

**Table S11: Primers used for qRT-PCR analysis of selected tanshinone biosynthesis related genes.**

<b>Gene Name</b>	<b>Primer sequence (5'-3')</b>
SmAACT	SmAACT-1: ATGCTGAAGGACGGACTCTGGGATG SmAACT-2: TTGTCAACAATGGTGGATGG
SmHMGS	SmHMGS-1: GATGCCGACTACTTTGTATTTCT SmHMGS-2: CTCGACTTCAACTTCTCTGAA
SmHMGR	SmHMGR-1: GCAACATCGTCTCCGCCGTCTACA SmHMGR-2: GATGGTGGCCAGCAGCCTGGAGTT
SmDXR	SmDXR-1: GAGAATCTACTGCTCCGAGA SmDXR-2: CTGGTCGTAGTGGATGATCT
SmFPPS	SmFPPS-1: TTTTACCTCCCAGTTGCTTGTTG SmFPPS-2: TTTACAACCAGCCAAGAACATT
SmKSL	SmKSL-1: CTTCCCAAGACAATGCAAAGAT SmKSL-2: ATTTCCCTCTCACATTATTAGC
SmCPS	SmCPS-1: GATCGGAAGACGCTGTA SmCPS-2: TCGCCAAGAAATAGGAAA
SmERF13	SmERF13-1: GAAATTCGCGGCGGAGATACGG SmERF13-2: TCGCTTACTCACCTCGTCCGGCT
Actin	Actin-1: AGGAACCACCGATCCAGACA Actin-2: GGTGCCCTGAGGTCCTGTT