

## **Supplementary material**

The phosphatidylcholine-hydrolyzing phospholipase C NPC4 plays a role in response of Arabidopsis roots to salt stress

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Table S1. List of UPL (Universal Probe Library) probe numbers and corresponding qRT-PCR primers

Locus	UPL	Name	Oligo Sequence
At1g07230	UPL39	<i>NPC1 L</i>	ctgccaagattgtccaga
		<i>NPC1 R</i>	gagttgagaggccagttgga
At2g26870	UPL76	<i>NPC2 L</i>	tctccgagttcgctgttttc
		<i>NPC2 R</i>	tgacgtccctgagtgataaaa
At3g03520	UPL93	<i>NPC3 L</i>	atcgaacctggaacggtgt
		<i>NPC3 R</i>	agtgtgccggaattgatg
At3g03530	UPL46	<i>NPC4 L</i>	tgacaattaagcgaattcaa
		<i>NPC4 R</i>	ttcttcgttttgtagtctccttt
At3g03540	UPL122	<i>NPC5 L</i>	attacgagaaactcaccaagacaa
		<i>NPC5 R</i>	catttgaccggatttgaca
At3g48610	UPL92	<i>NPC6 L</i>	aatcccgatgggaataactgg
		<i>NPC6 R</i>	ggtcctttgcttcacttacga
At3g18780	UPL30	<i>Actin2 L</i>	ccgctctttcttccaagc
		<i>Actin2 R</i>	ccggtaccattgtcacacac
At4g05320	UPL10	<i>UBQ10 L</i>	tcaccggaaagaccatcact
		<i>UBQ10 R</i>	cggtagggataccctctttg

Table S2. List of qRT-PCR primers

Locus	Name	Oligo Sequence
At4g26080	<i>ABI1 L</i>	ccatccatcattcctgatcc
	<i>ABI1 R</i>	ccatctcacacgcttctca
At5g57050	<i>ABI2 L</i>	gagatcgatgaatcagagtgag
	<i>ABI2 R</i>	cattagtgactcgacatcaag
AT5g27150	<i>NHX1 L</i>	tctgtattcggagagggtg
	<i>NHX1 R</i>	gcaccaagcaaggacttag
At5g07920	<i>DGK1 L</i>	agccagttatgaacaaagtcc
	<i>DGK1 R</i>	aaccagtattcctccgca
At5g52310	<i>RD29A/LTI78/COR78 L</i>	tcaccggaactttctcatcc
	<i>RD29A/LTI78/COR78 R</i>	gtgctctgtttggctcctc
At1g14660	<i>NHX8 L</i>	atcttacaagaaactcgtgg
	<i>NHX8 R</i>	caatccaacccatagccag
At3g11410	<i>PP2CA L</i>	tctgaggccgagatacgg
	<i>PP2CA R</i>	aagacggatgaacgcaacc
At5g66400	<i>RAB18 L</i>	tcaaggagaagtgccagg
	<i>RAB18 R</i>	tgtccatcatccccttctc
At2g47770	<i>TSPO L</i>	ttgctctgtttggttggg
	<i>TSPO R</i>	cattaacagcggctacaaagg
At2g01980	<i>SOS1 L</i>	agcgaccgattcgtctct
	<i>SOS1 R</i>	ttagctccatattcgagagatcc
At5g35410	<i>CIPK24/SOS2 L</i>	gtgcagttttgatggaattga
	<i>CIPK24/SOS2 R</i>	gcctttaacaaaatcctgtcg
At5g24270	<i>CBL4/SOS3 L</i>	tatttgatgtgaagcgaatgg
	<i>CBL4/SOS3 R</i>	cgatgaatccagtttgcgt
At2g03760	<i>SOT12 L</i>	cccagatttcgatttctcca
	<i>SOT12 R</i>	tccaaaatgccataaggac
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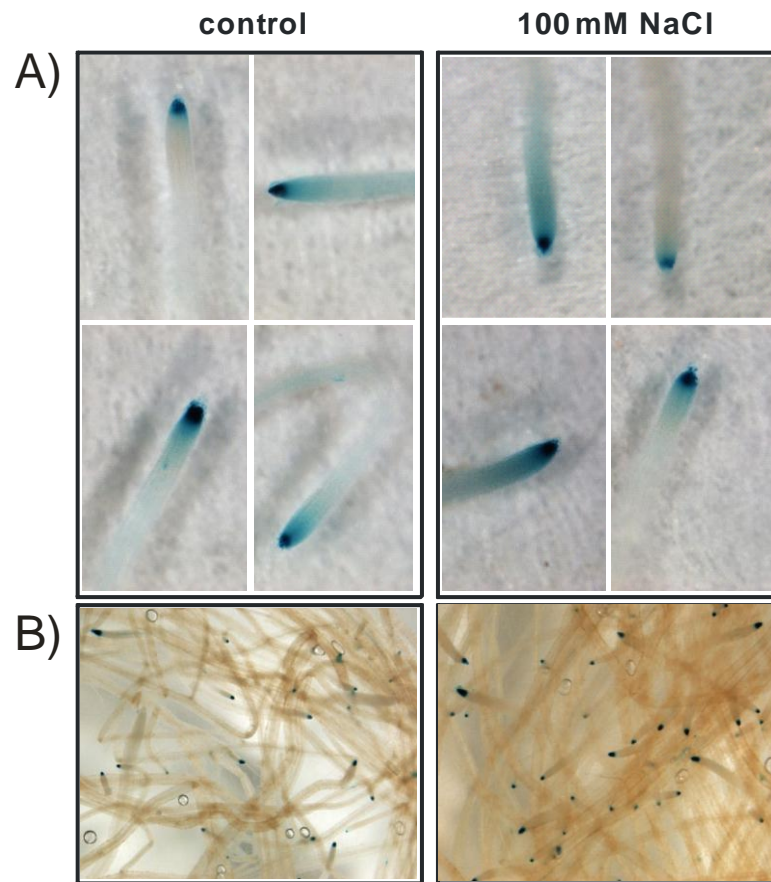


Figure S1. Histochemical analysis of  $P_{NPC3}:GUS$  expression under salt stress in Arabidopsis plants. A) Effect of salt on  $P_{NPC3}:GUS$  expression pattern in the main root of ten-day-old seedlings. The plants were grown on agar and transferred in liquid nutrient solution with or without 100 mM NaCl for 24 h. B) Effect of salt on  $P_{NPC3}:GUS$  expression pattern in roots of five-week-old Arabidopsis plants. The plants were grown hydroponically in modified half strength Hoagland's solution and exposed to 100 mM NaCl for 4 h.

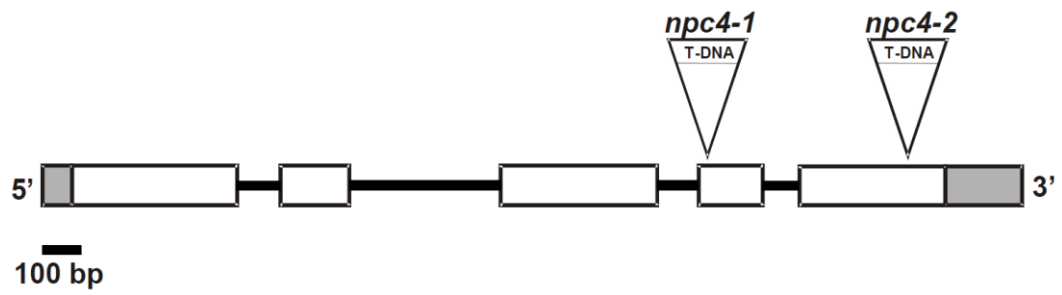


Figure S2. The position of T-DNA insertions in two *Arabidopsis npc4* mutant lines. The SALK line 046713 was marked as *npc4-1* and the GABI-KAT line 571E10 was marked as *npc4-2*.

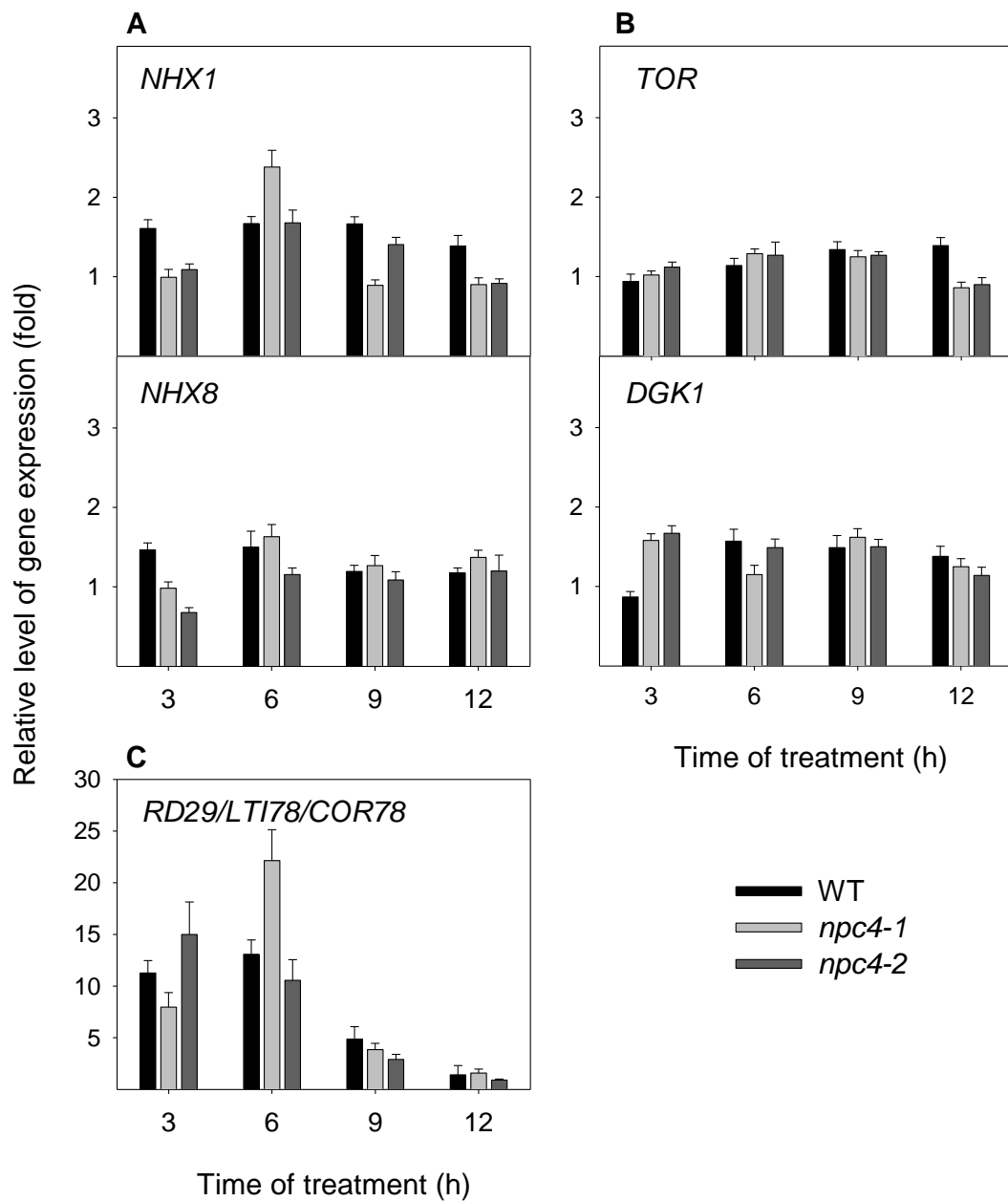


Figure S3. Relative level of gene expression of ion transporter genes *NHX1*, *NHX8* (A), phospholipid signalling related genes *TOR* and *DGK1* (B) and of *RD29/LTI78/COR78* gene (C) in WT, *npc4-1* and *npc4-2* under 100 mM NaCl treatment. The transcript levels of genes were measured by quantitative real-time PCR in roots of non-treated plants and in plants treated with 100 mM NaCl for 3, 6, 9 and 12 h. *Actin2* and *UBQ10* were used as an internal

control. The expression of the genes in non-treated controls in particular time was set to 1.

Data represents means + SE, n = 2 discrete samples from one biological experiment. This experiment was repeated twice with similar results.