

**Supplemental Figure 3**: Ammonium content and *in vitro* aminating and deaminating activities of GDH and *in vitro* specific activities of GS and GOGAT in tobacco (*Nicotiana tabacum* L. cv Xanthi) plants grown under salinity conditions.

- (A) Endogenous free NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> content in shoots of tobacco plants.
- **(B)** *In vitro* aminating specific activity of GDH in shoots of tobacco plants.
- (C) In vitro specific activities of GS in shoots of tobacco plants
- (**D**) *In vitro* specific activities of GOGAT in shoots of tobacco plants.

Bars represent ±SE of three replicates out of three independent experiments.