

Supplemental Table S1. The silencing efficiency of *PDS* gene by TYLCCNV-amiRPDS(319L) vectors in *N. benthamiana* plants at 30 dpi.

Viral vectors	MIR VIGS plants ^a			Average MIR VIGS efficiency (%) ^b
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	
TYLCCNV	0/6	0/6	0/6	0 ± 0
TYLCCNV-amiRPDS(319L)	4/6	5/6	3/6	67 ± 0.14

^a MIR VIGS plants were expressed as *PDS* silenced plants/total agroinoculated plants;

^b MIR VIGS efficiency was the ratio of *PDS* silenced plants to total Agroinoculated plants. Value indicated mean ± SD (n=3).

Supplementary Table S2. Lists of primers used in this study. Lists of primers used in plasmid construction, virus detection, RT-qPCR and northern blot analysis for genes and small RNAs.

Primer name	Primer sequence (5'-3')*	Brief description
For plasmid construction		
<i>Xba</i> I-ami-F	GCTCTAGAGTTCATACACTTAATACT	For TYLCCNV-amiRPDS(319L) cloning
<i>Sma</i> I-ami-R	TCCCCCGGGTGCCTTAAATAAAGAT	
amiRPDS(athmiR319)-1	GATCAACATAGACTGATTGGGGCTCT	
amiRPDS(athmiR319)-2	GAGCCCAATCAGTCTATGTTGATCA AAGAGAATCAATGA	
amiRPDS(athmiR319)-3	GAGACCAATCAGTCAATGTTGTTCA CAGGTCGTGATATG	
amiRPDS(athmiR319)-4	GAACAACATTGACTGATTGGTGCTCT ACATATATTCCT	
<i>Xba</i> I-amiRPDS(319)-F	GCTCTAGAGAGCACC AATCAGTCAAT GTTGTTACAGGTCGTGATATG	For TYLCCNV- amiRPDS(319) cloning
<i>Sma</i> I-amiRPDS(319)-R	TCCCCCGGGGAGCCCCAATCAGTCTA TGTTGATCAAAGAGAATCAATGA	
<i>Xba</i> I-amiRPDS(159)-F	GCTCTAGACCCCCAATGTGTCTATGTT GAAGAAGATCTAACAGTTAGA	For TYLCCNV- amiRPDS(159) cloning
<i>Sma</i> I-amiRPDS(159)-R	TCCCCCGGGGCCCAATCAGTCTATG TTGAAAATGATCAAACAAAGGGTA	
<i>Xba</i> I-amiRPDS(390)-F	GCTCTAGAAAAGTAGAGAAGAATCT GTATCAACATAGACTGATTGGGGCAT GATGATCACATTCGTTATC	For TYLCCNV- amiRPDS(390) cloning
amiRPDS(390)-R	TGTAGTAAGAAGAGCCAATGTCAAC ATAGAATGATTGGGGCAAAAAATAGA TAACGAAT	
<i>Xba</i> I-amiR156-F	GCTCTAGAAAAGTAGAGAAGAATCT GTATGACAGAAGAGAGTGAGCAC ATGATGATCACATTCGTTATC	For TYLCCNV-amiR156 cloning
amiR156-R	TGTAGTAAGAAGAGCCAATGTGACA GAAGATAGTGAGCACAAAAAATAGA TAACGAAT	
<i>Xba</i> I-5'D(8)-F	GCTCTAGAAAAGTAGAGAAGAATCT GTATCTTGACCTTGTAAGGCCTTTAT GATGATCACATTCGTTATC	For TYLCCNV-5'D8(+) cloning
5'D(8)-R	TGTAGTAAGAAGAGCCAATGTCTTG ACCTTTTAAGGCCTTAAAAAATAG ATAACGAAT	

<i>Xba</i> I-amiRSu-F	GCTCTAGAAAAGTAGAGAAGAATCT GTATAATTAGGATAAAATCGGGCCCA TGATGATCACATTCGTTATC	For TYLCCNV-amiRSu cloning
amiRSu-R	TGTAGTAAGAAGAGCCAATGTAATT AGGATCAATCGGGCCCAAAAATAG ATAACGAAT	
<i>Xba</i> I-amiRPCNA-F	GCTCTAGAAAAGTAGAGAAGAATCT GTATATAGTGCTCAAAACCTCACAT GATGATCACATTCGTTATC	For TYLCCNV-amiRPCNA cloning
amiRPCNA-R	TGTAGTAAGAAGAGCCAATGTATAG TGCTCAAACCTCACAAAAATAG ATAACGAAT	
For virus detection		
DNA-A-F	CATCGTGTGGTAAGAGGTTTTG	For TYLCCNV DNA-A detection
DNA-A-R	TATACAGGATTACTTGCATGGGT	
DNA-m β -F	ACATCGGTTCCCCTATTAGTGCC	For TYLCCNV DNA-m β detection
DNA-m β -R	GCTGCTGCGTAGCGTAGTGGT	
For RT-qPCR of genes		
Nb <i>lF4a</i> -qF	GCTTTGGTCTTGGCACCTACTC	RT-qPCR primers for <i>lF4a</i>
Nb <i>lF4a</i> -qR	TGCTCGCATGACCTTTTCAA	
Nb <i>PDS</i> -qF	GGCGGCGTTATTATCATC	RT-qPCR primers for <i>PDS</i>
Nb <i>PDS</i> -qR	ACCAATCTCCATCATCATCT	
pri-319-qF	TTCCGACTCATTATCCAA	RT-qPCR primers for pri- amiRPDS(319)
pri-319-qR	CTACCGCATCATTATTCAT	
pri-159-qF	GCTGCTGACCTATGGATT	RT-qPCR primers for pri- amiRPDS(159)
pri-159-qR	TCAAACAAAGGGTAAAATAAAGC	
pri-390-qF	GCGGCAAAGTAGAGAAGAATCTGTA	RT-qPCR primers for pri- amiRPDS(390)
pri-390-qR	GCGTGATAGTAAGAAGAGCCAA	
TC17947-qF	GCACAGTGAAGACAGTA	RT-qPCR primers for <i>TC17947</i>
TC17947-qR	ACGATGATAGTTAGATATGAAGGA	
TC24007-qF	CACTCTAACGGTTATCATCCT	RT-qPCR primers for <i>TC24007</i>
TC24007-qR	CAACAGACAGCCTCACAA	
Nb <i>ARF3</i> -qF	GGCAAGTGATGAGGTCTA	RT-qPCR primers for <i>NbARF3</i>
Nb <i>ARF3</i> -qR	GTATCCGAAGCAGTGAGA	
Nb <i>ARF4</i> -qF	TTACCACCACTGAGCATTC	RT-qPCR primers for <i>NbARF4</i>
Nb <i>ARF4</i> -qR	GGCGGACTGTCTTATCAC	
Nb <i>Su</i> -qF	CCAGATGACCAAGAAGTAATG	RT-qPCR primers for <i>Su</i>

NbSu-qR	TGTCCTCAGTAGCACCTA	
NbPCNA-qF	AGAGATGAATGAGCCAGTAT	RT-qPCR primers for <i>PCNA</i>
NbPCNA-qR	TTAGGTGCCAGGTAGAAC	
For RT-qPCR of small RNAs		
universal-qR	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGT	Universal reverse primer for all miRNA end-point stem-loop RT-qPCR
amiRPDS-RT	GTTGGCTCTGGTGCAGGGTCCGAGG TATTCGCACCAGAGCCAACGCCCA	RT primer for amiRPDS
amiRPDS-qF	CCGGCTCAACATAGACTGAT	Forward primer for qPCR analysis of amiRPDS
amiR156-RT	GTTGGCTCTGGTGCAGGGTCCGAGG TATTCGCACCAGAGCCAACGTGCTC	RT primer for amiR156
amiR156-qF	CCGGCTGACAGAAGAGAGTG	Forward primer for qPCR analysis of amiR156
5'D8(+)-RT	GTTGGCTCTGGTGCAGGGTCCGAGG TATTCGCACCAGAGCCAACAAAGGC	RT primer for 5'D8(+)
5'D8(+)-qF	CCGGCTCTTGACCTTGTAAG	Forward primer for qPCR analysis of 5'D8(+)
amiRSu-RT	GTTGGCTCTGGTGCAGGGTCCGAGG TATTCGCACCAGAGCCAACGGGCC	RT primer for amiRPDS
amiRSu-qF	GCCCCGGCGTAATTAGGATAAATC	Forward primer for qPCR analysis of amiRPDS
amiRPCNA-RT	GTTGGCTCTGGTGCAGGGTCCGAGG TATTCGCACCAGAGCCAACGTGAGG	RT primer for amiRPCNA
amiRPCNA-qF	CCGGCTATAGTGCTCAAAC	Forward primer for qPCR analysis of amiRPCNA
For northern blot analysis		
U6-probe	TTGCGTGTATCCTTGCAGG	For northern blot assay of U6
amiRPDS-probe	GCCCCAATCAGTCTATGTTGA	For northern blot assays of amiRPDS and pri-amiRPDS
PDS-PF	GCTCTAGACAAGTGCCACGACCCGA AG	Primers for amplifying <i>PDS</i> fragment to produce <i>PDS</i> probe
PDS-PR	CGAGCTCGCATCGAAAGCTCGTCAG G	
PDS-PT7R	TAATACGACTCACTATAGGGCGAGCT CGCATCGAAAGCTCGTCAGG	Reverse primer for adding T7 promoter in 3' <i>PDS</i> fragment to produce <i>PDS</i> RNA probe

*Restriction sites were shown underline.

Supplemental Table S3. The silencing efficiency of *PDS* gene by TYLCCNV-amiRPDS(319), TYLCCNV-amiRPDS(159) and TYLCCNV-amiRPDS(390) vectors in *N. benthamiana* plants at 25 dpi.

Viral vectors	MIR VIGS plants ^a			Average MIR VIGS efficiency (%) ^b
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	
TYLCCNV	0/6	0/6	0/6	0 ± 0
TYLCCNV-amiRPDS(319)	6/6	6/6	6/6	100 ± 0
TYLCCNV-amiRPDS(159)	6/6	6/6	6/6	100 ± 0
TYLCCNV-amiRPDS(390)	6/6	6/6	6/6	100 ± 0

^a MIR VIGS plants were expressed as *PDS* silenced plants/total agroinoculated plants;

^b MIR VIGS efficiency was the ratio of *PDS* silenced plants to total agroinoculated plants. Value indicated mean ± SD (n=3).

Supplemental Table S4. The silencing efficiency of overexpressing miR156 by TYLCCNV-amiR156 vectors in *N. benthamiana* plants at 14 dpi.

Viral vectors	MIR VIGS plants ^a			Average MIR VIGS efficiency (%) ^b
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	
TYLCCNV	0/6	0/6	0/6	0 ± 0
TYLCCNV-amiR156	4/6	4/6	5/6	72 ± 0.08

^a MIR VIGS plants were expressed as miR156 overexpression plants/total Agroinoculated plants;

^b MIR VIGS efficiency was the ratio of the efficiency of miR156 overexpression plants to total Agroinoculated plants.

Value indicated mean ± SD (n=3).

Supplemental Table S5. The silencing efficiency of overexpressing 5'D8(+) by TYLCCNV-5'D8(+) vectors in *N. benthamiana* plants at 30 dpi.

Viral vectors	MIR VIGS plants ^a			Average MIR VIGS efficiency (%) ^b
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	
TYLCCNV	0/6	0/6	0/6	0 ± 0
TYLCCNV-5'D8(+)	4/6	5/6	5/6	78 ± 0.08

^a MIR VIGS plants were expressed as 5'D8(+) overexpression plants/total Agroinoculated plants;

^b MIR VIGS efficiency was the ratio of the efficiency of 5'D8(+) overexpression plants to total Agroinoculated plants.

Value indicated mean ± SD (n=3).

Supplemental Table S6. The silencing efficiency of *Su* gene by TYLCCNV-amiRSu vectors in *N. benthamiana* plants at 25 dpi.

Viral vectors	MIR VIGS plants ^a			Average MIR VIGS efficiency (%) ^b
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	
TYLCCNV	0/6	0/6	0/6	0 ± 0
TYLCCNV-amiRSu	6/6	6/6	6/6	100 ± 0

^a MIR VIGS plants were expressed as *Su* silenced plants/total Agroinoculated plants;

^b MIR VIGS efficiency was the ratio of *Su* silenced plants to total Agroinoculated plants. Value indicated mean ± SD (n=3).

Supplemental Table S7. The silencing efficiency of *PCNA* gene by TYLCCNV-amiRPCNA vectors in *N. benthamiana* plants at 25 dpi.

Viral vectors	MIR VIGS plants ^a			Average MIR VIGS efficiency (%) ^b
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	
TYLCCNV	0/6	0/6	0/6	0 ± 0
TYLCCNV-amiRPCNA	6/6	6/6	6/6	100 ± 0

^a MIR VIGS plants were expressed as *PCNA* silenced plants/total Agroinoculated plants;

^b MIR VIGS efficiency was the ratio of *PCNA* silenced plants to total Agroinoculated plants. Value indicated mean ± SD (n=3).