

A consensus linkage map of oil palm and a major QTL for stem height

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Supplementary Figure 1 Genomic sequence of the gene for asparagine synthase-related protein and SNPs detected between a *Dura* and *Pisifera* tree

- A. 1197 bp upstream DNA sequence from the start codon of the gene for asparagine synthase of oil palm. Ten SNPs (see letters in red) between the *Dura* and *Pisifera* trees were detected.

TGAGAATTATTATGGGAAAATAATCTTGAGTTCCACATCGATTGTGAGTYRAGAGAAATTYTGATTTATATGAG
ATCGAAATCTTCTCTTTAGTRAAAGTATCTTTATATAGGATAACATGATGAGATCCAAACYGGCACCTCGATGT
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ATCCGAACCCYGATCACAATAAGAACATGCCATGCAAACGTTGTATTAATCACTCGTCAYCRTATAGATATTGAATAT
TTGCACTAAAAAAAGTAGAACAAAATTTTCATTAATCTAGATAARATTTAGATTATTATAATTATAATGGCAAC
AGRTGATTATGAAGTATCGAAGGGTGTGAGCTAGGRRTTTAGTATCCAAGATACTATTAGCCTCTATGTTG
TCTGTTTGTGTTCTTCCATCTGTAAAAATAAGGGCGATTATGGAGACAGTCCCGCAGACAGGG
CAAGGAATCCAAGAGTGCAGTTACCGTCGCTCCGAAACGGAGGAGGGTGCAGGGGTCTCTCGGGACGTTA
GGAGAAGGATCGGACCACACATCGTCCGCCAAAAACAACCCCCGAGTGGGACCCACAGTGGCCTCTTTCTT
GTTCGTTTCTAATTAAATTGCCCCTCAAGCTAAAATATTCCATCCGCGGGCTGGCAGATGTCGACGTT
GCACCTCGTACACAGAGATATTCTAACCAAGTGGCGTAGCGTGGATCCCGTCAGCGGATAAGTCTCCAC
AGCGGCCTCCCTCGTACACTGCAGAAACACCGGATCTGGCCGATTACGGCCCCCACCCACGAGACCAAGTC
AATTGTGTACGTAAGGCGTGAACGGTAACCACACCCGAAAGTGTTCATATCTCGATGTCTGGAATAGCTGCGC
AATTCTAGCATGGGAATAGGGATCCTTATCCTCCATCCCTATCCACTCCACCTCCAAATTGAAAAATGTACTA
CTATACCACCGGACACAACATATACACCTCCATCTTGCCAAAACCTCATTCCCTCCGTTCCCTTCCTTC
TCCTATTGCTTACTTTCTTGAGTTAGACGCAGAGAGAATAGAGAAG-Start codon

- B. 1745 bp DNA sequence from the start codon to stop codon of the gene for asparagine synthase-related protein of oil palm. Introns were labeled with green and underlined. Three SNPs in intron 1 and one SNP in exon 2 were detected between the *Dura* and *Pisifera* trees. The SNP in exon 2 did not change amino sequence. A TTC-microsatellite (see letters in pink) in intron 2 showed polymorphism between the *Dura* and *Pisifera* trees.

ATGTTGGCGATATTCCACAAGGCCTCGCTACCCGCCAGGAGCTAACAGCCCCGGTGGCGGCCGGCGTGC
CCCAAGAACCGGAGGAGATCCTCCGGAGTTCCACTCCCTCACCCCTGGGGACTCCTCTCCGCCACCTCAGCG

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C A C G A A C G A G G C T T G C T G A T C G A G G C G T A C C G G A C G C T G C G C G A C C G C G G S C C G T A C C C G G C G G A C C A G G
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C. 227 bp downstream DNA sequence from the stop codon of the gene for asparagine synthase of oil palm. No SNP was detected between the *Dura* and *Pisifera* trees. A CAA-microsatellite (see letters in pink) showed polymorphism between the *Dura* and *Pisifera* trees

CTTAGCTTCTACTCTGGCAACAACAACAACAACAGAAACCAATCCTATCTTAAGTCTGCCCTTCTGCC
CATCTTCTTGTTAAATGGGTTCGAGTTCCCTTGAGTGTACCTACCACATGGAACAAAGGTGTATAGG
TGTCTGGATGTATTTAGTGTCTACCTTTATATGTATGGAAAAAAAAGTGAATGCTGAGGCCAGTTATTGA
CTCA

Supplementary Figure 2 Expression of the gene for asparagine synthetase-related protein in leaf (L) and trunk (T) tissues of short and tall trees of oil palm. The expression in the trunk was significantly ($P < 0.05$) higher in short trees than that in tall trees whereas the expression was similar ($P > 0.05$) in leaf in short and tall trees.

