

# Supporting Information

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## SI Methods

**Plant Material.** Representative lines from the *Pisum* germplasm collection at the John Innes Centre (1), and the Chinese national core collection (2) were selected on the basis of published diversity data (1, 2) and obtained through the Australian Temperate Field Crops Collection (Department of Primary Industry, Horsham, VIC, Australia). Details of accessions are included in Table S1. The reference line NGB5839 is an isogenic dwarf derivative of cv. Torsdag that carries a mutation in the gibberellin biosynthesis gene *LE*, and has been extensively used in mutagenesis programs (e.g., refs. 3 and 4). Line JI1794 is a representative accession of the northern race of *Pisum sativum* var. *humile* suggested by Ben Ze'ev and Zohary (5) to be the major wild contributor to the domesticated pea gene pool. Dominant alleles at the *HIGH RESPONSE TO PHOTOPERIOD* (*HR*) locus were introgressed into the NGB5839 genetic background from the line Wellensiek's Dominant [Hobart line HL16, John Innes line JI1228, Weibullsholm line WL1771 (6)] through six successive backcrosses, by phenotypic selection for delayed flowering under short day (SD). A small set of diverse lentil lines from the collection at the International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas was provided by W. Erskine (International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas, Aleppo, Syria) and genetic control of flowering was examined in crosses between cv. Northfield (ILL5588) and ILL6005, an early-flowering derivative of a cross between cv. Precoz (ILL4605) and cv. Laird (ILL4349).

**Plant Growth Conditions and Measurements.** Plants were grown in a 1:1 mixture of dolerite chips and vermiculite topped with potting mix, and received nutrient solution weekly. Plants for expression experiments in Fig. 2 were grown in growth cabinets at 20 °C under 150  $\mu\text{mol}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$  light from cool-white fluorescent tubes. Segregating progenies and plants for photoperiod response experiments were grown in the phytotron in the School of Plant Science at the University of Tasmania and received an 8-h photoperiod of natural daylight either with (long day, LD) or without (SD) an 8-h extension of 10  $\mu\text{mol}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$  white light from cool-white compact fluorescent tubes [LDH; red (R):far red (FR) = 4.8], 40 W incandescent globes (LDL; R:FR = 0.6) or a combination of both of these light sources (LD; R:FR = 1.2). Flowering was quantified as the node of flower initiation, and the propensity to branch was expressed as branching index (Figs. 1C and 2A), calculated as the ratio of the increase in length of newly-released lateral branches to the increase in total plant height over a specified interval.

**Mapping and Quantitative Trait Loci Analysis.** The genetic control of domestication-related changes in SD flowering was addressed in a population of 92  $F_2$  individuals from a cross between NGB5839 and JI1794. Morphological and gene-based molecular markers were scored following details given in Table S5. Molecular markers were developed from sequences previously mapped in crosses within domesticated pea (7) or from genes in syntenic regions of the *Medicago truncatula* genome, and targeted to non-coding sequences where possible. Genomic DNA was extracted using a CTAB method as previously described (8) and high-resolution melt (HRM) markers were scored using the Type-it HRM PCR kit (Qiagen) in a Rotor-Gene Q (Qiagen) according to the manufacturer's instructions. Genetic maps were constructed

using JoinMap 4, and quantitative trait loci (QTL) were detected using both interval mapping and multiple QTL mapping (MQM) in MapQTL (Kyazma) (9, 10). Interval mapping was first performed, using default parameters of MapQTL6. The LOD threshold for chromosome-wide significance was determined by permutation testing (10,000 replications) and was in the range 2.7–2.9. Map intervals exceeding the significance threshold were individually selected as cofactors for MQM analysis. Individual and joint contributions of *QTL3*, *QTL6*, and other loci to flowering and other traits were variously estimated by the Kruskal–Wallis single marker test in MapQTL6 and by generalized linear model and two-way ANOVA in SAS from genotypes of peak markers. Contributions of known flowering loci were assessed similarly using markers for the genes themselves (*LF*, *GIGAS*) or closely linked markers (*SN*) (Table S3).

**Gene Isolation, Expression Analysis, and Complementation.** The full-length *ELF3* gene and cDNA were isolated using PCR techniques, genome walking (GenomeWalker universal kit; Clontech), and rapid amplification of cDNA ends (SMART RACE cDNA amplification kit; Clontech) using specific primers designed on an initial DNA fragment obtained with degenerate primers (11). Harvested tissue for expression experiments consisted of both leaflets from the uppermost fully expanded leaf. RNA extraction, reverse transcription, and real-time PCR analysis were performed as described previously (8).

Full-length cDNA fragments for *PsELF3* genes differing only for the putative causal polymorphism were generated by PCR from pea lines NGB5839 and WL1771 using primers listed in Table S6. The cDNA fragments were first cloned in pCR8/GW/TOPO (Invitrogen) then recombined into the binary vector pB2GW7 using Gateway cloning (12), and confirmed by sequencing. The *Arabidopsis elf3-1* mutant in the ecotype Columbia background has been previously described and carries a nonsense mutation in exon 3 (13). Transformation of the *Arabidopsis elf3-1* mutant was conducted by floral dipping (14) and the flowering phenotypes of several independent transformants per construct were characterized through several generations under both LD and SD conditions.

**Eco-Targeting Induced Local Lesions in Genomes and Sequence Analysis.** Details of all primer sequences are given in Table S6. The pea *ELF3* genomic sequence spanning the complete coding region was amplified in two overlapping fragments using primer pairs PsELF3-FF/PsELF3-11R and PsELF3-5F/PsELF3-RR. Genomic and cDNA sequences covering the entire coding region of the lentil *ELF3* gene were similarly isolated using a combination of pea- and lentil-specific primers (Table S6). PCR fragments were sequenced at Macrogen (<http://dna.macrogen.com/eng>). All sequences were then individually edited and aligned using Sequencher 5.0 (Gene Codes Corporation), with manual refinement. Distance and parsimony-based methods were used for phylogenetic analyses in PAUP\*4.0b10 (<http://paup.csit.fsu.edu>) using the dataset presented in Fig. S2. Eco-Targeting Induced Local Lesions in Genomes (TILLING) was conducted on the *Pisum* germplasm collection maintained at the Centre des Ressources Biologiques (CRB) (15). Because of limitations on amplicon size, analysis was conducted on two amplicons spanning most of the coding sequence but omitting the large intron 2 (Fig. 3).

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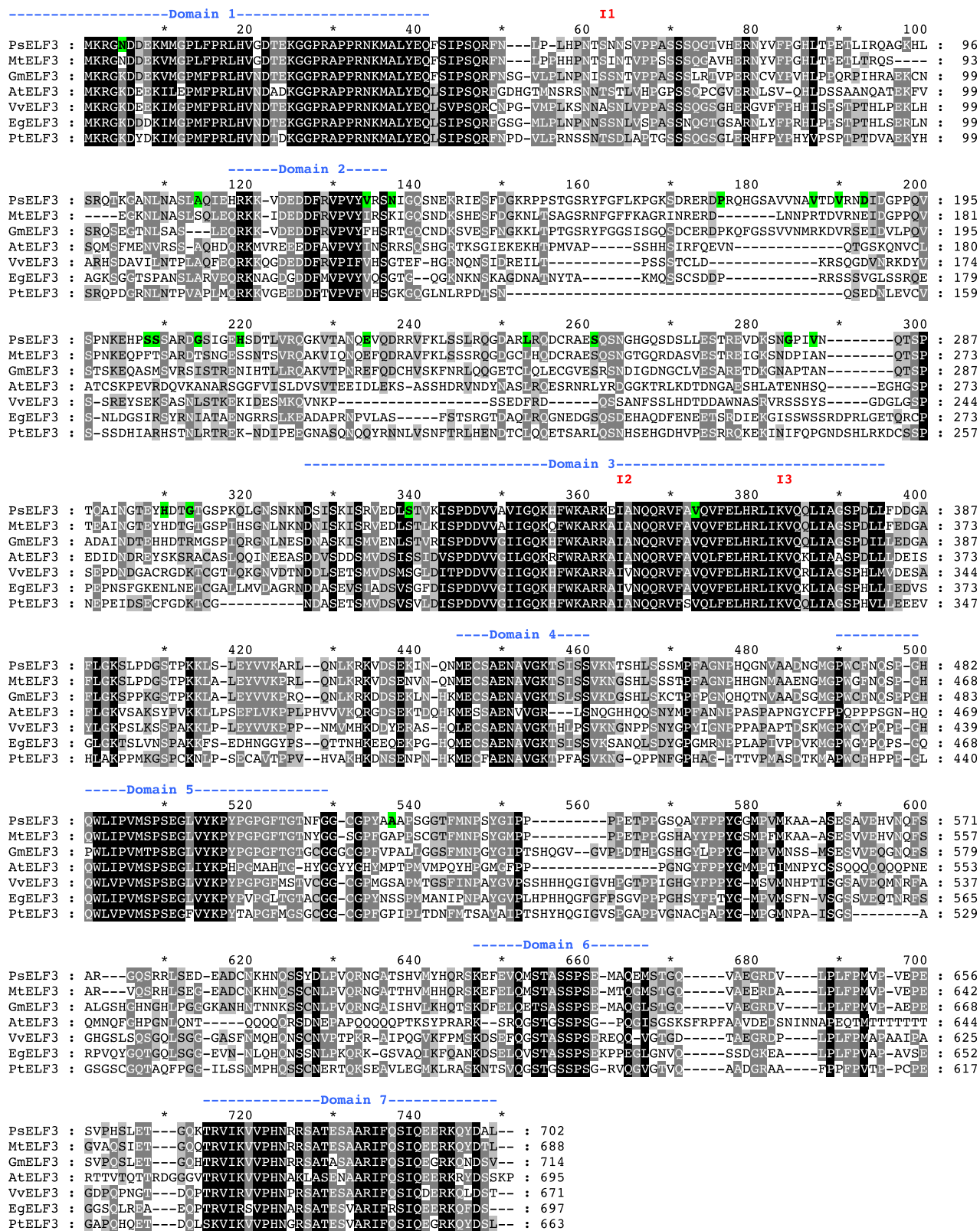
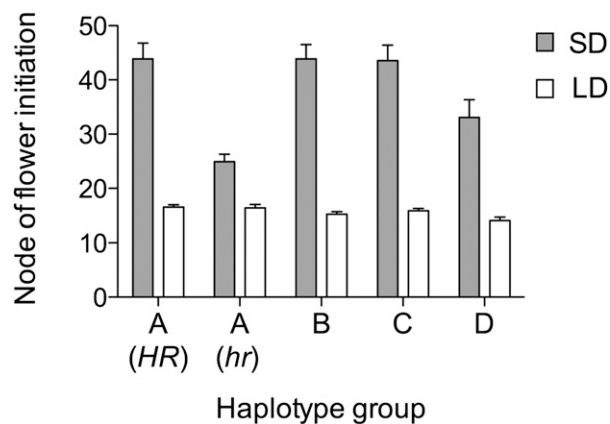


Fig. S1. ELF3 protein alignment. Intron positions are marked in red as I1 (intron 1), I2 (intron 2) and I3 (intron 3). Conserved domains represented in Fig. 3A are indicated in blue. Amino acid substitutions identified in the diversity survey (Fig. S2) are highlighted in green. *Pisum sativum*, PsELF3 (JN983406, haplotype B in Fig. S2); *Medicago truncatula*, MtELF3 (Medtr3g140450); *Glycine max*, GmELF3 (Glyma04g05280); *Arabidopsis thaliana*, AtELF3 (At2g25930); *Vitis vinifera*, VvELF3 (CB120609); *Eucalyptus grandis*, EgELF3 (Egrandis\_v1\_0.004619m); *Populus trichocarpa*, PtELF3 (EEE93045).





**Fig. S3.** Effect of *ELF3* haplotype on flowering response to photoperiod. Accessions shown in Fig. 1A were grouped according to the major *ELF3* haplotype groups shown in Fig. 4. Data represent means  $\pm$  SE for  $n = 7$  (A-HR), 18 (A-hr), 14 (B), 19 (C), and 5 (D) of individual accession data represented in Fig. 1A.

**Table S1. Details of *Pisum* accessions**

Accession ID	Alternative accession ID	Haplo-type group	Haplo-type	Jing et al. (1) group	Species	Variety	Country of origin	GTY	PL	M	FS
WL1771	JI 1228	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Sweden	gty	PL	M	FS
JI 100	ATC 2704	A	1	3.3	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Afghanistan	gty	PL	m	FS
JI 157	ATC 103	A	1	3.5	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Sudan	GTY	pl	M	fs
JI 189	ATC 1192	A	1	3.5	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Sudan	gty	PL	m	fs
JI 281		A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Ethiopia	GTY	pl	m	fs
JI 290	ATC 1474	A	1	3.5	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Ethiopia	gty	PL	m	FS
JI 1497	ATC 3459	A	1	3.4	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Mongolia	gty	PL	m	FS
JI 2077	ATC 1662	A	1	3.1	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Sudan	gty	pl	M	FS
JI 2289	Champagne	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	—	gty	PL	M	FS
CRB 056	Assas	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	France				
CRB 062	Blixt 484	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Sweden				
CRB 096	Holly 7	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	—				
CRB 122	PI269763	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	England				
CRB 128	PI180693	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Germany				
CRB 186	Rosakrone	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Germany				
CRB 390	DP	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	—				
CRB 395	JI 1184	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Latvia				
CRB 435	Glacier	A	1		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	USA				
TOR le.3	NGB 5839	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Sweden	gty	pl	m	fs
JI 182	ATC 1405	A	2	3.5	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Nepal	gty	pl	m	-
JI 399	Cennia	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Germany	gty	pl	m	-
JI 1214	ATC 2925	A	2	3.1	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	—	gty	pl	m	-
JI 1268	ATC 1534	A	2	3.0	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	India	gty	pl	M	FS
JI 1547	ATC 1564	A	2	3.5	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Afghanistan	gty	pl	m	FS
JI 1756	ATC 1624	A	2	3.5	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Nepal	gty	pl	m	-
JI 1792	ATC 1629	A	2	3.5	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Nepal	gty	pl	m	-
JI 1877	ATC 1652	A	2	3.1	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Ethiopia	gty	pl	m	FS
JI 3108	Térèse	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	France	gty	pl	m	fs
JI 1577	ATC 3807	A	2	2.1	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	pl	m	fs
ATC 7009	GD2	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	pl	m	FS
ATC 7030	SC2	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	m	FS
ATC 7032	YN1	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	pl	m	FS
ATC 7044	SX1	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	m	FS
ATC 7056	SX2	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	m	FS
ATC 7094	TB2	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	pl	m	FS
ATC 7097	XJ2	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	m	FS
ATC 7139	AH1	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	pl	m	FS
ATC 7156	GZ1	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	M	FS
ATC 7157	GZ2	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	m	FS
ATC 7168	IM4	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	m	FS
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CRB 119	90–2079	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	USA				
CRB 123	PI271936	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Sweden				
CRB 130	552	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	USA				
CRB 193	Cuzco 1	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Peru				
CRB 200	Haiti Colore	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Haiti				
CRB 253	Timo	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Sweden				
CRB 258	Rodogune	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	France				
CRB 360	K30	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Russia				
CRB 370	Chinois 2	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China				
CRB 383	CE101 = FP	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	France				
CRB 432	Finale	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Holland				
CRB 439	MIR12	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Germany				
CRB 448	JI 296	A	2		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	France				
CRB 324	ZP130	A	3		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Spain				
JI 2055		—	4	3.2	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>elatius</i>	Italy	GTY	PL	M	FS
JI 1096		—	5	3.2	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>elatius</i>	Greece	GTY	PL	M	FS
JI 95	ATC 2702	B	6	3.3	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Afghanistan	gty	PL	M	FS
JI 181	ATC 1054	B	6	3.4	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Nepal	gty	pl	M	FS
JI 252	ATC 2333	B	6	3.4	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Ethiopia	gty	PL	M	FS
JI 1040	ATC 1500	B	6	3.3	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Afghanistan	gty	pl	M	FS
JI 1261	ATC 1531	B	6	3.4	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	India	gty	pl	M	FS
JI 2069	ATC 1658	B	6	3.4	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Nepal	gty	pl	M	FS
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ATC 6961	XJ1	B	6		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	M	FS
ATC 6972	QH2	B	6		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	pl	m	FS
ATC 7061	SX3	B	6		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	M	FS
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ATC 7108	IM3	B	6		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	M	FS
ATC 7125	SX4	B	6		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	M	FS
ATC 7142	AH2	B	6		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	pl	M	FS
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JI.261		—	8	3.1	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>elatius</i>	Turkey	GTY	PL	M	FS
JI 64	ATC 858	C	9	3.2	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>elatius</i>	Israel	GTY	pl	m	FS
JI 85	ATC 3470	C	10	3.5	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Afghanistan	gty	pl	M	FS
JI 94	ATC 1389	C	10	3.3	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Afghanistan	gty	pl	M	FS
JI 96	ATC 859	C	10	3.3	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	Afghanistan	gty	pl	M	FS
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JI 1249	ATC 1526	C	10	3.3	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	India	gty	PL	M	FS
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ATC 7218	HB1	C	10		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	m	FS
ATC 6958	GD1	C	10		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	pl	M	FS
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ATC 7025	SC1	C	10		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	m	FS
ATC 7008	TB1	C	11		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>sativum</i>	China	gty	PL	M	FS
CRB191	POL 6806	—	12		<i>P. sativum</i>		Poland				
JI 2	ATC 1067	D	13	3.1	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>abyssinicum</i>	Ethiopia	gty	PL	m	fs

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Jl 224	ATC 105	D	13		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>abyssinicum</i>	Israel	gty	PL	m	fs
Jl 225	ATC 1429	D	13	3.1	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>abyssinicum</i>	Ethiopia	gty	PL	m	fs
Jl 691	ATC 109	D	13	3.1	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>abyssinicum</i>	Ethiopia	gty	PL	m	fs
Jl 2385	ATC 1735	D	13	3.1	<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>abyssinicum</i>	Yemen	gty	PL	m	fs
CRB203	Braun-Yemen	D	13		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>abyssinicum</i>	Yemen				
Jl 1794		—	14		<i>P. sativum</i>	<i>humile</i>	Israel	GTY	PL	M	FS
Jl 1796	ATC 1633	—	15	3.6	<i>P. fulvum</i>		Israel	GTY			

Accessions were obtained from the John Innes Centre (JI) collection (United Kingdom), The CRB collection (France), and the Chinese National Core Collection. Accessions obtained via the Australian Temperate Field Crops Collection (ATFCC) are indicated by an ATC accession ID. Haplotype and haplotype group designations correspond to those given in Fig. 4. Also indicated are the grouping in the Structure analysis of Jing et al. (1), and the genotype at four classic seed markers FS (purple testa patterning), GTY (rough thick testa), M (brown testa marbling), and PL (hilum color).

**Table S2. Details of QTL for node of flower initiation in NGB5839 × JI1794 F<sub>2</sub>**

Name	LG	Analysis	Position (cM)	Peak marker	LOD	% explained	Genotype means		
							Jl1794	het	NGB5839
QTL3	III	1	28.1	MAX1	9.3	17.6	40.9	36.2	21.8
		2 (with ELF3)	28.4	ELF3	10.4	18.3	41.1	36.5	21.1
QTL6	VI	1	67.2	RNAhel	21.4	54.6	47.1	22.7	15.6
		2 (with ELF3)	67.2	RNAhel	22.4	55.6	46.9	22.0	15.3

QTL on linkage groups III and VI were detected by MQM analysis in MapQTL 6 (Kyzama).

**Table S3. Single marker effects on node of flower initiation in NGB5839 × JI1794 F<sub>2</sub>**

Marker	Linkage group	r <sup>2</sup>	Probability	Probability (Bonferroni)	Genotype means ± SE		
					Jl1794	het	NGB5839
LF/TFL1c	II	2.7	0.30	1	25.6 ± 3.9	30.3 ± 2.3	34.0 ± 3.5
GIGAS/FTa1	V	1.0	0.64	1	30.1 ± 3.2	29.3 ± 2.4	33.4 ± 4.0
PRR37	VII	3.7	0.19	1	30.8 ± 3.9	27.7 ± 2.0	35.0 ± 3.8
LE	III	0.9	0.68	1	33.1 ± 2.9	29.4 ± 2.7	30.7 ± 3.5

Contributions of individual loci were assessed using generalized linear model in SAS. PRR37 is a marker closely linked to the SN locus.

**Table S4. Medicago orthologs of functional candidates for pea HR locus**

Gene	Medicago BAC	MtGenome 3.5	Inferred location in pea (7)
FRIGIDA-LIKE b (FRLb)	AC137079	Medtr5g094400	LG I, ~11cM
EARLY FLOWERING 3 (ELF3)	CU468275	Medtr3g103970	LG III, ~40cM
FRIGIDA (FRI)	CT010504	Medtr3g098560	LG III, ~65cM
FRIGIDA-LIKE a (FRLa)	AC121232	Medtr3g056070	LG III, ~185cM
FAR-RED ELONGATED HYPOCOTYL 3 (FHY3)	CT030192	Medtr3g010690	LG III, ~205cM
LUX ARRHYTHMO (LUX)	AC202498	Medtr4g064730	LG VI, ~125cM

**Table S5. Marker details**

Name	LG	Accession number	Source	Type	Population	Primers	Tm (°C)	Enzyme/Product Tm (°C)
<i>LF</i>	II	AY343326	{Foucher, 2003 #562} (1)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CTGGCCCAAGTGATCCTTAC R:AAGCATCAAATGATCAATCAAA	58	BsrI
<i>SBE2</i>	III	X80010	{Aubert, 2006 #6277} (2)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CCCCGATGCTGATGGAAATCC R:CTTTGGCCACATCAAAGCCG	60	HpaI
<i>RMS1</i>	III	AY557341	{Sorefan, 2003 #6512} (3)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:AGGGCTGAACCAACTCCTTT R:GCCCTAGCAACCTCTTCAA	60	TaqI
<i>CRY-DASH</i>	III	JI960646	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CTGGGTTTTGTTGCGAGTTGA R:CCACGATTTGACATGAAACCT	60	MseI
<i>COLc</i>	III	JN982281	Present study	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CACATACGGAGATAGAGACACC R:TTCTCCATCGGGAACAACTC	55	~79.5
<i>MAX1</i>	III	A de Saint-Germain pers comm.	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GCAGATGCAGAAGTGTGTAAG R:CGCAGCAACCAAATAGACTA	57	AccI
<i>ELF3</i>	III	JN983407	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GCAGTAATAGGCCAAAAACATTTCCGG R:AACTCAAACACTTGGACTGC	62	TaqI
<i>ELF3</i>	III	JN983406	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × WL1771	F:AAATTGTTATCATTCCGAACACA R:GGAATACTAAATTGCTCATACAAAGCC	60	HaeIII/Spel
<i>LcELF3</i>	—	JX946295	Present study	CAPS	ILL6005 × ILL5588	F:GCAGTAATAGGCCAAAAACATTTCTGG R:CGATCCGGCAATCAGTTGTT	55	DraI
<i>M</i>	III	—	{Bordat, 2011 #6441} (4)	Morph.	NGB5839 × JI1794			
<i>COQ1</i>	III	JI914833	Present study	Size	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:ATTTAGTCCTGGCCCGTTC R:TCCATATATCAAGCGGCAAC	55	—
<i>TIC22</i>	III	AF095284	Present study	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:TCTGGCAGCTTACAATCATC R:TGTTGAAGGTTGAAGGTATTGC	55	~76
<i>HYL</i>	III	JX946299	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:AAAGCAGCAGCAGCAGTTCAG R:TCTTGACACAATCCAGTTTCA	55	HaeIII
<i>NIP</i>	III	U15036	{Aubert, 2006 #6277} (2)	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GGATTCTACTAACCACATGGACC R:CAATACTTTTTAACTAACACCAAAAA	53	~74
<i>FRI</i>	III	JX946297	Present study	Size	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:TGCAACCATTTGTTTTAAGGTC R:AGGGAAATTTGGGTGGAAT	60	—
<i>UNI</i>	III	AF010190	{Hofer, 1997 #4175} (5)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CATCAGAGCTGAAAGAAGG R:GCTTCCTTTTACAGTTGC	55	RsaI, MboI
<i>AAP2</i>	III	G Aubert pers comm.	{Aubert, 2006 #6277} (2)	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:TTTACAATTTTTCTTTAGCTGCAT R:TGGATGTAGTCATTTTATTAACACAGA	53	~69
<i>RKP</i>	III	JN982282	Present study	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CTTTGTCGGAGTCAATCAGC R:CCCATCAATCATGACAATGC	55	~74
<i>PRR59</i>	III	FJ609179	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:ATGCATGTTGAGAGGTGCAG R:AGCTTCCATGTTTGGCTTTG	58	RsaI
<i>OMT1</i>	III	JI897876	Present study	Size	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CCTCATGTGTCATTGAAGACGC R:TTCCCACCTGGATTATGAGC	50	—
<i>SEP3</i>	III	AJ223318	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GGAGAAGATCTTGGCCCTCT R:CATCATCATGGTAACCATCC	58	PciI
<i>COLe</i>	III	JX946296	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:AGAGCAAAAGCCATGTCTAC R:CCAAGGACGGAGAATCAGC	55	HpyCH4IV
<i>LONG1</i>	III	FJ374121	{Weller, 2009 #6333} (6)	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GCTGACAAAGAAAGCAAACG R:AGCTGAAACTCGGTTCTCA	52	~77
<i>ELF4</i>	III	AY830926	{Liew, 2009 #6376} (7)	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GCATGGCAAATAATCAGAGG R:TCTTCCATGATTTACAACTCC	55	~76
<i>LE</i>	III	AF001219	{Martin, 1997 #4223} (8)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:TCTGGCCTCAAGATTATACC R:GGTTCACTAAAACCTGATGG	60	BanI
<i>FTa1</i>	V	HQ538822	{Hecht, 2011 #6456} (9)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GCAACATCCAAATAAAATGAAGG R:TACACGACCAACAGCGAGAG	60	BglI
<i>FTc</i>	V	HQ538826	{Hecht, 2011 #6456} (9)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CCTTGGCAGGGATTATCATCG R:GCAGGTGCTGGTCTCTTTCC	62	HpyCH4IV
<i>SEP1-2</i>	V	AY884290	{Hecht, 2005 #327} (10)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CATCTCTGAAGCATGTTAGG R:TTGTTGAGCTTGACTTGTGG	60	BbvI
<i>FTb1</i>	V	HQ538824	{Hecht, 2011 #6456} (9)		NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CTCTATTTCAACTGTCAGCGAC R:TGCACAATTGTTAGCTTGTTCG	62	BccI
<i>SLN</i>	VI	AF101383	{Deulvot, 2010 #6437} (11)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CACAACCAATCAAGAACACAATTTTC R:CCCTTCTGCCATCAAATCAAG	60	DdeI, TaqI



Table S5. Cont.

Name	LG	Accession number	Source	Type	Population	Primers	Tm (°C)	Enzyme/Product Tm (°C)
<i>PIN1</i>	VI	AY222857	{Deulvot, 2010 #6437} (11)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GACGTGACTCTATCTGACACG R:AACATAAAGTGGCACCATTGC	60	RsaI
<i>UNK4</i>	VI	JN982285	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GCCCTCTTCTGGGAAAGC R:TAAACCCGCAAGATGCTCA	55	EcoRV
<i>AGO1</i>	VI	EF108450	{Deulvot, 2010 #6437} (11)	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:TTACTCCCATGTCATCCTTGG R:CAAGCATTAAAGAACCAGCAAG	55	~72 °C
<i>WRI-33</i>	VI	JN982283	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:TGACCAAAGAGGAGTACTTGG R:AGCACGTGCAGCTTCTT	55	BbvI
<i>PCFS4</i>	VI	JN982284	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GTACGGTCCACCACTTTTGC R:GGATCAACTCAATGCCAAC	52	BtgI
<i>RUG5/ Gbts2</i>	VI	X88790	{Aubert, 2006 #6277} (2)	CAPS	NGB5839 v JI1794	F:GCCGGTGTATCTGAAAGCAT R:ACACCGTTACAATTCCTCCG	60	AccI
<i>MLO1</i>	VI	FJ463618	{Humphry, 2011 #6457} (12)	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:TGGCTCTTAGGCATGGATTT R:TTGTGCATCATGTCCTGGAG	55	~74 °C
<i>RNAhel</i>	VI	PSCC24A19u (IPK Crop EST database)	{Aubert, 2006 #6277} (2)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GGGTTTGGTAGGTTGGTAGAGG R:GCTATCAAAATTGTAGTGGGTGGG	60	MseI
<i>CABB</i>	VI	CD859031	{Deulvot, 2010 #6437} (11)	HRM	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:AGGATCTTCTTGCTGATGG R:CTTGCTTAGACCAAAAAGGATCA	55	~81 °C
<i>GA20ox1</i>	VI	AF138704/U70471	{Aubert, 2006 #6277} (2)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:CATTCCATTAGGCCAAATTTCAAT R:CTGCCCTATGTAACAACCTTGTATCT	60	SspI
<i>GRITTY</i>	VI	—	{Bordat, 2011 #6441} (4)	Morph	NGB5839 × JI1794	—	—	—
<i>FVE</i>	VI	AY830931	{Hecht, 2005 #327} (10)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:GCAAAATTCTAAGATAGTGG R:GTTGGGCACATCGCAAGAGC	58	BsaI
<i>LKP1</i>	VI	JX946298	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:AGAATGGGCGACGAAGGTAT R:AAACCGCACCGTCTCTAC	62	RsaI
<i>PHYB</i>	VI	AF069305	{Weller, 2001 #5727} (13)	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:AATCCCTTGAGTGGCATACG R:CAGCATGCAGAAGAGTGAGC	60	RsaI, BslI
<i>NA</i>	VI	AF537321	{Davidson, 2003 #6458} (14)	Size	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:ATTGGTGGTTTTTGGAGAGG R:CCATGTAAGCACTTCCAAC	60	—
<i>PRR37</i>	VII	FJ609177	Present study	CAPS	NGB5839 × JI1794	F:TGGCAACATGTTGGAGAAG R:ACACTCAAGCCTCTGCTCC	60	XmnI

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**Table S6. *ELF3* Primer sequences**

Name	Sequence	Use
PsELF3-FF	5'-GTTTAGAGTTTAGGATAGAAAAGGGGTAGG-3'	PCR and sequencing
PsELF3-11R	5'-GCAATTCCTTTCTGGCTTCC-3'	PCR and sequencing
PsELF3-4R	5'-GTTTCCAGCCTGACGAAT-3'	Sequencing
PsELF3-5F	5'-ACCAGTCCAACCCAGGCTAT-3'	PCR and sequencing
PsELF3-RR	5'-GATCCTCCATGTCAATATACACCACTAC-3'	PCR and sequencing
PsELF3-7F	5'-TGTTTGCAGTCCAAGTGTTG-3'	Sequencing
PsELF3-7R	5'-CGATCCGGCAATTAGTTGTT-3'	Sequencing
LcELF3-F1	5'-TGGACATGGACAAAGTGACG-3'	PCR and sequencing
LcELF3-R1	5'-CCGTTACATGATGGCACACC-3'	PCR and sequencing