

Figure S1. *PHT1* location sites in BAC clones from Xiaoyan 54 (A) and the scaffold TGACv1_scaffold_320302_4BL from Chinese spring (B).



Figure S2. The cis-acting elements in the promoters of *TaPHT1* **genes.** P1BS, PHR1 binding element (GNATATNC); W-box, WRKY transcription factor binding element (TTGACY).



Figure S3. Functional analysis of seven *TaPHT1* genes in yeast. (A and B) Color shifts for acid phosphatase activity in the yeast strain MB192 (control), the wild type (WT), Yp112-*TaPHT1.6-5D* (A) and Yp112-*TaPHT1.10-4A* (B). The culture medium contains 20, 60, 100 μ M Pi. (C) Growth profiles of the wild-type (WT), MB192, MB192 transformed with an empty expression vector (Yp112-MB192) and the candidate *PHT1* genes (Yp112-*TaPHT1s*) on synthetics defined (SD) Ura mediums under 20, 60, 100, and 140 μ M Pi conditions. The plates were incubated at 30 °C for 3 d. Staining test for acid phosphatase activity was carried out according to the method described by Jia et al., 2011. Complementation of the pho84 mutant MB192 by *TaPHT1* genes was according to the method described by Qin et al., 2012.



Figure S4. Relative expression levels of *TaIPS1.1* **under different P supply levels.** (A) Expression of *TaIPS1.1* in the shoots of Xiaoyan 54 grown in high P and low P nutrient solutions in the hydroponic culture experiment at the seedling stage. ND, not detectable. (B and C) Expression of *TaIPS1.1* in leaves of Xiaoyan 54 grown in the high P and low P soils in the field experiment in Beijing at flowering (B) and grain filling stage (C). (D) Expression of *TaIPS1.1* in the roots of KN9204 and SJZ8 at the flowering stage under different P application rates in the 2011 field experiment in Quzhou. The gene expression levels were normalized to the internal control of *TaActin*. Data are mean \pm SE of three biological replications. Forward and reverse primers of *TaIPS1.1* were 5'-TCTCCTGTGAGTACCGGTGACA-3', and 5'-ACTGTACACTAGTCGACAACTTGC-3', respectively.



Figure S5. Relative expression levels of *TaPHT1.6* in aerial parts in Xiaoyan 54 grown in the high P and low P soils in the field experiment in Beijing at flowering and grain filling stage. The gene expression levels were normalized to the internal control of *TaActin*. Data are mean \pm SE of three biological replications. * indicates significant differences between different P application rates (P<0.05).



Figure S6. Distribution of *TaPHT1.14-U* (1656 bp) like fragments in the Scaffold **TGACv1_scaffold_642582_U** (88203 bp). Red lines indicate the positions of the fragments highly similar with *TaPHT1.14-U*.

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