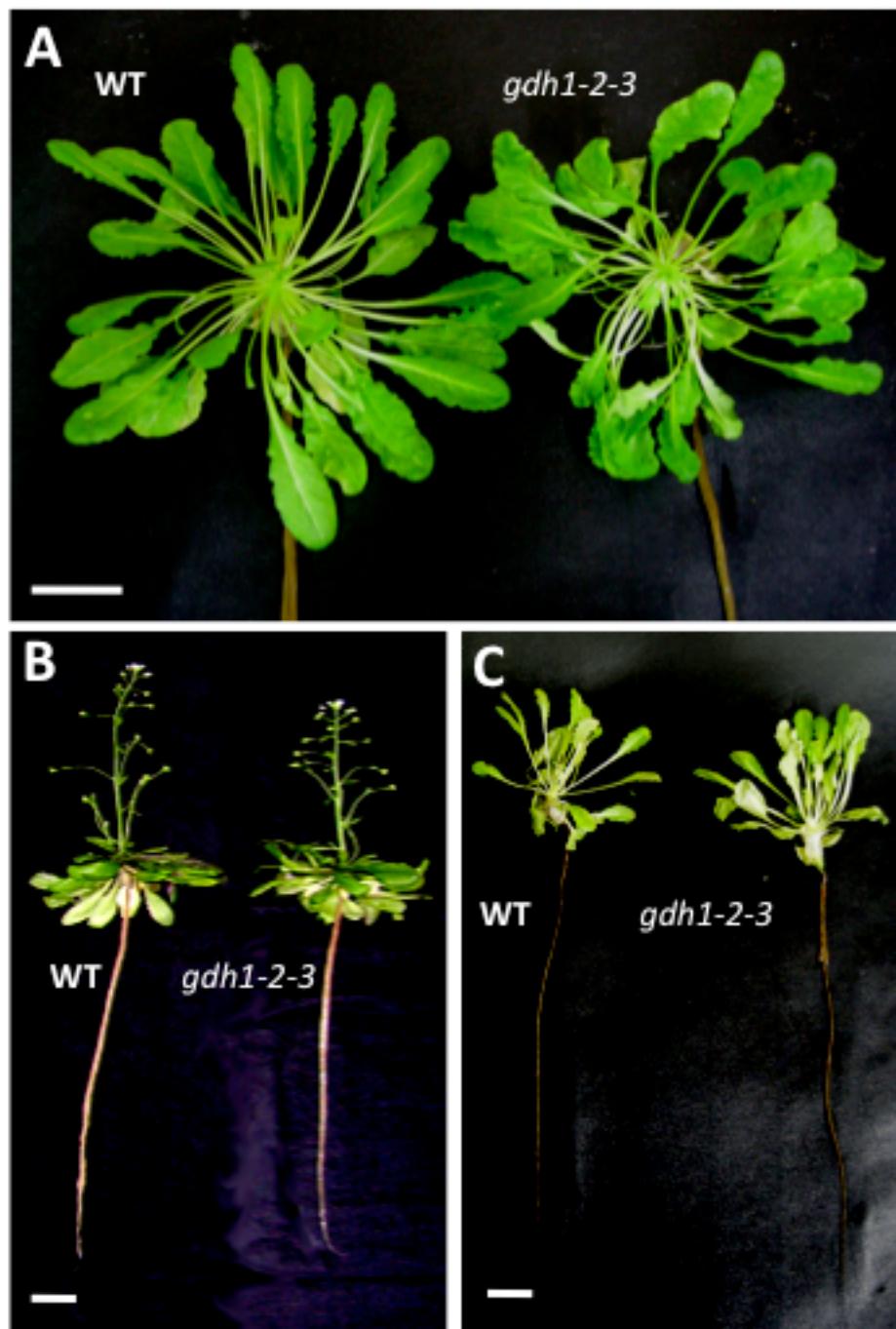


Supplemental Figure 1. Alignment of Deduced Protein Sequences of *Arabidopsis* GDH Genes Encoding the Three NADH-dependent Enzymes and the NAD(P)H-dependent enzyme. An additional consensus protein sequence for the four GDH proteins is also presented.



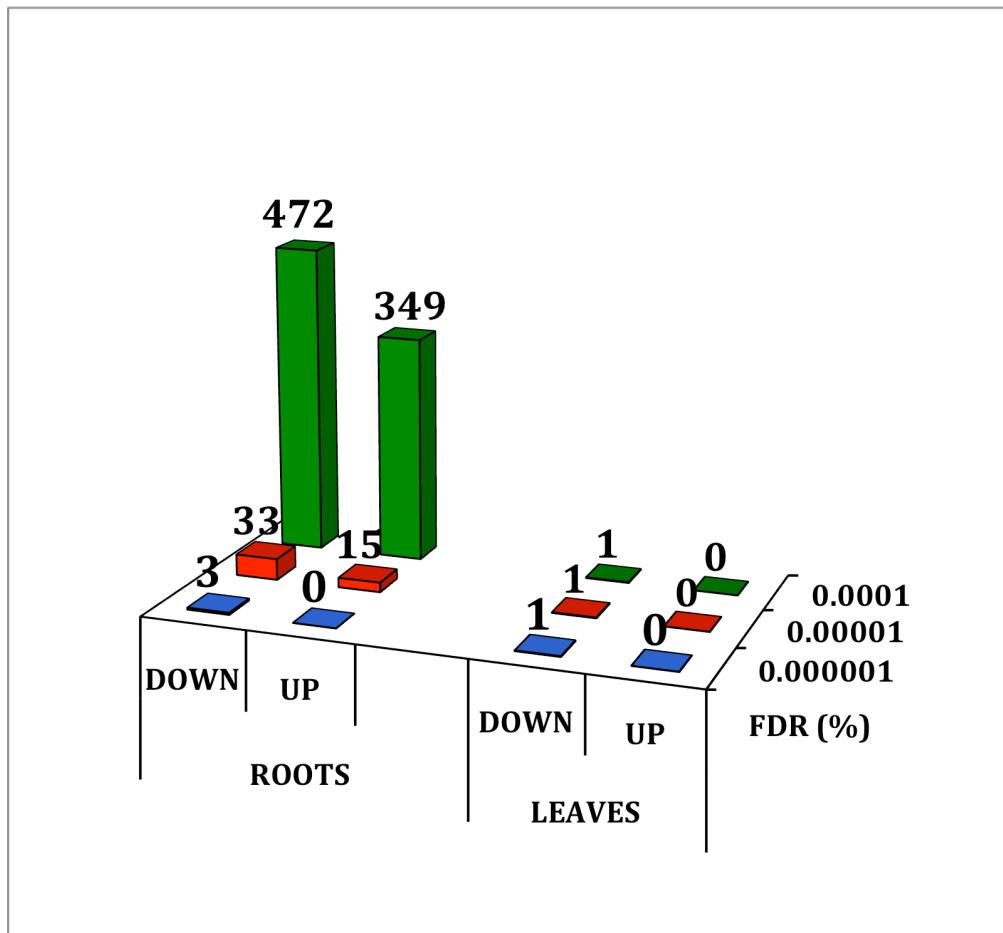
Supplemental Figure 2: Phenotype of the WT and of the *gdh1-2-3* Mutant

(A) Phenotype of the WT and of the *gdh1-2-3* mutant at the rosette stage grown for 28 days under hydroponic conditions and corresponding to T0 in the dark-induced experiment.

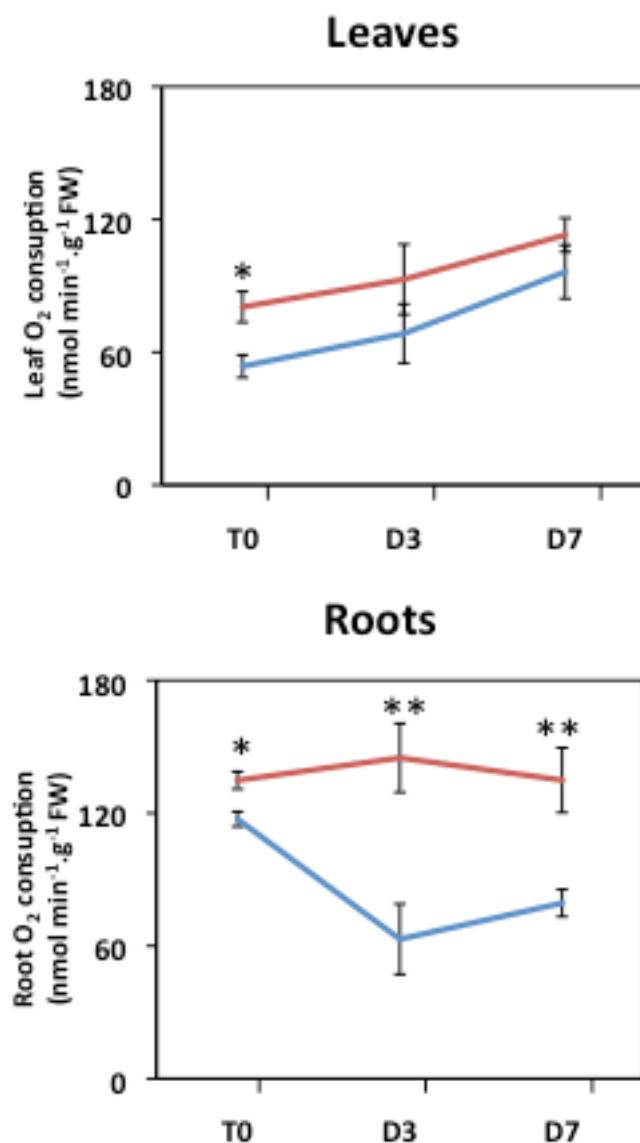
(B) Phenotype of the WT and of the *gdh1-2-3* mutant after floral induction.

(C) Phenotype of the WT and of the *gdh1-2-3* mutant after 7 days in the dark

Bars = 1cm



Supplemental Figure 3. Overall Changes in Transcript Accumulation in Roots and Leaves of *gdh1-2-3* Mutants. The rank product method was used to detect differentially expressed genes according to different levels of False Discovery Rate (FDR). Numbers on top of the columns indicate the number of differentially expressed genes.



Supplemental Figure 4. Respiration in Leaves and Roots of the WT and *gdh1-2-3* Mutant Plants Following Prolonged Darkness. T0 = plants grown under short day conditions and harvested 2 h after the beginning of the light period, D3 = after 3 continuous days in the dark, D7 = after 7 continuous days in the dark. Respiration was measured by monitoring O₂ consumption of fresh roots and leaves for 30 to 45 min. The red line corresponds to the *gdh1-2-3* mutant and the blue line to the WT. Results are presented as mean values for five plants with standard errors. Asterisks indicate a bilateral t-test P-value <0.01(**) and <0.05(*) for statistically significant differences.

Supplemental Table 1. Quantification of GDH Protein in Different Tissue Sections of NADH-GDH Mutant Plants. Immunolocalization of the enzyme was performed using transmission electron microscopy on roots and leaves of the Wild Type (WT), and of the *gdh1-2* double mutant and *ghd1-2-3* triple mutant.

Number of gold particles/ μm^2 \pm sd in mitochondria of phloem companion cells				
	WT	<i>gdh1-2</i>	<i>gdh1-2-3</i>	Preimmune serum
Leaf	100 \pm 35	10 \pm 6 ^a	7 \pm 4 ^a	6 \pm 3 ^a
Root	310 \pm 40	100 \pm 30	6 \pm 3 ^a	6 \pm 4 ^a

^a statistically not different

Supplemental Table 2. Comparison of the Results Obtained with the CATMA Microarray and a qRT-PCR Experiment for Transcripts Abundance in the *Arabidopsis gdh1-2-3* Mutant Compared to the Wild Type (WT).

AGI ^d	Target transcript	qRT-PCR	SD ^f	Microarray
		Average FC ^e <i>gdh1-2-3</i> /WT		FC ^e <i>gdh1-2-3</i> /WT
AT3G0247C S-ADENOSYLMETHIONINE DECARBOXYLASE ^a		3.14	0.90	2.34
AT1G2084C TONOPLAST MONOSACCHARIDE TRANSPORTER1		1.76	0.51	1.93
AT1G6596C GLUTAMATE DECARBOXYLASE 2		1.78	0.29	1.76
AT3G4845C ^b nitrate-responsive NOI protein, putative		0.68	0.16	0.29
AT1G7206C Serine-type endopeptidase inhibitor		0.75	0.12	0.30
AT4G3173C GLUTAMINE DUMPER 1		0.73	0.05	0.59
AT5G0829C YLS8 ^c		1.16	0.07	1.00
AT4G1342C K TRANSPORTER		1.14	0.07	1.00
AT1G6180C Gluc6PT = GPT2		1.19	0.22	1.00

^{a,b,c}Three transcripts exhibiting an increase^a, a decrease^b or no changes^c in the *gdh1-2-3* mutant in comparison to the WT were selected from those listed in Supplementary Dataset 3 and 4.

^dArabidopsis gene identification

^e Average fold change (FC) between the two replicated experiments

^f Standard deviation (SD)

Supplemental Table 3: Oligonucleotides Used for Screening *Arabidopsis GDH* Mutant Plants. *GDH1*, *GDH2* and *GDH3* indicate the three primers pairs used in the tested gene. "+ ins" indicates the primer pair used to test the presence of the T-DNA in the tested gene with primers located at the intersection between the insertion of the T-DNA and the gene encoding GDH.

Gene	Primer	Primer sequence	Fragment size (bp)
<i>GDH1</i>	Forward	TTCTGATCAAAACTCCAGTGAAA	1559
	Reverse	TGATGACACCACCAAGTGCT	
<i>GDH1 + ins</i>	Forward	CGGCTACTGGAAGAGGAGTG	1381
	Reverse	TCGCAAGACCCCTCCTCTA	
<i>GDH2</i>	Forward	ACAAGGACGCAACTGGAAGT	736
	Reverse	TCCATTTCGAAAGCTCAAT	
<i>GDH2 + ins</i>	Forward	ACAAGGACGCAACTGGAAGT	1227
	Reverse	TCGCAAGACCCCTCCTCTA	
<i>GDH3</i>	Forward	GACTCTCTGATCAAATAAACCCAAA	2103
	Reverse	AAGGTTAAACTGCAATTAGCACA	
<i>GDH3 + ins</i>	Forward	GACTCTCTGATCAAATAAACCCAAA	1256
	Reverse	TCGCAAGACCCCTCCTCTA	

Supplemental Table 4: Oligonucleotides Used for Amplification of RNA to Obtain DNA Fragments Specific for the Three Genes Encoding NADH-GDH and for the β -actin Genes Used as Controls.

Gene	Primer	Primer sequence	Fragment size (bp)
<i>GDH1</i>	Forward	<i>TGGCTCAAGCTACCATTCTCAGA</i>	141
	Reverse	<i>TCGCTCAAGCTACCACTATCAG</i>	
<i>GDH2</i>	Forward	<i>GTGGTTGGGAAGCTTAATTCAAGTT</i>	122
	Reverse	<i>TCGCTCAAGCTACCACTATCAG</i>	
<i>GDH3</i>	Forward	<i>TCGCTCAAGCTACCACTATCAG</i>	151
	Reverse	<i>CTGCAATTAGCACATAGTTTTTATTACTC</i>	
β - <i>actin</i> -2	Forward	<i>AGTGGTCGTACAACCGGTATTGT</i>	93
	Reverse	<i>GATGGCATGGAGGAAGAGAGAAC</i>	
β - <i>actin</i> -7	Forward	<i>AGTGGTCGTACAACCGGTATTGT</i>	95
	Reverse	<i>GAGGAAGAGCATTCCCTCGTA</i>	
β - <i>actin</i> -8	Forward	<i>AGTGGTCGTACAACCGGTATTGT</i>	96
	Reverse	<i>GAGGATAGCATGTGGAACTGAGAA</i>	

Supplemental Table 5: Oligonucleotides Used for Amplification of RNA to Obtain DNA Fragments for the qRT-PCR Used to Validate the Microarray Experiment.

Gene	Primer	Primer sequence
<i>PP2A3</i>	Forward	GCAATCTCTCATTCCGATAGTC
	Reverse	ATACCGAACATCAACATCTGG
<i>Q-TIP41</i>	Forward	GCTCATCGGTACGCTTTT
	Reverse	TCCATCAGTCAGAGGCTTCC
<i>UBI-10</i>	Forward	GGCCTTGATAATCCCTGATGAATAAG
	Reverse	AAAGAGATAACAGGAACGGAAACATAGT
<i>SAMDC</i>	Forward	GCAATCGGTTTCAAGGGTTA
	Reverse	TCCTTAGCTCCACCTCGAA
<i>TMT</i>	Forward	ACCCCTATTCAACGCCCT
	Reverse	GAGAGTCGCTCCCTTCATTG
<i>GAD2</i>	Forward	GAGAGTCGCTCCCTTCATTG
	Reverse	TCCTTAGCTCCACCTCGAA
<i>YLS8</i>	Forward	ACTGGGATGAGACCTGTATG
	Reverse	TGTTGTTGTTACCAGTCCA
<i>HAK5</i>	Forward	TGTTTCGGACATTCGTG
	Reverse	ACCGGCTTCGAAGTCATAC
<i>G6T</i>	Forward	GACTTCCCTCTCGTCT
	Reverse	AATGGAGTGAGGATACAAG
<i>NOI</i>	Forward	CAATAAGCTCGCGATGACA
	Reverse	TCTTGATCTGGGGTTGG
<i>ENDOP</i>	Forward	AAGCTTCCCTCCAAGATGCAA
	Reverse	GAAATCGATGAGTGGGAGGA
<i>GDU1</i>	Forward	AATGCCTTGCTCTCA
	Reverse	CAAATCTCTCCGGCCATTA

