

Figure S1. Schematic representation of TGA TFs involved in pathogen-induced basal resistance, susceptibility and systemic acquired resistance (SAR). A primary local infection may trigger the production of the immune signal salicylic acid (SA) or TGA TFs, and TGA TFs are located in upstream or downstream of SA. Upon pathogen infection, TGA TFs are activated and contribute to the induction of systemic acquired resistance deficient 1 (SARD1) and Calmodulin-binding protein 60g (CBP60g). SARD1 and CBP60g subsequently activate the expression of isochorismate synthase 1 (ICS1) which leads to increased SA biosynthesis. Moreover, SA also be directly elevated under pathogen infection. After that, NPR1 interact with TGA TFs to activate the expression of SA-dependent defense genes or suppress the expression of *proteinase inhibitors I* and *II* (*PI I* and *PI II*), which show the basal resistance or susceptibility to primary infection in local tissue. The production of mobile immune signals involved in azelaic acid (AzA), abietane diterpenoid dehydroabietinal (DA), methyl salicylic acid (MeSA), glycerol-3-phosphate (G3P), and pipecolic acid (Pip), which require a putative lipid-transfer protein (DIR1) for their functions. In distal organs, the intermediate level of SA lead to the accumulation of NONEXPRESSOR OF pathogenesis-related (PR) GENES 1 (NPR1). NPR1 can interact with TGA TFs to activate the expression of pathogenesis-related protein such as PR1, PR2, and PR5, which show the resistance to secondary infection in systemic tissue, i. e. obtaining SAR. SA (HC): high concentration of salicylic acid, SA (MC): medium concentration of salicylic acid, as-1:

activating sequence 1, solid line arrows represent direct activation regulation, dashed line arrows represent indirect activation regulation and blocked arrows indicate repression.

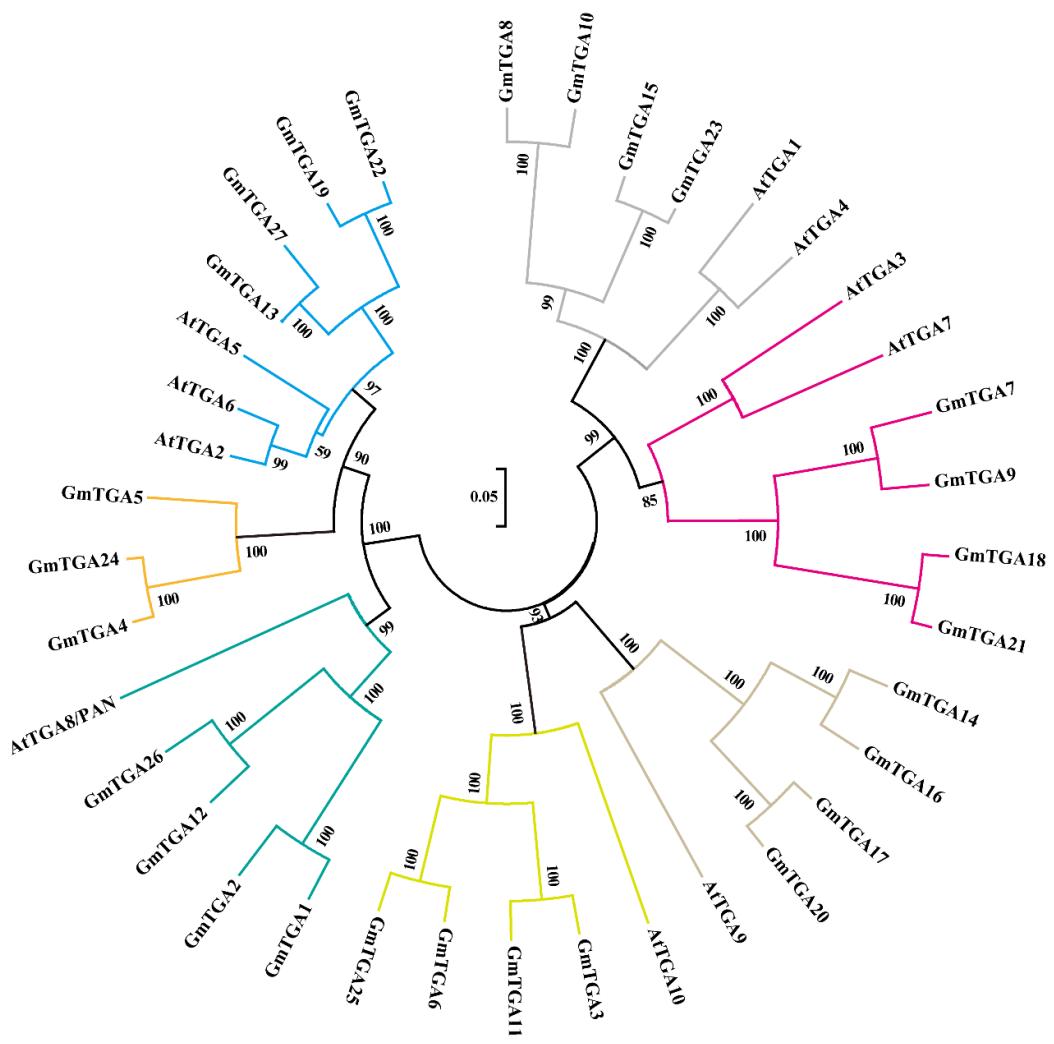


Figure S2. Phylogenetic analyses of TGA proteins from *Arabidopsis* and soybean. Each group is marked by a separate color.

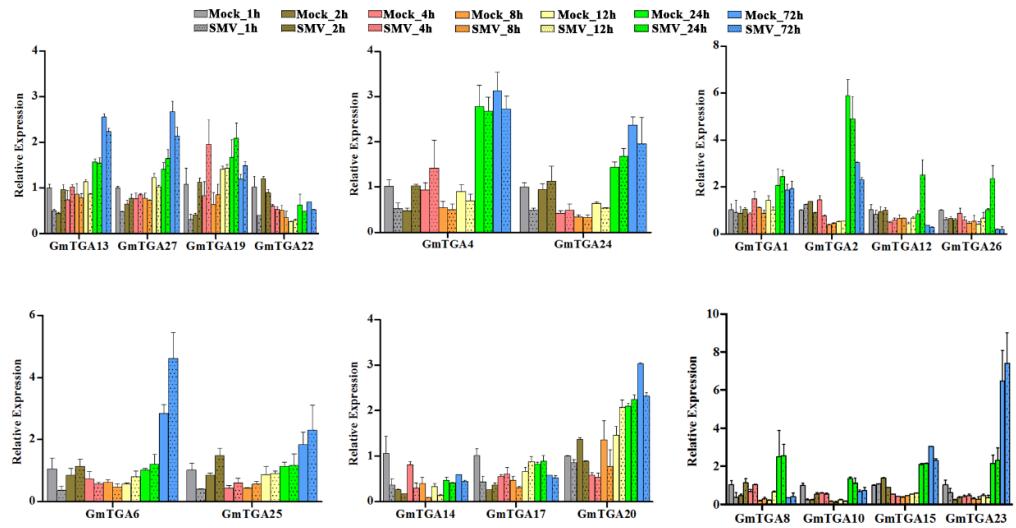


Figure S3. Expression profiles of *GmTGA* genes of soybean NN1138-2 before and after SMV inoculation at 1, 2, 4, 8, 12, 24 and 72 h post-inoculation (hpi). RNAs isolated from non-inoculated and inoculated unifoliate leaves of soybean were employed to analyze the expression of 7 groups of *GmTGA* genes using qRT-PCR. The relative expression levels were calculated using the $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ method. Mock-inoculated soybean leaves at 1 h as the control (relative expression = 1). Data are presented as mean \pm standard deviation from three independent experiments.

Table S1. The primers are used to amplify TGA TFs from soybean cultivar *NN1138-2*.

Name	Primer sequence (5' to 3')	Size(bp)	Template
GmTGA1	CAGTGTGTGACTGTGTCTGA/GAGCCAACATTGGAAGTCCT	1643	cDNA
GmTGA2	CTGCTGCTGCTTTGTAACG/TGCAATGCTACCTGATTGTTG	1827	cDNA
GmTGA3	AGAAGGCAGGGTTCACCATTA/ATGGGAAAGTCCAGAGGGAG	1752	cDNA
GmTGA4	GGGTTGCAGGGCATTATT/AACACACACCACGAAACAAGT	2053	cDNA
GmTGA5	ATGGGTAGTGCAGAAACTTTA/TCACTCCCTGGCTG	873	cDNA
GmTGA6	GTTTCGCCATTGATGAGAGC/TGATATGCAGGGGAGAGAG	1691	cDNA
GmTGA7	CCTATAGAAAACCTTTATT/ACACGGCATTAACCTATTCA	1238	cDNA
GmTGA8	GTAGCAGCGGAGGATTCTG/AGCCGAACAGGATGATAAG	1271	cDNA
GmTGA9	ATTGGGCGTTGCAAGAGAT/TTCCACTACATGTCCTCCTT	1520	cDNA
GmTGA10	ATGTGTATGCACCGAACATCGC/GCAATAGACATATCCTTCAGG	1445	cDNA
GmTGA11	TCTATATCTCTTGCGTGGAC/TCGTTATTATCATCACCACAC	1653	DNA
GmTGA12	GCAACACCACACTACAGTCC/GGCACAATATCCGCTTGACA	1680	cDNA
GmTGA13	TCAAATCTGGTCAGTGGTATA/TCATCTAAATTCTTCAACTGTGT	1276	cDNA
GmTGA14	TATGTATTACTTTGACAGGA/ACATAAGAGACACGAGAGGA	1763	cDNA
GmTGA15	TAGGAGTATGTTGAATGA/ATATACACCATGCGTCCAAA	1378	cDNA
GmTGA16	TGAGAATGGCTAAGAACGCC/CTGACACTCTTCCATTCC	1618	cDNA
GmTGA17	TCCCTAAAACACACATAGAGCTT/GAGCTTCCTCATCATGCACA	1736	cDNA
GmTGA18	GTGGTATTGGCCAGATAGGGT/TTGTGCAAACACATTACAGT	1249	cDNA
GmTGA19	GAATTGTTGATGTTGGTGAG/GGAAACTATGGCACTGAAACA	1735	cDNA
GmTGA20	TAGAGGTAAGCTTCAGGGAA/CTTCTTCAGGCTAATGGGT	1261	cDNA
GmTGA21	TCTGAGGTTGAGGTTCTTCATTG/TGAGATTGAGCACCTGTTG	1343	DNA
GmTGA22	GACAAGGGAGCTGAAAGAGG/ ACTGACTAGCATTTGAACCCA	1936	cDNA
GmTGA23	TCCTGCCACCCCTTCTATTCT/TGCGCTCTGTAACCTTGT	1303	cDNA
GmTGA24	ATTGGGTTGCTCCCCTTT/AGTCTTAAGGGGGTCAGGT	1554	cDNA
GmTGA25	AGAAGACACAGAACGGCGTA/TGCAGAAAAGAACCAAGGAAGG	1807	cDNA
GmTGA26	ACACCTCATCCTCACTACCAT/ACGCATAACATTGGCACAAC	1587	cDNA
GmTGA27	AAAAGGAAACAGCAAGAGGG/CCCTCAACTGTGTTACAATGG	1578	cDNA

Table S2. The qRT-PCR primers for the 27 *GmTGA* genes of soybean cultivar NN1138-2.

Name	Primer sequence (5' to 3')	Size(bp)
<i>GmTGA1</i>	GGCTTCCAAGCATTGCAACA/AGTGCCATTGGCCCAGTGA	104
<i>GmTGA2</i>	GGCATCCAAGCATTGCAACA/GAGGTGCGCCTGTGAAGAA	156
<i>GmTGA3</i>	ACACAAGAGGCAGAAGAGGC/GACCACAGAGAACCTCAGGGC	299
<i>GmTGA4</i>	CTAATGGTCCGCCAGCTCA/CCTGGCAAGCCACAAAGAAC	245
<i>GmTGA5</i>	GGGACGGGTTCAGCATACATT/TTGACTGTGCCTGATCTCCAG	173
<i>GmTGA6</i>	GGATTGGTGGATTCAAGGCC/CCTCGAGTCCTGGGAGAGA	144
<i>GmTGA7</i>	AAAGTTGATGGCGGTCTGAA/CCAGCTCCAATTGCATGAGC	265
<i>GmTGA8</i>	CGGACTCTGTAGGACCAGGA/TCCCCCAAAGCAAGCAGAAA	190
<i>GmTGA9</i>	TCAGCAAGTTAGCCTGTGGG/TCCAGCTCCAGTTGCATGAG	300
<i>GmTGA10</i>	TGGATTGGAGGATTTCGCC/GTCCTACAGAGTCAGCGAGC	178
<i>GmTGA11</i>	ACACAAGAGGCAGAAGAGGC/CAGAAATGCCACCAAGCAC	259
<i>GmTGA12</i>	ATGGCTCGGTGGTTTCGAT/GAGGGCCCTAAAGAGGAGGA	198
<i>GmTGA13</i>	GTCCCTGTTGCTGTGGCTT/TCTGCAGCCTCGCAGATT	100
<i>GmTGA14</i>	CTGAAAGGGGTGGCTGCTAA/ACGAATGCCGAGTTCACAT	187
<i>GmTGA15</i>	AAAGTTGGTTGTACTTGCAAC/ACACACTCATACTTCTCGGGG	284
<i>GmTGA16</i>	TGGACTCCGGCATTCTCGTAG/ACAAGAAAACACCGTGTGC	249
<i>GmTGA17</i>	GTTGCAGCAGTCATTGTGG/ GTGCTGCTTGACGAAGTGTG	179
<i>GmTGA18</i>	TCCGGCTTCATCTCAGCAA/GCAGCTTGAGCAGTTGTAG	235
<i>GmTGA19</i>	TGCTGTCTGGCATGTGGAAA/ATGCTTCCATGCCCTGAGAC	192
<i>GmTGA20</i>	GTCAGGAGGGAAAGCACTG/GCTGATCTGGGCATCACT	183
<i>GmTGA21</i>	TACGCCGTGCACTAGATGTC/GCCTTGAGCAGTTGTCTT	235
<i>GmTGA22</i>	GAAGCCCTGCTGCTGTTTC/ATTCTGCTCTCCAGGCCACC	300
<i>GmTGA23</i>	GGCAGTTGCCTGCACTGAT/TTAGAGGCATGGCTGCACTT	160
<i>GmTGA24</i>	GCTGCTATTGCTGGGTCTCA/CACCCCTTCAGGCCTTGA	175
<i>GmTGA25</i>	GGTTTCGTGAGACAGGCTGA/GTGCCAGCCACAAAGAACTG	148
<i>GmTGA26</i>	CTCTAGGGCCCTGTTCT/GCTGGCACGTGGTCAAAT	160
<i>GmTGA27</i>	ATTGCGCCAGCAGACTTG/AGGGCACGCAACCTAGAAAAA	106
<i>GmEF1B[†]</i>	CCACTGCTGAAGAAGATGATGATG/AAGGACAGAAGACTTGCCACTC	134
<i>GmACTINII[†]</i>	ATTTGACTGAGCGTGGTTATTCC/GCTGGCCTGGCTGTCTCC	126

[†]Represent the primer sequences are originated from the literature which is reported by Ma et al. (2013) (<https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0075271>).

Table S3. The construction primers of transient overexpression constructs

Constructs Name	Primer sequence (5' to 3')
p103-GFP	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGTGAGCAAGGGCGAGG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCACTGTACAGCTCGTCATGC
p103-GmTGA1	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGCCATTCTCTCAAAGACACA Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCACTCTCTAGGGCGCGCC
p103-GmTGA2	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATAAAAATATGCAAGGTTCAAG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgCTACTCTCTAGGGCGCGCC
p103-GmTGA4	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGGTAGCAGAAGTAGAACAGTAAACG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCACTCCCTGGCCTGGC
p103-GmTGA6	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGATGGCTTCTCAAAGACCAC Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgCTATTCTGGCGAGGGCGT
p103-GmTGA8	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGATGCTACATCCTCACCGT Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgCTAACGATGTCCTGGAAATTGAGG
p103-GmTGA10	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGATGCTACATCCTCACAGTTG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgCTAATGTTGACTGACTTAGTAAGTTCT
p103-GmTGA12	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATCAAAGCTCAACACAAACCG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgCTAGTACTCTTAGGACACGCTAACCA
p103-GmTGA13	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGCTGACGCCAGTCCTAG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCAGTCTCTGGGCGGGC
p103-GmTGA14	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGCGAGCCAAGAATAGGA Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCAGAAACTTGAGAAATGATTCTGAGA
p103-GmTGA15	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGAATT CAGCATCCCCGC Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgCTAACGAGGTTCCCAGGG
p103-GmTGA17	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGCGAGCCACAGAATAGG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCAGAAACTTGAGAAATAATTCTGAGAA
p103-GmTGA19	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGGGAGTAGAAACTACCTGGAGG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCAATCTCTAGGGCGAGCAAGC
p103-GmTGA20	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGCGAGCCACAGAATAGG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCAGAAACTTGAGAAATAATTCTGAGAA
p103-GmTGA22	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGCCGAGCTCCAATTCTGA Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCAATCTCTAGGGCGAGCAAGC
p103-GmTGA23	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGAATT CAGCATCCCCGC Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgCTAACGAGGTTCACGAGGGTCTATTAG
p103-GmTGA24	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGTAGCAGAAGTAGAACCGTAA Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCACTCCCTGGCCTAGCAA
p103-GmTGA25	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGGTTCTTCAAAGACCCACCA Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgCTATTCTGGCGAGGGCGT
p103-GmTGA26	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATCAAAGCTCAACACAAAC Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgCTAGTACTCTGGACACGCTAACCC
p103-GmTGA27	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATCCGAGCTTGATTCAA Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCAGTCTCTGGCGGGC
p103-CP	Forward primer: ttggagaggacacgctcgagATGTCAGGCAAGGAGAAAGAAGG Reverse primer: gactcacctaggtcacacgtgTCACTGCTGTGGACCTATGCC