

2 Supplementary Figure 1. PBS sequences of LTR retrotransposons in Arabidopsis, rice and

- 3 tomato
- 4 The frequency of tRNAs used for targeting PBS. LTR retrotransposons were annotated by
- 5 *LTRpred* (http://github.com/HajkD/ALE) and selected for young elements by filtering LTR
- 6 similarities higher than 95%. The total numbers of retrotransposons analysed in each
- 7 species are shown below the plots.





10 Supplementary Figure 2. SIRT results from leaves and calli of rice

a and **b**, Genome-wide plots for SIRT performed in leaves (**a**) and in calli (**b**) of rice.



13 Supplementary Figure 3. ALE-seq detection of eclDNAs of Arabidopsis retrotransposons

- 14 Genome-wide plots (**a**, **b**, **d** and **f**) and read coverage plots (**c**, **e** and **g**) for ALE-seq profiles of
- 15 Arabidopsis Col-0 wt (a), heat-stressed Col-0 (b and c), met1-1 (d and e), and epi12 (f and g).



18 Supplementary Figure 4. Conservation of end sequences of LTR

- 19 The conserved sequences of 5' and 3' ends of LTR. The first and last five nucleotides of LTRs
- 20 are displayed. The images were generated by the WebLogo tool
- 21 (http://weblogo.berkeley.edu/logo.cgi).
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24 Supplementary Figure 5. ALE-seq detection of eclDNAs of rice retrotransposons using

25 multiplexed PBS primers

26 Genome-wide plot for ALE-seq profiles of rice callus using pooled PBS primers of Met-iCAT

27 and Arg-CCT.



30 Supplementary Figure 6. Go-on retrotransposon family

31 a, Schematic structure of *Go-on* retrotransposons. The genomic coordinates and LTR similarities of each copy are shown at the left and right, respectively. Red boxes, ORFs; 32 green boxes, regions encoding protein domains; blue boxes, PBS; white arrowheads, LTRs. 33 Note that the sequences of the upstream LTRs through the PBS are identical in all three 34 copies. The sequence variation specific for each element is indicated. Protein domains were 35 predicted by NCBI BLASTP tool (https://blast.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Blast.cgi). Nucleotide 36 positions indicating the start and end of ORF and protein domains are provided. Primers 37 38 used for sequencing and qPCR analyses are shown as arrows. b, Multiple sequence alignment of the genomic sequences of three *Go-on* copies and the sequenced ALE clones. 39 ALE-seq was performed using the RT primer specific to Go-on3 indicated as "a" in a. The 40

- 41 resulting single-stranded first strand cDNA was PCR-amplified, cloned to the pGEM T-easy
- 42 vector, and sequenced. Multiple sequence alignment was performed by ClustalW
- 43 (http://www.genome.jp/tools-bin/clustalw) and visualized by boxshade tools
- 44 (https://www.ch.embnet.org/software/BOX_form.html). **c**, Sequencing of the ALE-seq
- 45 product of *Go-on3* showing the junction region of the adapter and LTR. Sequences in red
- 46 and black are the adapter and *Go-on* LTR, respectively.



49 Supplementary Figure 7. Heat stress-triggered transcriptional activation of Go-on

50 **a** and **b**, The relative levels of DNA (**a**) and RNA (**b**) of *Go-on3* determined by qPCR. Heat treatment (44°C) was applied to 1-week-old rice seedlings for the periods indicated; +3r 51 52 means 3 days of recovery in normal growth conditions after heat stress. The levels are means ± sd of three biological replicates. For DNA analysis, Day 0 levels are set to 3, 53 reflecting three genomic copies of Go-on in japonica rice. Normalization was done against 54 $eEF1\alpha$. P-values were calculated by a two-tailed Student's t-test; n.s., not significant. **c**, The 55 56 sequence of the left LTR and PBS of Go-on3. The sequence in red is the heat-related HSFC1binding sequence motif predicted by PlantPan 2.0 tool 57 (http://plantpan2.itps.ncku.edu.tw/index.html) with statistically significant enrichment of 58 P= 4.28e⁻¹⁰ as determined by Fisher's exact test. The enrichment of the sequence motif was 59

- 60 calculated by comparing the ten most similar sequences of *Go-on* found in rice genome with
- 61 1,000 random genomic loci of 150bp. The PBS is shown in blue.





a and b, The qPCR analyses for DNA (a) and RNA (b) levels of *Go-on* in *indica* rice. The levels
are means ± sd of three biological replications. The levels of control sample are set to 2 (a)
reflecting 2 genomic copies of *Go-on* in *indica* rice. P-values are determined by two-sided
Student's t-test.



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71 Supplementary Figure 9. Comparison of mRNA and eclDNA levels

a, Scatter plot for log2-fold changes (FCs) in RNA-seq and ALE-seq profiles in the control and
 heat-stressed rice plants used in Figure 3. FCs were calculated by dividing heat samples

- values by control samples values of CPM (counts per million reads) and FPKM (fragments
- per kb per million reads) for ALE-seq and RNA-seq data, respectively. Each dot represents an

- 76 individual retroelement and the dashed lines mark log2-FC one. Th retrotransposon in red
- has log2-FC higher than one in both ALE-seq and RNA-seq. **b**, Read coverage plot for a
- 78 selected retrotransposon showing evidence of transcriptional activation upon heat stress
- 79 not followed by synthesis of eclDNAs.



82 Supplementary Figure 10. Retrotransposon insertions in *japonica* and *indica* rice

- **a-c**, Density plots for number of non-reference insertions in randomly selected 200
- 84 accessions out of 388 iterated by 1,000 times.



87 Supplementary Figure 11. ALE-seq profile of tomato leaves and fruits

a and b, Genome-wide plots for ALE-seq profiles performed in tomato leaves (a) and fruits
52 DPA (b). Each dot represents an individual retrotransposon.

Supplementary Table 1. Sequences of oligonucleotides used in this study

92 T7 promoter sequence is underlined and in bold is partial Illumina adapter sequence.

ALE adapter top strand ALE adapter bottom strand	AGAGAG <u>TAATACGACTCACTATAGGG</u> ACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT AGATCGGAAGAGCGTCGTGT <u>CCCTATAGTGAGTCGTATTA</u> CTCTCT
ALE adapter bottom strand	AGATCGGAAGAGCGTCGTGT <u>CCCTATAGTGAGTCGTATTA</u> CTCTCT
ALE RT Met-iCAT-R	AGACGTGTGCTCTTCCGATCTGCTCTGATACCA
ALE RT Arg-CCT-R	AGACGTGTGCTCTTCCGATCTCCTGGCGCGCCA
ONSEN full length-F	TGTTGAAAGTTAAACTTGATTTTG
ONSEN full length-R	TGTTAGAGTAAAATTCTTTTAG
Go-on-F (b of Figure S5)	GGCAGAATACAGGGCAATGTC
Go-on-R (c of Figure S5)	GCCGACTTATTGTCACACCAC
Go-on RT-R (a of Figure S5)	TCTCTGCACGCCTCGACAAG
eEF1α-F	GCACGCTCTTCTTGCTTTCACTCT
eEF1α-R	AAAGGTCACCACCATACCAGGCTT
FIRE RT-F	GAGTTGGCTACGTATCGTTTGC
FIRE RT-R	AGCCTCCACAAATTCATCCCAT
FIRE copy number-F	GGTGTTCTCGTTGTGGTAAGT
FIRE copy number-R	TAAGGTGACACTCCCTCATAGT
SICAC-F	CCTCCGTTGTGATGTAACTGG
SICAC-R	ATTGGTGGAAAGTAACATCATCG
SIGAPDH-F	ATGCTCCCATGTTTGTTGTGGGTG
SIGAPDH-R	TTAGCCAAAGGTGCAAGGCAGTTC

94 **Supplementary Table 2.** Summary of ALE-seq libraries

95 Numbers of reads sequenced and mapped are summarised. Both unique-mappers and

96 multi-mappers are considered. "% mapped to LTRs" refers to all reads mapped throughout

97 retrotransposon.

Samples	Reads	% mapped to	% mapped to	% not mapped	Accession
	sequenced	genome	LINS	LU LINS	
Arabidopsis Col-0	56,057	93.20	17.77	75.43	SAMN09748167
Arabidopsis heat-stressed	45,554	90.33	15.85	74.48	SAMN09748168
Arabidopsis met1-1	58,029	94.79	16.03	78.76	SAMN09748169
Arabidopsis epi12	45,545	96.19	31.18	65.01	SAMN09748170
Rice leaf	27,063	97.54	12.33	85.21	SAMN09748171
Rice callus	25,183	95.67	13.58	82.09	SAMN09748172
Rice callus -Lig	37,610	83.48	11.75	71.73	SAMN09748173
Rice callus -T7	870	2.82	0.12	2.70	SAMN09748174
Rice callus -RT	516	1.26	0	1.26	SAMN09748175
Rice callus pooled PBS	22,939	90.06	14.16	75.90	SAMN09748176
Rice non-stressed	31,819	90.39	12.29	78.10	SAMN09748177
Rice heat-stressed	31,525	97.63	13.54	84.09	SAMN09748178
Tomato leaf	46,421	96.65	13.24	83.41	SAMN09748179
Tomato fruit 52 DPA	73,067	96.97	28.53	68.44	SAMN09748180

99 **Supplementary Table 3.** Non-reference insertions of *Go-on*.

100 Neo-insertions of *Go-on* detected by TIF. The positions are provided as coordinates of target

101 site duplication.

Chromosome	Start	End	Accession	Category
Chr4	31968290	31968294	ERS467756	Indica
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Chr1	43029985	43029989	ERS467831	indica
Chr4	31968290	31968294	ERS467831	indica
Chr7	29937784	29937788	ERS467843	indica
Chr1	43029985	43029989	ERS467872	indica
Chr4	31968290	31968294	ERS467876	indica
Chr1	43029985	43029989	ERS467877	indica
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Chr8	5518300	5518306	ERS467878	indica
Chr7	29937784	29937788	ERS467880	indica
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