ACCGTGAC <del>G</del> ACA <del>A</del> AGAGGTGCTCCTGG <del>A</del>				
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TaMyc1	GGTCAATGCCGGTGGAAAGGAGCTGCTGATGACACAAGTGGT <del>C</del> ACGCC <del>T</del> CAAGAGC <del>T</del> CCGCC <del>T</del> GGAC <del>G</del> TGCTC <del>T</del> CC <del>G</del>				
TaMyc2	GGT <del>G</del> CAATGCCGGTGGAAAGGAGCT <del>A</del> CTGATGACACAAGTGGT <del>C</del> ACGCC <del>T</del> CAAGAGC <del>T</del> CCGCC <del>T</del> GGAC <del>G</del> TG <del>T</del> GT <del>C</del> CC <del>G</del>				
TaMyc3	GGT <del>G</del> CAATGCCGGTGGAAAGGAGCT <del>G</del> C <del>T</del> ATGACACAAGTGGT <del>C</del> ACGCC <del>T</del> CAAGAGC <del>T</del> CCGCC <del>T</del> GGAC <del>G</del> TG <del>T</del> CT <del>C</del> CC <del>G</del>				
TaMyc4	GGT <del>G</del> CAATGCCGGTGGAAAGGAGCT <del>G</del> C <del>T</del> GTGAC <del>G</del> ACA <del>A</del> AGTGGT <del>C</del> ACGCC <del>T</del> CAAGAGC <del>T</del> CCGCC <del>T</del> GGAC <del>G</del> TG <del>T</del> CT <del>C</del> CC <del>G</del>				
CONSENSUS	GGT <del>G</del> CAATGCCGGTGGAAAGGAGCT <del>G</del> C <del>T</del> GTGAC <del>G</del> ACA <del>A</del> AGTGGT <del>C</del> ACGCC <del>T</del> CAAGAGC <del>T</del> CCGCC <del>T</del> GGAC <del>G</del> TG <del>T</del> CT <del>C</del> CC <del>G</del>				
	*****	*****	*****	*****	*****
TaMyc1	TGCGCGCGTC <del>C</del> GACGCC <del>G</del>				
TaMyc2	T <del>C</del> CGCGCGTC <del>C</del> ACGCC <del>G</del>				
TaMyc3	TGCGCGCGTC <del>C</del> ACGCC <del>G</del>				
TaMyc4	TGCGCGCGTC <del>C</del> ACGCC <del>G</del>				
CONSENSUS	*	*****	*****	**	

**Figure S4.** Physical mapping of the *TaMyc1-4* gene copies using “Chinese Spring” (CS) nulli-tetrasomic (**a**) and ditelosomic and deletion lines (**b**).



**Figure S5.** Alignment of maize, rice, wheat, barley, and *Arabidopsis* proteins participating in anthocyanin synthesis.

Wheat TaMYC1 (KJ747954)	MALPVVRPCQEEPTLPPPTGTQF SNQLAAAARSINWS YAIFWSIS TSRPGVLTWKDGFYNGEIKTRKV
Rice RA (U39860)	MEETPLPSGKNF RSQLAAAARSINWTYAIFWSIS TSRPGVLTWKDGFYNGEIKTRKI
Maize B (X57276)	MALSASPAQ EELLQ PAGRPL RKQLAAAARSINWS YAIFWSIS STQRPRVLTWTDGFYNGEVKTRKI
Maize LC (M26227)	MALSASRVQQAEELLQRPAERQLMRSQLAAAARSINWS YAIFWSIS DQ PGVLWTWDGFYNGEVKTRKI
Barley ANT2 (HM370319)	MALPIVRPSQEEP PTGKQF SYQLAAAARSINWS YAIFWSIS TSRPGVLTWKDGFYNGEIKTRKV
Arabidopsis TT8 (AJ277509)	MDESSIIPAEKVAGAEKKELQGLLKTAVQSVDWTYSVFWQFCPQQR VLWGNGYYNGAIKTRKT
Wheat TaMYC1 (KJ747954)	TSSADITADQLVLQRSEQLRELYESLLSGQCDHRAR RPAAAALSPEDLGDAEWYYTVCMGYAFRRPGQGL
Rice RA (U39860)	TNSMNLTADDELVLQRSEQLRELYEDSLLSGECGHRA RPVAALLPEDLGTEWYVVCMTYAFPGQGL
Maize B (X57276)	SHSVELTADQLLMQRSEQLRELYEARSGECDRRGA RPVGSLSPEDLGDEWYVVCMTYAFPGQGL
Maize LC (M26227)	SNSVELTSDQLVMQRSDQLRELYEARSGECDRRGA RPAGSLSPEDLGDEWYVVMSMTYAFRRPGQGL
Barley ANT2 (HM370319)	TSSADLTADQLLQRSEQLRELYQSLLSGQCDHRGR RPAAAALSPEDLGDAEWYYAVCMSYAFRRPGQGL
Arabidopsis TT8 (AJ277509)	TQPAEVTAEEAALERSQQLREYETLLAGESTSEA RACTALSPEDLTETEWFYLMCVSFSFPFGSM
Wheat TaMYC1 (KJ747954)	PGRSFASNEHVWLNCNAQCADTKTFQRALLAKTASIQTVCACIP LMGGVLELGGTTNTVLEDKGMVNWIGTS
Rice RA (U39860)	PGKSFASNEFVWLNCNAQCADRKLFHRLIAKSASIQTIVCPFIMHGVLLELGGTDPISEDPALVDRIAAS
Maize B (X57276)	PGRSSASNEHVWLNCNAHLAGSKDFPRALLAKSASIQTIVCP LMGGVLELGGTTDKVPEDPDLVS RATVA
Maize LC (M26227)	PGRSFASDEHVWLNCNAHLAGSKAFPRALLAKSASIQSILCIP VMGGVLELGGTTDVPEAPDLVS RATAA
Barley ANT2 (HM370319)	PGRSFASNEPVWLNCNAQCADTKTFQRSLLAQTTSIQTVCACIP LMGGVLELGGTTDVLEDRDVMNIRISTS
Arabidopsis TT8 (AJ277509)	PGKAYARRKHVWLSCANEVDTSKTSRALAKSAKIQTVCACIP MLGGVLELGGTTKVREDVEFVELTKSF
Wheat TaMYC1 (KJ747954)	FWEILKFPTCSKSEEPNIPSVDVTGADIDVFDVLNHNIM AMMIPG EELGEVECLS DDN
Rice RA (U39860)	FWDTP PRAAFSSSEAGDADI VVFEDLDHGNAAVEATTTTVPGEHAVAGGEVAECEPNADND
Maize B (X57276)	FWEPCPCTYSKEPSSNPSSAYETGEAAIYVLELDLDHNAMDMETVTAAAGRHTGQELGEVESPS NAS
Maize LC (M26227)	FWEPCPSSSPSGRANETGEAAADDGTFAFEELDHNNGMDIEAMTAAGHGQEEELRLREAEALSDDAS
Barley ANT2 (HM370319)	FWDLKIPTSSPKPEPSS PSADDAGEADIVFQDLDHNTM AAMIPG EELGEVECLS DDN
Arabidopsis TT8 (AJ277509)	FYDH C KTNPKPALSEHSTYEVHEEADEEEVEEMTMSE EMRLGSPDDEDVSNQNL
Wheat TaMYC1 (KJ747954)	LERITKE INRFYGLYDELDVGA LEENWTMGG C FE IMSSPEVP PAPAATNGITNGAVTL
Rice RA (U39860)	LEQITMDDIGEYLICELDVRPLDDSSSWAVADPWSSFQLVLTSSPAPDQAPAAEATDVDDVVAAL
Maize B (X57276)	LEHITKG IDEFYSLCEEMDVQ PLEDAWIMDG SNFE VPSSA LPVDG
Maize LC (M26227)	LEHITKE IEEFYSLCDEMDLQALPLPLEDGWTVDA SNFE VPCSSPQP APPPVDRATANVAADA
Barley ANT2 (HM370319)	LERITKE INGFYGLCDELDVGA LDENWIIGG S FE VMSSPEAP PAPAATGGITDGIVTLL
Arabidopsis TT8 (AJ277509)	HSDLH IESTHTLDTHMDMMNL MEEGGNYS QTVTLLMSHP TSLLSDSVSTY
Wheat TaMYC1 (KJ747954)	SSVEP S RSSCFTA WKRSWD SAEDMAT IVARETQKLKKALAGG AWANNGDD TAR
Rice RA (U39860)	DGSSIDGSCRPSFSSVFAWKRTAD SDEVQAVP LISGEPPQKLKKAVAGAGWMNNG DSSAAAM
Maize B (X57276)	SSAPADGS RATSFVWTRSSH SCSGEAA VPVIEEPQKLKKALAGGAWANTNCGGGTTV
Maize LC (M26227)	SRAPVYGS RATSFMAWTRSSQSSCSDDAAPAAVVPAAEPPQRLKKVVAAGGAWESCG GATGAAQ
Barley ANT2 (HM370319)	SAAAS S LSSCFTA WKRSWD SAEDMAA PVAGQSQKLKKALAGG VWAINGGGGTTAR
Arabidopsis TT8 (AJ277509)	SYIQ SSFATWRVENGKEHQVKTAP SSQWVILQMFIRVPFLHDN TKD
Wheat TaMYC1 (KJ747954)	AQESTNTKNHVISERRREKLNEMFLILKSLVPSIHKVDKASILAETITYLRELEQKVEELGSNRART
Rice RA (U39860)	TTQESSIKNHVMSERKREKLNEMFLILKSLVPSIHKVDKASILAETIAYLKELEKRVEELESSSQSPSPC
Maize B (X57276)	TAQENGAKNHVMSERKREKLNEMFLILKSLVPSIHKVDKASILAETIAYLKELEKRVEELESSSQSPSPC
Maize LC (M26227)	EMSGTGTKNHVMSERKREKLNEMFLILKSLLPSIHKRVNKASILAETIAYLKELEKRVEELESSREPASR
Barley ANT2 (HM370319)	AQESSNTKNHVISERRREKLNEMFLILKSLVPSIHKVDKASILAETIAYLRELEQRVEELESNRAPS
Arabidopsis TT8 (AJ277509)	KRLPREDLSHVVAERRREKLNEKFTLRSMVPFVTKMDVSLGDTIAYVNHLRKRVHELENT
Wheat TaMYC1 (KJ747954)	TAV RKRHEVGGKKVIALS KRKASELGCDDTER VLPKDDGLSSVINVTVIDNEVLL
Rice RA (U39860)	PLETRSR RKCREDITGKVKSAKRAKAPAPEVASDDDTDG ERRHCVSNVNTIMDNKEVLL
Maize B (X57276)	GGSGCVSKVKCVGSNSKRKSPEFAGAKEHPWVLPMD GTSNV TVTVSDTNVLL
Maize LC (M26227)	PSETTTRLITRPSRGNNESVRKEVCAGS KRKSPELGRDDVERPPVLTMDAGTSNV TVTVSDKDVLL
Barley ANT2 (HM370319)	AGAAV RRHHDAAKKMLAGS KRKASELGCDD GPNSVVNVTVTEKEVLL
Arabidopsis TT8 (AJ277509)	HHEQQHKRTRTC KRKTSE EVEVSIENDVLL
Wheat TaMYC1 (KJ747954)	VQCRWKELLMTQVFDAIKSLRLDVLVLSVRASTPDPLLALKIRAQFAGPGVVEETGMISEALQRAIRR
Rice RA (U39860)	IQCQWKELLMTQVFDAIKGVSLDVLVLSVQASTSDGLLGLKIQAKFASSAAVEPGMITEALRKAIAS
Maize B (X57276)	VQCRWEKLLMTQVFDAIKSLHLDALSVQASAPDGFMRLKIGAQFAGSGAVVPGMISQSLRKAIIGKR
Maize LC (M26227)	VQCRWEELLMTQVFDAIKSLHLDVLVLSVQASAPDGFMGLKIRAQFAGSGAVVPGMISQSLRKAIIGKR
Barley ANT2 (HM370319)	VQCRWKELLMTQVFDAIKSLRLDVLVLSVRASTPDPLLALKIRAQFAGPGVVEETGMISEALQRAIRR
Arabidopsis TT8 (AJ277509)	MRCEYRDGLLLDILQLVHLGIETTAVHTSVNDHDFAEIRAKVRGKAKASIAEVKRAIHQVIHDNTL