#### Table S1. Listing of Proteins Identified in CMT3 Purifications Filtered at 1% of CMT3,

#### Related to Figure 1 and Table 1

Proteins present in both CMT3 and wild-type samples were filtered at 10% of CMT3 after subtraction of the protein amounts present in WT. <sup>1</sup>Unique peptides map to the group of these genes.

| Protein          | AGI Code  | Spectra | Unique<br>Peptides | %Coverage   | NSAFe5 | % CMT3 |
|------------------|-----------|---------|--------------------|-------------|--------|--------|
| CMT3             | At1g69770 | 756     | 131                | 63.4        | 7240   | 100    |
| H1               | At1g06760 | 19      | 11                 | 31.8        | 557    | 7.7    |
| H1               | At3g18035 | 29      | 17                 | 22.3        | 485    | 6.7    |
| H1/H5            | At1g48620 | 28      | 12                 | 17.3        | 470    | 6.5    |
| H1.2             | At2g30620 | 46      | 16                 | 47.3        | 1353   | 18.7   |
| HTA13            | At3g20670 | 50      | 7                  | 21.2        | 3043   | 42.0   |
| HTA6             | At5g59870 | 18      | 4                  | 17.3        | 964    | 13.3   |
| HTA9             | At1g52740 | 15      | 4                  | 30.6        | 899    | 12.4   |
| HTA7             | At5g27670 | 15      | 3                  | 8.0         | 803    | 11.1   |
| HTA12            | At5g02560 | 5       | 2                  | 7.8         | 262    | 3.6    |
| HTA8             | At2g38810 | 15      | 4                  | 32.4        | 251    | 3.5    |
| H2B <sup>1</sup> | At5g02570 | 59      | 13                 | 32.6        | 3675   | 50.8   |
|                  | At3g09480 |         |                    |             |        |        |
| H2B              | At2g37470 | 62      | 15                 | 46.4        | 3610   | 49.9   |
| H2B              | At3g53650 | 32      | 8                  | 30.4        | 1863   | 25.7   |
|                  | At5g59910 |         |                    |             |        |        |
|                  | At1g07790 |         |                    |             |        |        |
| H2B <sup>1</sup> | At5g22880 | 79.6    | 16.6               | 42.2        | 4327   | 59.8   |
|                  | At3g45980 |         |                    |             |        |        |
|                  | At3g46030 |         |                    |             |        |        |
|                  | At5g10400 |         |                    |             |        |        |
| 1                | At1g09200 |         |                    |             |        |        |
| H3'              | At5g10390 | 63      | 21                 | 52.9        | 3674   | 50.7   |
|                  | At5g65360 |         |                    |             |        |        |
|                  | At3g27360 |         |                    |             |        |        |
| HTR12            | At1g01370 | 2       | 2                  | 25.3        | 90.3   | 1.2    |
|                  | At1g07820 |         |                    |             |        |        |
|                  | At3g3730  |         |                    |             |        |        |
| 1                | At2g28740 |         | 10                 | <b>22</b> ( |        |        |
| H4 '             | At5g59970 | 26      | 13                 | 62.1        | 2028   | 28.0   |
|                  | At3g46320 |         |                    |             |        |        |
|                  | At3g45930 |         |                    |             |        |        |
|                  | At5g59690 |         |                    |             |        |        |
| 16.00            | At1g07660 |         | 10                 |             |        |        |
| Ku80             | At1g48050 | 24      | 19                 | 33.8        | 284    | 3.9    |
| Ku70             | At1g16970 | 10      | 8                  | 16.7        | 129    | 1.8    |

|                    | At5g25980 | 204 | 50 | 62   | 3205 | 44.3 |
|--------------------|-----------|-----|----|------|------|------|
|                    | At5g62390 | 67  | 34 | 43.7 | 1207 | 16.7 |
|                    | At4g25210 | 51  | 26 | 36.4 | 1114 | 15.4 |
| RPL32              | AtCg01020 | 3   | 2  | 30.8 | 463  | 6.4  |
| 60S <sup>1</sup>   | At1g15250 | 4   | 2  | 17.9 | 338  | 4.7  |
|                    | At1g52300 |     |    |      |      |      |
|                    | At3g16080 |     |    |      |      |      |
| 60S <sup>1</sup>   | At2g25210 | 2   | 2  | 25.4 | 338  | 4.7  |
|                    | At4g31985 |     |    |      |      |      |
| RPS18 <sup>1</sup> | AtCg00650 | 4   | 2  | 20.8 | 318  | 4.4  |
| . <u> </u>         | At2g27402 | 2   | 2  | 32.7 | 309  | 4.3  |
| 40S <sup>1</sup>   | At3g53890 | 2   | 2  | 19.2 | 192  | 2.7  |
|                    | At5g27700 |     |    |      |      |      |
| RPS15              | AtCg01120 | 2   | 2  | 25   | 183  | 2.5  |
| 40S <sup>1</sup>   | At5g02960 | 3   | 3  | 21.1 | 170  | 2.3  |
|                    | At3g09680 |     |    |      |      |      |
|                    | At4g29410 | 3   | 3  | 15.4 | 169  | 2.3  |
| CIP4               | At5g37190 | 18  | 2  | 3.2  | 165  | 2.3  |
|                    | At1g02813 | 3   | 2  | 16.1 | 162  | 2.2  |
|                    | At2g38270 | 6   | 4  | 10.7 | 161  | 2.2  |
|                    | At2g38270 | 5   | 2  | 6.5  | 137  | 1.9  |
|                    | At2g19740 | 2   | 2  | 16.8 | 135  | 1.9  |
|                    | At5g56710 |     |    |      |      |      |
|                    | At5g1590  | 7   | 5  | 19.8 | 134  | 1.9  |
|                    | At1g31310 | 6   | 4  | 14.6 | 126  | 1.7  |
|                    | At3g12390 | 3   | 2  | 13.8 | 119  | 1.6  |
|                    | At2g32650 | 2   | 2  | 14.4 | 116  | 1.6  |
|                    | At2g32180 |     |    |      |      |      |
|                    | At5g06910 | 4   | 4  | 21.8 | 113  | 1.6  |
|                    | At5g67510 | 2   | 2  | 14.4 | 110  | 1.5  |
|                    | At3g54090 | 6   | 5  | 20.0 | 102  | 1.4  |
|                    | At4g20130 | 6   | 5  | 15.7 | 100  | 1.4  |
|                    | Atcg00190 | 13  | 8  | 11.5 | 97   | 1.3  |
|                    | At3g07050 | 7   | 2  | 4.5  | 96   | 1.3  |
|                    | At5g40950 | 2   | 2  | 14.1 | 81   | 1.1  |
|                    | At1g69200 | 6   | 6  | 11.7 | 78   | 1.1  |
|                    | At5g42960 | 2   | 2  | 6.6  | 75   | 1.0  |

Table S2. Summary of Proteins Associated with CMT3 after Benzonase Treatment (Top)and Partial Proteins Associated with Chromo Mutant CMT3chr3 (Bottom) Identified byMass Spectrometric Analyses, Related to Figures 1 and 6

The percentage of CMT3 (% CMT3) column indicates the approximate stoichiometry of each copurifying protein as a function of the Normalized Spectral Abundance Factor (NSAF). Listing of proteins were filtered at 1% of CMT3.

| Name                  | AGI Code  | Spectra | Unique   | %Coverage | NSAFe5 | %CMT3 |
|-----------------------|-----------|---------|----------|-----------|--------|-------|
|                       |           |         | Peptides |           |        |       |
| CMT3                  | At1g69770 | 508     | 57       | 39.5      | 3957   | 100   |
| H1.2                  | At2g30620 | 4       | 3        | 16.1      | 95     | 2.4   |
| CMT3chr3 Purification |           |         |          |           |        |       |
| Name                  | AGI Code  | Spectra | Unique   | %Coverage | NSAFe5 | %CMT3 |
|                       |           |         | Peptides |           |        |       |
| CMT3                  | At1g69770 | 277     | 54       | 41.8      | 1472   | 100   |

CMT3 Purification after Benzonase Treatment

# Table S3. List of Primers Used for Cloning CMT3, Bisulfite Sequencing, andMethyltransferase Activity Assay, Related to Figure 3

|                 | Primer  | Primer sequences from 5' to 3'              |  |  |
|-----------------|---------|---|--|--|
|                 | numbers |   |  |  |
| Full length     | JP5048  | CACCATGCATACATATAGCTTCACAAATACCCG           |  |  |
| genomic cloning | JP5049  | TGCAAGCTCGGAAGGAAGAGTTGGCTTCATGAATGC        |  |  |
| into pENTR/D    |         |   |  |  |
| Point mutation  | JP4026  | GTGGGCCACCAGCCCAAGGAATCAGTGGTC              |  |  |
| C460A           | JP4027  | GACCACTGATTCCTTGGGCTGGTGGCCCAC              |  |  |
| Point mutation  | JP2061  | GATGATGGAGAAGTTGCGACTGTTGACAAGATTGTTG       |  |  |
| F382A           | JP2062  | CAACAATCTTGTCAACAGTCGCAACTTCTCCATCATC       |  |  |
| Point mutation  | JP2073  | CTTTATTTGAAGGTAAGGCTGCTGAATTATGATGATTCTCAT  |  |  |
| W409L           | JP2074  | GAT   |  |  |
|                 |         | ATCATGAGAATCATCATAATTCAGCAGCCTTACCTTCAAATA  |  |  |
|                 |         | AAG   |  |  |
| Point mutation  | JP2069  | GGTAAGGTGGCTGAATGCGGATGATTCTCATG            |  |  |
| Y412A           | JP2070  | CATGAGAATCATCCGCATTCAGCCACCTTACC            |  |  |
| Full length     | JP3946  | CCGGGGTACCGAATTCTGCAAGCTCGGAAGGAAGA         |  |  |
| cDNA cloning    | JP4286  | CCGGCTCGAGGAATTCTGCAAGCTCGGAAGGAAGA         |  |  |
| into pVIC       |         |   |  |  |
| Full length     | JP6093  | ATGGCGCCGAAGCGAAAGAGACC                     |  |  |
| cDNA cloning to | JP6094  | ACAGTGTTCATGCAAGCTCGGAAG                    |  |  |
| pET-SUMO        |         |   |  |  |
| Ta3 bisulfite   | JP1274  | CCACTRATTCCTRAAACACAACATTTCTRCTRATA         |  |  |
| sequencing      | JP1269  | GAGAATYAGGTTAATAAGAAAGTGAAGTGTT             |  |  |
| Ta3 hairpin     | JP3200  | AATCCAATTCCRATTTAATATTTTCTAATAATATTCRATTTAA |  |  |
| bisulfite       | JP1615  | CGGTTTAATGTTGGTTTAGTGATATTYGGTTTAGT         |  |  |
| sequencing      |         |   |  |  |
| unmethylated    | JP3010  | AACGCAGCATGCGCTGCTAGCGCAGCTAGCGCTGCATG      |  |  |
| oligo           | JP3011  | AACATGCAGCGCTAGCTGCGCTAGCAGCGCATGCTGCG      |  |  |
| hemimethylated  | JP3010  | AACGCAGCATGCGCTGCTAGCGCAGCTAGCGCTGCATG      |  |  |
| oligo           | JP3018  | AAMGMAGMATGMGMTGMTAGMGMAGMTAGMGMTGMATG      |  |  |
| Fully-          | JP3018  | AAMGMAGMATGMGMTGMTAGMGMAGMTAGMGMTGMATG      |  |  |
| methylated      | JP3019  | AAMATGMAGMGMTAGMTGMGMTAGMAGMGMATGMTGMG      |  |  |
| oligo           |         |   |  |  |
| CHG             | JP3014  | AACGMAGCATGCGMTGCTAGCGMAGCTAGCGMTGCATG      |  |  |
| methylated      | JP3015  | AACATGMAGCGCTAGMTGCGCTAGMAGCGCATGMTGCG      |  |  |
| oliao           |         |   |  |  |

## Table S4. Summary of Arabidopsis Histone H3 Proteins Copurified with CMT3,

# Related to Figure 3

CMT3 specifically pulls down centromeric histone and histone H3.1, but not H3.3. <sup>1</sup>Unique

peptides map to the group of these genes.

| AGI Code  | H3 type   | # of unique peptides |
|-----------|-----------|----------------------|
|           |           | associated with CMT3 |
| At1g01370 | HTR12     | 2                    |
| At1g09200 | H3.1      |                      |
| At3g27360 | H3.1      |                      |
| At5g10390 | H3.1      | 21 <sup>1</sup>      |
| At5g10400 | H3.1      |                      |
| At5g65360 | H3.1      |                      |
| At5g65350 | H3.1-like | 0                    |
| At4g40030 | H3.3      |                      |
| At4g40040 | H3.3      |                      |
| At5g10980 | H3.3      |                      |
| At1g13370 | H3.3-like | 0 <sup>1</sup>       |
| At1g19890 | H3.3-like |                      |
| At1g75600 | H3.3-like |                      |
| At1g75610 | H3.3-like |                      |
| At5g12910 | H3.3-like |                      |

# Table S5. Summary of X-Ray Diffraction Data and Structure Refinement Statistics,

### Related to Figures 4 and 5

| Summary of Diffraction D           | ata                               |                                |                                |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Crystal                            | Se-ZMET2 + SAH                    | ZMET2 + SAH +<br>H3(1-15)K9me2 | ZMET2 + SAH +<br>H3(1-32)K9me2 |
| Beamline                           | APS-24ID-E                        | APS-24ID-E                     | APS-24ID-E                     |
| PDB code                           | 4FSX                              | 4FT2                           | 4FT4                           |
| Wavelength (Å)                     | 0.9792                            | 0.9792                         | 0.9792                         |
| Space group                        | <i>P</i> 1                        | <i>P</i> 1                     | <i>P</i> 2 <sub>1</sub>        |
| Cell parameters                    |                                   |                                |                                |
| a (Å)                              | 64.9                              | 64.9                           | 64.6                           |
| b (Å)                              | 89.0                              | 88.7                           | 111.6                          |
| c (Å)                              | 113.5                             | 113.4                          | 151.5                          |
| α (°)                              | 93.5                              | 93.2                           | 90                             |
| β (°)                              | 95.5                              | 95.7                           | 102.0                          |
| γ (°)                              | 110.4                             | 110.7                          | 90                             |
| Resolution (Å)                     | 50.0-3.2 (3.31-3.20) <sup>a</sup> | 50.0-3.2 (3.31-3.20)           | 50.0-2.7 (2.80-2.70)           |
| R <sub>merge</sub> (%)             | 17.5 (59.5)                       | 11.8 (50.3)                    | 8.8 (50.7)                     |
| Observed reflections               | 143,259                           | 133,229                        | 210,454                        |
| Unique reflections                 | 38,702                            | 38,805                         | 57,221                         |
| Redundancy                         | 3.7 (3.6)                         | 3.4 (3.4)                      | 3.7 (3.7)                      |
| Average I/o(I)                     | 7.2 (1.6)                         | 12.6 (2.2)                     | 21.2 (2.4)                     |
| Completeness (%)                   | 99.2 (98.8)                       | 99.0 (98.8)                    | 98.6 (98.4)                    |
| Refinement and Structure           | e Model                           |                                |                                |
| R factor / Free R factor (%)       | 24.0 / 26.3                       | 23.5 / 27.7                    | 20.6 / 24.8                    |
| Number of non-H atoms              | 10,631                            | 10,657                         | 11,265                         |
| Protein / Peptide                  | 10,579 / -                        | 10,549 / 56                    | 10,957 / 96                    |
| Ligand                             | 52                                | 52                             | 52                             |
| Water                              | -                                 | -                              | 160                            |
| Average B factor (Å <sup>2</sup> ) | 70.7                              | 76.2                           | 73.6                           |
| Protien / Peptide                  | 70.8 / -                          | 76.2 / 92.3                    | 73.6 / 122.5                   |
| Ligand                             | 57.3                              | 61.5                           | 50.7                           |
| Water                              | -                                 | -                              | 49.7                           |
| RMS deviations                     |                                   |                                |                                |
| Bond lengths (Å)                   | 0.013                             | 0.009                          | 0.009                          |
| Bond angles (°)                    | 1.819                             | 1.575                          | 1.275                          |

<sup>a</sup>Values in parentheses are for highest-resolution shell.