

Supplemental Figure S1.

GmJ8 :	ATGGCTGCTGCAACTGCTGGAGTTGTTGGTGGAAATGG-----	:	38
MtJ8 :	ATGGCTGCTACTACTGCTGTTGGTATTATGGTGGTAA-----	:	38
RcJ8 :	ATGGCAACTGCATCTGTTGGTATTGATTGGAGGAAACCCCTGTGC	:	44
GmJ8 :	TTCGTCTG---CTTCTTGATCGATTCAA---AGGCAAGGAAA	:	76
MtJ8 :	TGGAT-----CTTCATGGATGCAATTGG----TAGAAAGGAAA	:	73
RcJ8 :	TGGGTCTTCATCTTCTGGTTCAGATCAAGAATAGGAAGAAGA	:	88
GmJ8 :	GGAGCAAAACCAAGATGAACAAGTCAGGATTAGTTGCTCTTAT	:	120
MtJ8 :	AGAACAAAATAAGATGAATAAAAGTTAGGGTTGTTGCTCTAAA	:	117
RcJ8 :	AGAACAAATGGCAGAGATAGAGTCAGATTTCCTGCCTTCT	:	132
GmJ8 :	TCT-----TCTTCTGTGATGGATCCTTAACAGACCTT	:	152
MtJ8 :	TCTAAATCTAAATCTTCTCTGTGATGGATCCTTAACAGACTTT	:	161
RcJ8 :	TCT-----TCTTCTGTGTTATGGATCCTTAACAGACTCT	:	167
GmJ8 :	AAGAATACAAACGCGGTGCCTCTGAATCTGAGGTCAAGGAAGGCTT	:	196
MtJ8 :	AAGAATTCACACCTGGTGCCTCTGAATCTGAGGTCAAGGAAGGCTT	:	205
RcJ8 :	CAGGATTCAACCTGGTGCCTCTGAATCCGAAGTCAGAAAGCCT	:	211
GmJ8 :	TCAGGCAGCTTGCTCTGCAGTACCATCCAGACGTGTGCAAGAGG	:	240
MtJ8 :	TTAGACAACTTGCTCTGCAGTACCATCTGATGTGTGCAAGAGG	:	249
RcJ8 :	TTAGGCAGCTTGCTCTGCAGTATCATCCAGATGTATGCACAGGA	:	255
GmJ8 :	AGCAATTGTTGGGTGCAGTTTACGAAATCAACAGAGGCTTATGA	:	284
MtJ8 :	AGAGATTGTTGGGTGCAGTTTCACTTGTATGAAATGAGGCTTATGA	:	293
RcJ8 :	AGCAATTGCGGAGTGCAGTTAGTCGGATTATGAAGCCTATGA	:	299
GmJ8 :	TACTGTGATGGCCAACCTTAAGAGGGAGAATCAAATGCGACAGAAT	:	328
MtJ8 :	TATTGTGATGTCACATTGAGAGAA-----AATGTGATAGAAA	:	331
RcJ8 :	TATTGTGATGAGCAGTTGAGAGGGAGAAGCAGATGAATCGCACG	:	343
GmJ8 :	CGTATGAGGCTTA-----T-----TATGATGCTGGAATTGATGAG	:	363
MtJ8 :	CTTATGAGACCAC---TACCAACATATAATGAGAACATGATGAG	:	372
RcJ8 :	TGTTGAGTCATCATATGAACCCATCATCAAGGAGTCGATGAG	:	387
GmJ8 :	CCACTGAGGGATGAACGATCCAGATTGGACATGTGGAGGA	:	407
MtJ8 :	TCATTAGAGGAATGAATGATCCAGATTGGGCTATTGGGAAGA	:	416
RcJ8 :	CCAATGAGGGATGGACGCCCTGATTGGACATGTGGGAAGA	:	431
GmJ8 :	GTGGATGGGTGGGAAGGAGCAGGAATCTGTTGACTACTCGTCTC	:	451
MtJ8 :	ATGGATGGGTGGGAAGGAGCAGGAATCCGTTGACTACTCTCTC	:	460
RcJ8 :	GTGGATGGGTGGGAAGGAGCTGGAATTAGAGACTACACATCCC	:	475
			
	stop		
GmJ8 :	ATATTAATCCTTACATTG	:	471
MtJ8 :	ATATTAATCCTTACATTAA	:	480
RcJ8 :	ATATTAATCCTTACATTG	:	495

Supplemental Figure S1.
Alignment of J8 cDNA sequences from *Medicago* (MtJ8**), soybean (**GmJ8**) and castor bean (**RcJ8**).** Position of the PsJ8-R2 primer used for initial amplifications of *PsJ8* from pea is shown as a blue line with an arrowhead indicating the direction of the primer. Stop codons of *J8* cDNAs are marked.

Supplemental Figure S2

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PsJ8a : ATGGCGGCTACTACTAATT-----GTTGTTGGTAAACGGAGCTGGTGTTCATGGATGCAATTGGAAGAAAGGA : 71
PsJ8b : ATGGCGGCTACTACTACTGCTGGTGTATTGGTGGTATAGGATCTGGTGTTCATGGATGCAATTGGAAGAAAGGA : 77
TOC12 : ATGGCGGCTACTACTACTGCTGGTGTATTGGTGGTATAGGATCTGGTGTTCATGGATGCAATTGGAAGAAAGGA : 77

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PsJ8a : AACGAAACAAAATAAGATGAAAGAGTTAGAGTTGCTCATCTTATTCTCTGTGACAGATCCTTATAAGA : 148
PsJ8b : AAAAGAAACAAAATAAGATGAACAGAGTTAGAGTTGCTCATCTTATTCTCTGTGACAGATCCTTATAAGA : 154
TOC12 : AAAAGAAACAAAATAAGATGAACAGAGTTACAGTTACAGTTGCTCATCTTATTCTCTGTGACAGATCCTTATAAGA : 154

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PsJ8a : TATTAAGATTCAACCAGATGCTCTGAATCTGATGTTAGAAAGGCTTTAGACAGCTTGCTTGAGTATCATCCA : 225
PsJ8b : TATTAAGGTTCAACCAGATGCTCTGAATCTGATGTTAGAAAGGCTTTAGACAACITGCTTGAGTATCATCCA : 231
TOC12 : TATTAAGGTTCAACCAGATGCTCTGAATCTGATGTTAGAAAGGCTTTAGACAACITGCTTGAGTATCATCCA : 231

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2nd Exon ← → 3rd Exon

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PsJ8a : GATGTTGCAGAGGAAAAGATTGTATGTCGTTACGTAATCAATGAGGCTTATGTTGCGATTACAAATT : 302
PsJ8b : GATGTTGCAGAGGAAAAGATTGTATGTCGTTACGTAATCAATGAGGCTTATGTTGCGATTACAAATT : 308
TOC12 : GATGTTGCAGAGGAAAAGATTGTATGTCGTTACGTAATCAATGAGGCTTATGTTGAGTTATTATAT : 308

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PsJ8a : GAGAGAAGAAGCAAAGAAGAGAGA-AACATATGAGAAGGGAGAAGAAGAAGATGTTATGATGATGAACCATTT : 378
PsJ8b : GAGAGAAGAAAACAAGAAGAGAGA-AACATATGAGAAGGGAGAAGAAGAAGAGGTGTTATGATGATGAACCATTT : 384
TOC12 : ATAAT-----  
stop codon of Toc12

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PsJ8a : AGAGGAAAGAATGATCCAGATTGGGATATTGGGAGAATGGATGGGTTATGAAAGGAGCAGGAGTTAGTAATAGTGA : 455
PsJ8b : AGAGGAAAGAATGATCCAGATTGGGATATTGGGAGAATGGATGGGTTATGAAAGGAGCAGGAGTTAGTAATAGTGA : 461
TOC12 : -----

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stop

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PsJ8a : CTTCTCTAATCATATTAATCCTTCATTTGATAAGTTATGTTAGG-----TAGTGAATGTTATGTTATGTT-G : 524
PsJ8b : CTTCTCTAATCATATTAATCCTTCATTTGATCAACTTATGTTATGTAATTAGTATTAAATTAAACCTTTATTA : 538
TOC12 : -----

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PsJ8a : CATTATTATGATTATAGTTAAAGTTAAATGGGCTACTACTAGACCTACTACTTGTCCCCATCGATCCAAAAGTGGTTG : 600
PsJ8b : TATGTTATGTCGATTAGTAAATGGGCTACTACTAGACCTACTACTTGTCCCCATCGTAAAGTGGTGGTTG : 611
TOC12 : -----

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PsJ8a : GTGCTTGTATATAATCGCCATGTTGATGTCATTGAAAGTTGCTGTATTGTTATGCT : 677
PsJ8b : GTGCTTGTATATAATGCAAGTTGATGTCATTGAAAGTTGAG-AATATT-----TGGC : 679
TOC12 : -----

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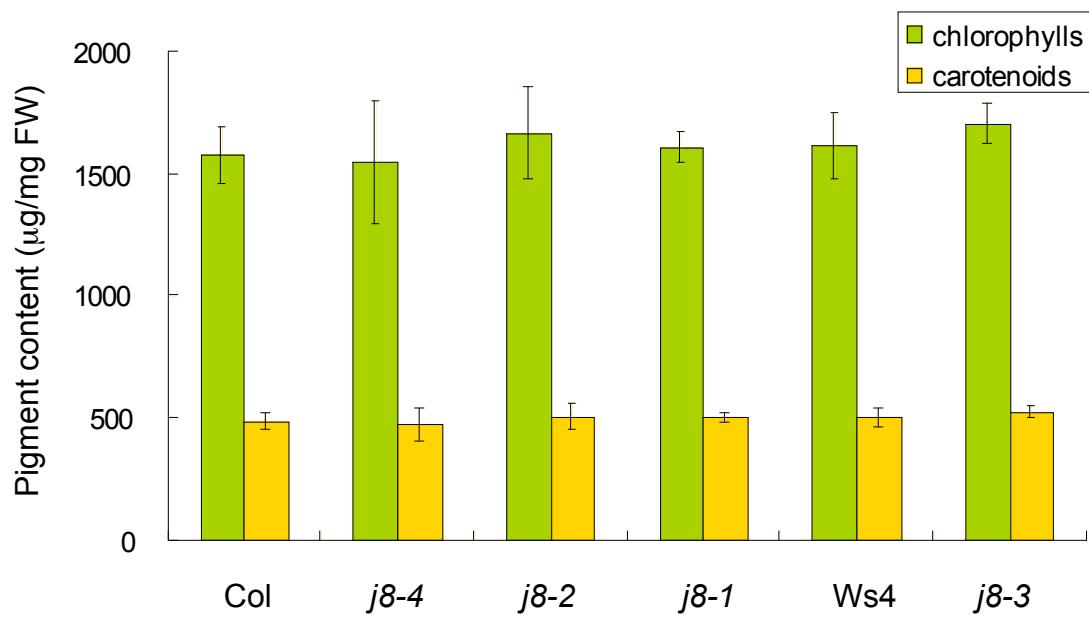
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PsJ8a : TAAATACAAATAAAGTTATGTCATAAAAAAAAAAAAAA : 720
PsJ8b : TGTTATGATTCTATGTTATCTTAAAAA : 721
TOC12 : -----

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Supplemental Figure S2. Sequence alignment of *PsJ8a* and *PsJ8b* cDNA and *TOC12*.
Sequences of *PsJ8a* and *PsJ8b* from the start codon to the poly-A tail are shown. Stop codons of *PsJ8s* and *TOC12* are indicated in red and blue, respectively. The junction between the second and the third exons is also indicated.

Supplemental Figure S3

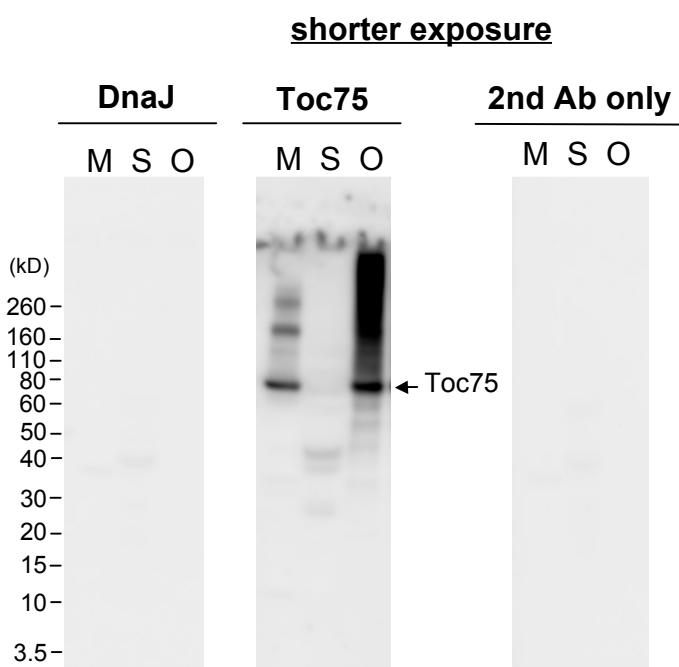


Supplemental Figure S3. Pigment contents of *Arabidopsis j8* mutants.

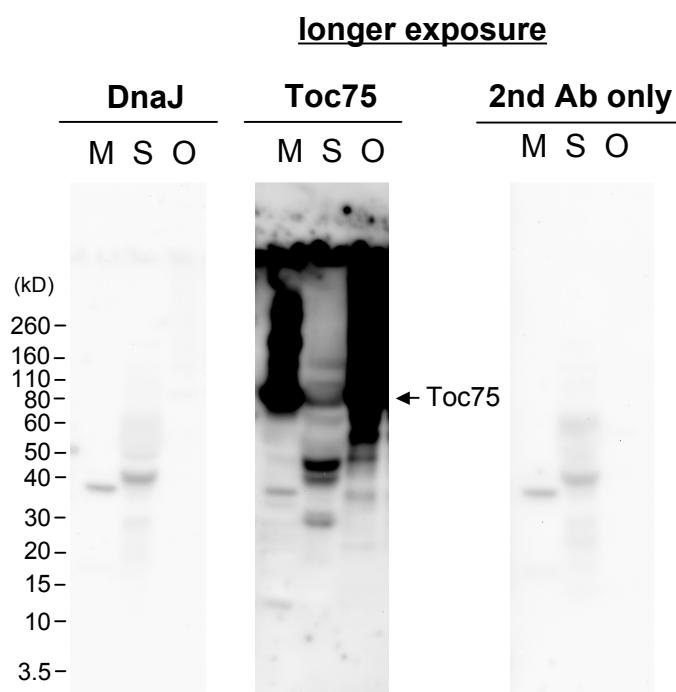
Chlorophyll and carotenoid contents of 14-day-old wild type and *j8* mutants grown on MS medium were measured. Data are means \pm S. D., n=8.

Supplemental Figure S4

A



B



Supplemental Figure S4. The antibody against *E. coli* DnaJ failed to detect specific proteins in various fractions from pea chloroplasts.

Total membrane (M) and soluble (S) proteins (35 µg of proteins in each lane), and the purified outer envelope membranes (O, 12.5 µg of proteins) from pea chloroplasts were analyzed by SDS-PAGE followed by immunoblotting with rabbit antibodies against *E. coli* DnaJ (Stressgen, SPA-410) or pea Toc75, or with the HRP-conjugated donkey-anti-rabbit secondary antibody alone. Proteins were visualized using the HRP-conjugated secondary antibody and the ImmobilonWestern Chemiluminescent HRP system (Millipore), with the UVP BioSpectrum 600 Image System (Ultra Violet Products).

- (A) Shorter exposure time of the blots.
- (B) Longer exposure time of the blots.

Supplemental Table S1. Sequences of primers used in this study.

Primer Name	Primer Sequence (from 5' to 3')
PsJ8-F1	ggaaagctttctgggttgtgaggtttgtatttaaggatggcgctac
PsJ8-F6	tatgttgtgagtttatttatcta
PsJ8-F8	tgcggctgtggcattcgct
PsJ8-R2	tcaaatgtaaaggataatatg
PsJ8-R7	tggttcatcatcataacacc
PsJ8b-M1x-F	gcccggatggccggattattcggtactactactgtggtg
PsJ8b-M1x-R	caccaggcgttagtagccgcaataatcccgccatggccgc
Toc12-3'UTR-R	ctaaattcaattcaactatttgc
Toc12-R/T-F	caaataagatgaacacagttacagtttgtgctcatct
Toc12-R/T-R	agatgagcaacaaactgttaactgttgtcatcttatttg
Toc12MM-F	ttgtgagttatttatctaatgtatgtaaatttcgtggcaata
Toc12MM-R	tatttgccaacgaaaatttacatcatttagataataactcaca
AtJ8-KpnI-F1	cccggtaccatgacaattgtttaacgatc
AtJ8-EcoRI-R1	cccgaaattctcaagcgtaaggatcacgt
AtJ8-F4	atgacaattgtttaacgatcgag
AtJ8-R5	atacacattggatgattcttcga
AtJ8-R6	gcttcaacacaatatcgtaagctc
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AtJ8-Q-R1	attttaatttgcttcaacacaatatcgta
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AtUBQ10-Q-R	cttcttaagcataacagagacgag
AtJ8geno-F2	caaattgtctcaaagtattactgtgggc
AtJ8geno-R2	acaagctaaaggaaagaagtggatacagaa
Salk-LB1	tggttcacgttagtggccatcg
Flag-LB4	cgtgtgccagggtggccacgaaatagt
Wisc-L4	tgatccatgttagttccggacatgaag
Gabi-LB	cccatggacgtgaatgttagacac

Supplemental Table S2. Primers used for amplification of PsJ8s and Toc12 cDNA and genomic DNA and site-directed mutagenesis.

Gene Amplified	Primers Used
PsJ8a/b cDNA ^a	PsJ8-F1 + PsJ8-R2
PsJ8a genomic	PsJ8-F1 + PsJ8-R2
PsJ8b genomic	PsJ8-F1 + Toc12-3'UTR-R; PsJ8-F6 + PsJ8-R7; PsJ8-F8 + PsJ8-R2
PsJ8b-M1x	PsJ8b-M1I-F + PsJ8b-M1I-R
Toc12RR ^b cDNA	PsJ8-F1 + Toc12-3'UTR-R
Toc12 (Toc12RR → TT ^c)	Toc12-R/T-F + Toc12-R/T-R
Toc12MM ^d	Toc12MM-F + Toc12MM-R
AtJ8 cDNA	AtJ8-KpnI-F1 + AtJ8-EcoRI-R1
UBQ10 (RT-PCR)	AtUBQ10-F + AtUBQ10-R
UBQ10 (Q-PCR)	AtUBQ10-Q-F + AtUBQ10-Q-R
AtJ8 (Q-PCR)	AtJ8-Q-F1 + AtJ8-Q-R1

^a After the initial amplification of PsJ8a/b cDNA using the primers listed, the authentic C-terminus sequence and 3' UTR was obtained by 3' RACE as described in the text. The sequences submitted to the GenBank were the corrected sequences after the 3' RACE.

^b Toc12RR is the Toc12 we amplified using primers indicated. Residues at position 34 and 36 in Toc12RR are both arginine, but in the published Toc12, these two residues are threonines.

^c This pair of primers are used for mutating the arginines at positions 34 and 36 in Toc12RR into threonine, which generated the Toc12 with sequence identical to the published Toc12 sequence.

^d This pair of primers are used for adding two methionine residues to the C terminus of Toc12.