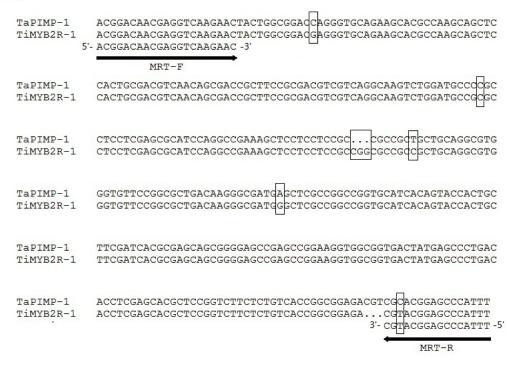
Supplementary Figure S1. Alignment of *TiMYB2R-1* and *TaPIMP1* sequences amplified in (Q)RT-PCR. MRT-F and MRT-R, being marked with long arrows, represent the primers for RT-PCR and Q-RT-PCR assays. The frames show the nucleotide differences between the amplified sequences of *TiMYB2R-1* and *TaPIMP1*.

Fig. S1



Supplementary Figure S2. The cDNA sequence and deduced aminoacid sequence of TiMYB2R-1. The R2 and R3 domains are underlined with solid lines, the putative acidic domains are underlined with curve lines, and basic regions corresponding to NLS are shown by boxes.

Fig S2 1 ACTCGCGTACGTCTTCCTGAAGCTTGATCGATCGACCTCGACCTCATGGACATGGACAAG M D M D 6 E Y Y K A C M G M E A L P M S P A G L 121 GCGGTGACGACAGAGGTAGCCATGGCGGCGGCGACGGCAAGCGAGGACGAGGGCGACCTG 180 26 .A. V. T. T. E. V. A. M. A. A. T. A. S. E. D. E. G. D. L. 45 181 AGGGGGGTCCGTGGACGGCGGAGGAGACATGCTCCTCGTCGACTACATCTCCAAGCAC 240 46 R G G P W T A E E D M L L V D Y I S K H 241 GGGGAAGGGGGTGGAACTGGCTGGCTGGATGCGCAGGCCTGAGGGGGACTGGGAAGAGC 300 66 <u>G E G R W N S L A R C A G L R R T G K S</u> 85 301 TGCCGGCTCCGGTGGCTGAACTACCTCCGCCCTGACGTCCGACGCGGCAACATCACGCCG 360 86 CRLRWLNYLRPDVR<u>RGNITP</u> 105 361 GAGGAGCAGCTGCTGATACTGGACCTGCACTCCGGTGGGGCAACCGCTGGTCCAAGATC 420 106 E E Q L L I L D L H S R W G N R W S K I 125 421 GCGCAGCGCCTCCCGGGGAGGACGGACAACGAGGTCAAGAACTACTGGCGGACGAGGGTG 480 126 A Q R L P G R T D N E V K N Y W R T R V 145 481 CAGAAGCACGCCAAGCAGCTCCACTGCGACGTCAACAGCGACCGCTTCCGCGACGTCGTC 540 146 Q K H A K Q L H C D V N S D R F R D V V 541 AGGCAAGTCTGGATGCCGCGCCTCCTCGAGCGCATCCAGGCCGAAAGCTCCTCCTCCGCC 600 QVWMP RLLERIQAE S 601 GGCGCCGCCGCTGCAGGCGTGGGTGTTCCGGCGCTGACAAGGGCGATGGGCTCGCCGGCC 660 G P ALTRAMG 661 GGTGCATCACAGTACCACTGCTTCGATCACGCGAGCAGCGGGGGGCCGAGCCGGAAGGTG 720 SQYHCFDHASSGEPSRKV STL SP D T s R S 781 ACGTACGGAGCCCATTTCCCAGCGTGGGGCGCTGCCACTGCCACGGCGAACGTTGATGGC 840 GAHFPAWGAATAN 841 TCGATGATGCAGTGCGGCGCGCGGAGTGTGGGGCCATAGGCGGCGATCAGTACGTCATC 900 S M M Q C G G R E C G A I G G D Q Y V 901 CACGGCGACAGCCTCAGCGGGAGCTGGTCGGAGCTCCTCGCGGCCACCGATATCCCGGAC 960 H G D S L S G S W S E L L A A T D I P D 961 TTTGAGTTCGGAAATTTCGACGACAACTTGTCGAACCTAGAGGACATTTACTCCTGACGA 1020 306 F E F G N F D D N L W N L E D I Y C * 323 1021 TGAACTTAACTAGAGCGC 1038

Supplementary Figure S3. Transcriptional analysis of TiMYB2R-1 in Th. intermedium following B. sorokiniana inoculation by Q-RT-PCR. The transcription of TiMYB2R-1 was obviously induced after B. sorokiniana infection, and reached a peak at 48 hpi. Three biological replicates for each time point were averaged with standard error of mean indicated (SE). Asterisks indicate statistically significant variation calculated using Student's t-test (**P<0.01).

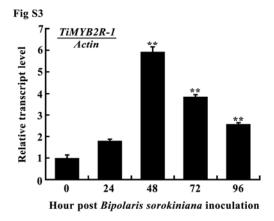


Table S1 Common root rot responses of *TiMYB2R-1* transgenic and control wheat lines^a

Lines	Common root rot (Bipolaris sorokiniana)	
	Infection Type	Index
O1	1.28**	25.71**
O3	1.24**	24.48**
O5	1.19**	23.75**
Null	2.81	56.29
Yangmai12	2.91	58.33

^aThe values derived from the average of at 30 plants each line tested in T_4 transgenic wheat lines and control wheat lines. Significant difference between *TiMYB2R-1* transgenic wheat lines (O1,O3 and O5) and nontransformated wheat Yangmai 12 (recipient) at **p <0.01. Null indicates the segregants lacking *TiMYB2R-1*.