



**Figure S9.** *NF-YA* overexpression causes a starch excess phenotype.

Starch content in 3-week-old leaves belonging to WT, *P35S:NF-YA* and *P35S:miR169nm* lines. Plants were decolorized in hot 80% (v/v) ethanol and stained for starch with iodine solution before photographs were taken.