

Figure S3. Presence of methylation and sorting signal sequences (D/E-X-D/E) at N-terminal (A) and pH regulation site (His residue) for gating (B) of PIPs aquaporins. Consensus sequences are framed and conserved residues are indicated as red triangle. Aquaporins cloned in the present study are marked with red arrows. Accession numbers of presented protein sequences are: AtPIP2;1 (P43286), AtPIP1;2 (Q06611), AtPIP1;4 (Q39196), FaPIP2;1 (ADJ67992), SoPIP2;1 (4JC6_N), VvPnPIP1;1 (CAO41326), VvTnPIP1;1 (HQ913643), VvPnPIP1;4 (CAO39626), VvTnPIP1;4 (KJ697714), VvPnPIP2;1 (CAN75442), VvTnPIP2;1 (KJ697715), VvPnPIP2;2 (CAO47394), VvTnPIP2;2 (HQ913642), VvPnPIP2;3 (CAO18152), VvTnPIP2;3 (KJ697716), ZmPIP2;1 (Q84RL7), ZmPIP2;5 (Q9XF58), ZmPIP2;4 (Q9ATM6). At: *Arabidopsis thaliana*, Fa: *Fragaria x ananassa*, So: *Spinacia oleracea*, VvPn: *Vitis vinifera* cv. Pinot noir, VvTn: *V. vinifera* cv. Touriga nacional, Zm: *Zea mays*.

