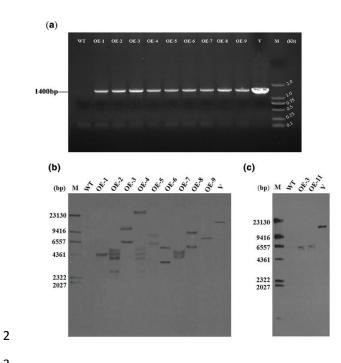
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Fig. S1 Southern blot of MdATG18a transgenic lines of tomato and apple. Young 4 5 tomato and apple leaves samples were collected at normal growth condition. (a) PCR with DNA of nine tomato transgenic lines. Lanes: WT, wild type 'Micro-Tom' plants; 6 OE-1~9, nine transgenic lines; V, positive vector containing pCambia2300-MdATG18a 7 plasmid; M, molecular marker DL2000. (b) Southern blot of tomato transgenic lines. 8 Lanes: M, Maker; WT, wild type 'Micro-Tom' plants; OE-1~9, nine transgenic lines; 9 V, positive vector containing pCambia2300-MdATG18a plasmid. (c) Southern blot of 10 apple transgenic lines. Lanes: M, Maker; WT, non-transformed wild-type; OE-3 and -11 11, MdATG18a-transgenic lines; V, positive vector containing pCambia2300-12 *MdATG18a* plasmid. 13 14

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