

The Combined Strategy for iron uptake is not exclusive to domesticated rice (*Oryza sativa*)

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Locus	Gene name	Forward Primer 5' → 3'	Reverse Primer 5' → 3'	PCR amplification efficiencies	
<i>Oryza sativa/ O. rufipogon</i> ^A				Eff target gene / endogenous <i>O. sativa</i>	Eff target gene / endogenous <i>O. rufipogon</i>
OS01G0952800/ORUF101G47560	<i>IRO2</i>	CGGATTTGGGAACAGGACA	GTCCTGACGACTTCTCCA	1.939027/1.886871	1.931052/1.86818
OS03G0667500/ORUF103G29910	<i>IRT1</i>	ACTGGTGCCCATCTGC	GCGAGGATGGGGATGG	1.877963/1.882419	1.912471/1.936508
OS01G0605100/ORUF101G24790	<i>BCS1</i>	CTGGAActCAACCCTTCGA	CCTCTGAAGGATTGGATTGG	1.917836/1.889704	1.937038/1.906191
OS10G0370500	Cellulase	CACCCTGAGGTCGAACG	GGCGAACCGGACGAG	1.838172/1.862471	1.848612/1.860437
OS01G0323600/ORUF101G14960	S- adenosylmethionine synthetase 2	ACGCCACCTTGCTGTC	GACGTTCTCTTCACCTCC	1.888845/1.936181	1.886621/1.891841
OS07G0258400/ORUF107G09420	<i>NRAMP1</i>	CATGCTGCTCTACGTCGTC	CAGCTCACGACGAGACAC	1.946169/1.886966	1.957729/1.953282
OS03G0751100/ORUF103G35800	<i>OPT7</i>	AGTGTGAAGGCGCCG	ATCTTCTTCTTCGCGAGCTT	1.796674/1.825561	1.799743/1.816699
OS11G0134900	<i>ZIFL4-TOM1</i>	TGTGATTGAATTAATTGGACTTGC	GGGGTGCTATTCCAGCTTCT	1.935136/1.866774	1.93262/1.956244
OS03G0237100/ORUF103G09980	<i>DMAS</i>	CCTGGACATCGTCGGAT	GTCGTCGAGCGACTTGTAG	1.883525/1.911072	1.892687/1.898705
OS09G0133200	Reductase SDR Family	GAGCTTATTGACAGGAGCACA	AGCAACAACAATAGTTTCAGCTG	1.944826/1.909023	1.899864/1.93218
OS02G0650300/ ORUF102G27480	<i>YSL15</i>	GGTGCGGGGATGATTG	CCATACAAACTTGTCATGCTG	1.949223/1.902821	1.925499/1.871946
OS12G0133100	<i>ZIFL12</i>	CCCAAActGTTGAAGCTTTGG	GGACATCAAGGGCCAATTC	1.894337/1.888208	1.884827/1.885545
OS01G0328400	<i>UBQ5</i>	ACCACTTCGACCGCCACTACT	ACGCCTAAGCCTGCTGGTT	-	-
<i>Zea mays</i>				Eff target gene	Eff endogenous gene
Zm00001d033446	<i>IRT1</i>	GCTTCTACAACCGGAGGAAG	GTCCTCGGGCTTGTCAG	1.940012	1.909559
Zm00001d017429	<i>YS1</i>	GTCTGGGAGAAGGTGAACAG	GGCCAGAGCGAGAATGG	1.894495	1.892154
Zm00001d028360	<i>DMAS</i>	GAGCTTCGACGAGGGG	GTGCTCGGAGACGTAGC	1.920767	1.879584
Zm00001d041111	<i>TOM1</i>	CTTTCCTTGTGGACCGTAAGT	ACAAATGAACATACCTGCAATCG	1.917432	1.861516

Zm00001d052434	<i>TOM2</i>	GACCCTACACAAGCACAGA	GGAGGGAGAAGACGCAGTA	1.865249	1.861516
Zm00001d005001	<i>TOM3</i>	GCCCACCAGAGTGACTAC	CTGAATAAGCCATATCATGGAAGG	1.897926	1.861516
Zm00001d042062	<i>IRO2</i>	GCCTCAACGACACGGAG	CCCAAAGGTGGAGTAGGTT	1.843356	1.892154
Zm00001d029339	<i>IRO3</i>	CTTTCCAGAAGTGGCATCTG	GCTTGTGCTGCTACTGC	1.866295	1.905458
Zm00001d053834	<i>UBQ</i>	CGGCAAGCAGCTGGAG	GCGCAGCACCAGGTG	-	-
Zm00001d025205	<i>FIT</i>	CCGAACGGCGGGTTATT	CACTGCTGGTAGTGGTCG	1.846875	1.879584
Zm00001d002006	<i>MHA2</i>	GTTCCCTGGGTTTCATGTGGA	GGAGTTGATAACCAAGAGCACG	1.865067	1.905458
Zm00001d005479	<i>NRAMP1</i>	CTCATTGGCATTGTCGTGTT	CACGAACTTGATGGTCTCC	1.862461	1.768098

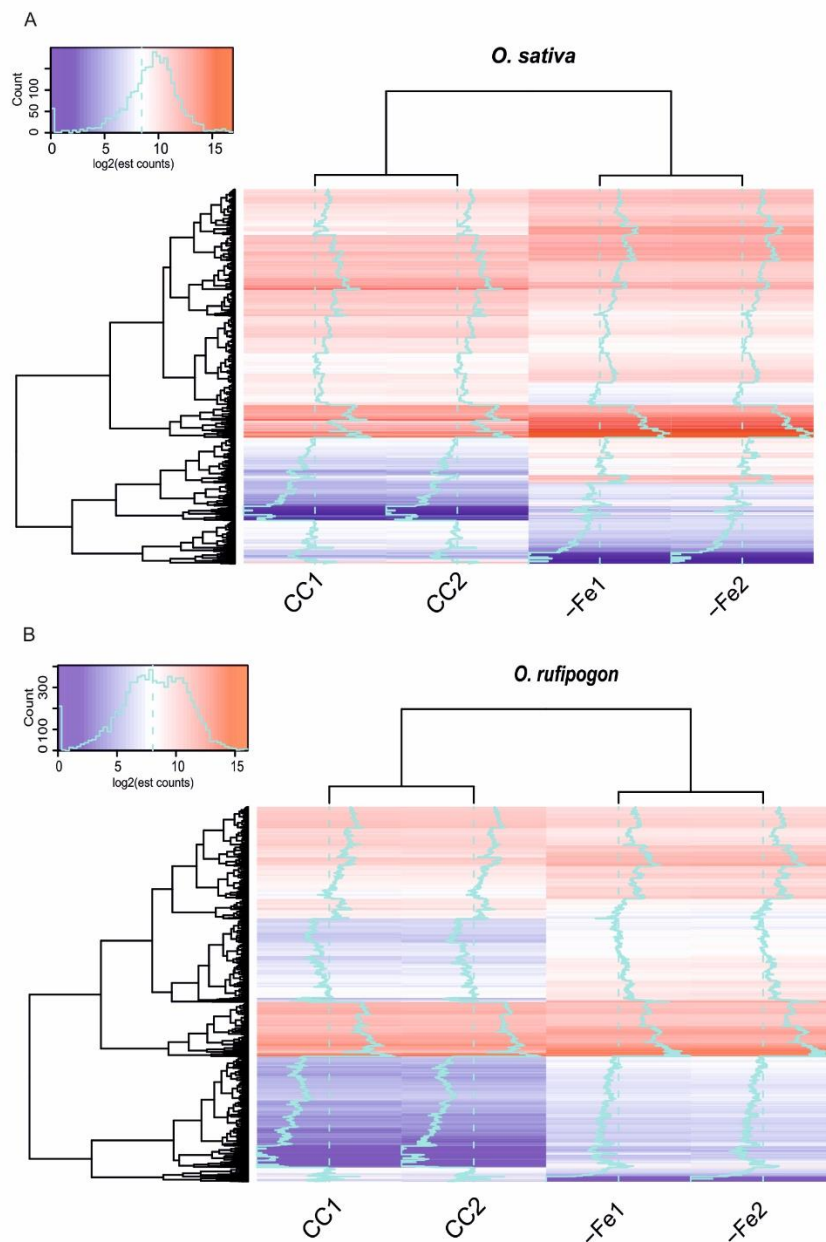
Sorghum bicolor

				<i>Eff target gene</i>	<i>Eff endogenous gene</i>
SORBI_001G142900	<i>IRT1</i>	GACCGCAACCTCTTCGT	GGTGGTGAAGGAGAAATCGG	1.958446	1.958171
SORBI_003G428800	<i>IRO2</i>	CGGAGATCATGGTTCAGGT	CTTGTTCTCGAAGGTGGAGT	1.948199	1.913552
SORBI_002G095600	<i>NRAMP1</i>	GCATCATCGTGTCCCTCTTAT	CATCGGCAACCTTTGATTTGTC	1.924862	1.914071
SORBI_004G299500	<i>YS1</i>	GAAGTACGCGAGGTTTGTG	CAGCCTCCTTCTTGTTTCATC	1.913064	1.924862
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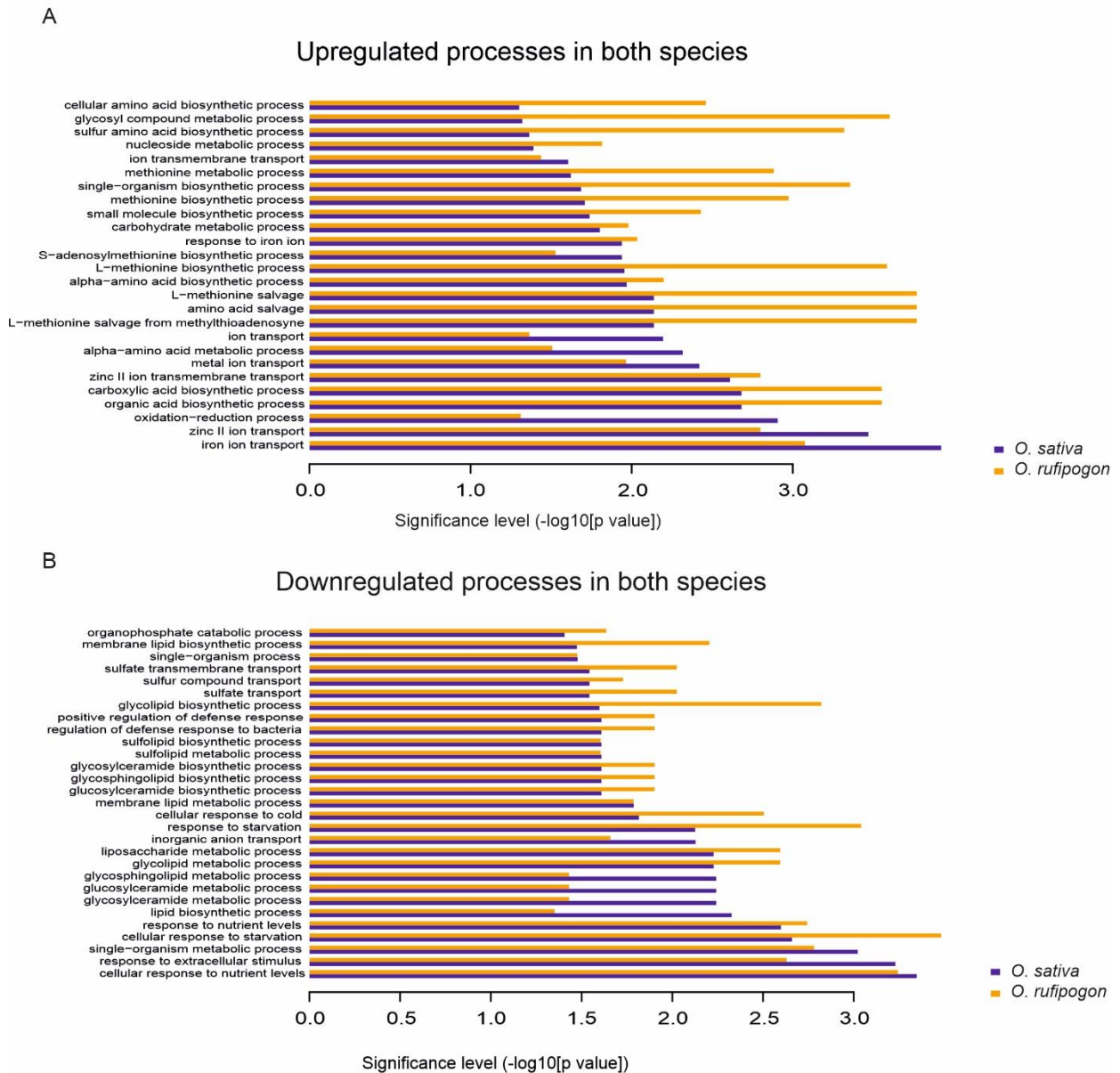
Genes for which *O. rufipogon* loci is not shown were identified as differentially expressed by RNAseq only in *O. sativa*.

^A *IRT1*, *NRAMP1*, *IRO2*, and *YSL15* primers are the same used for all species.

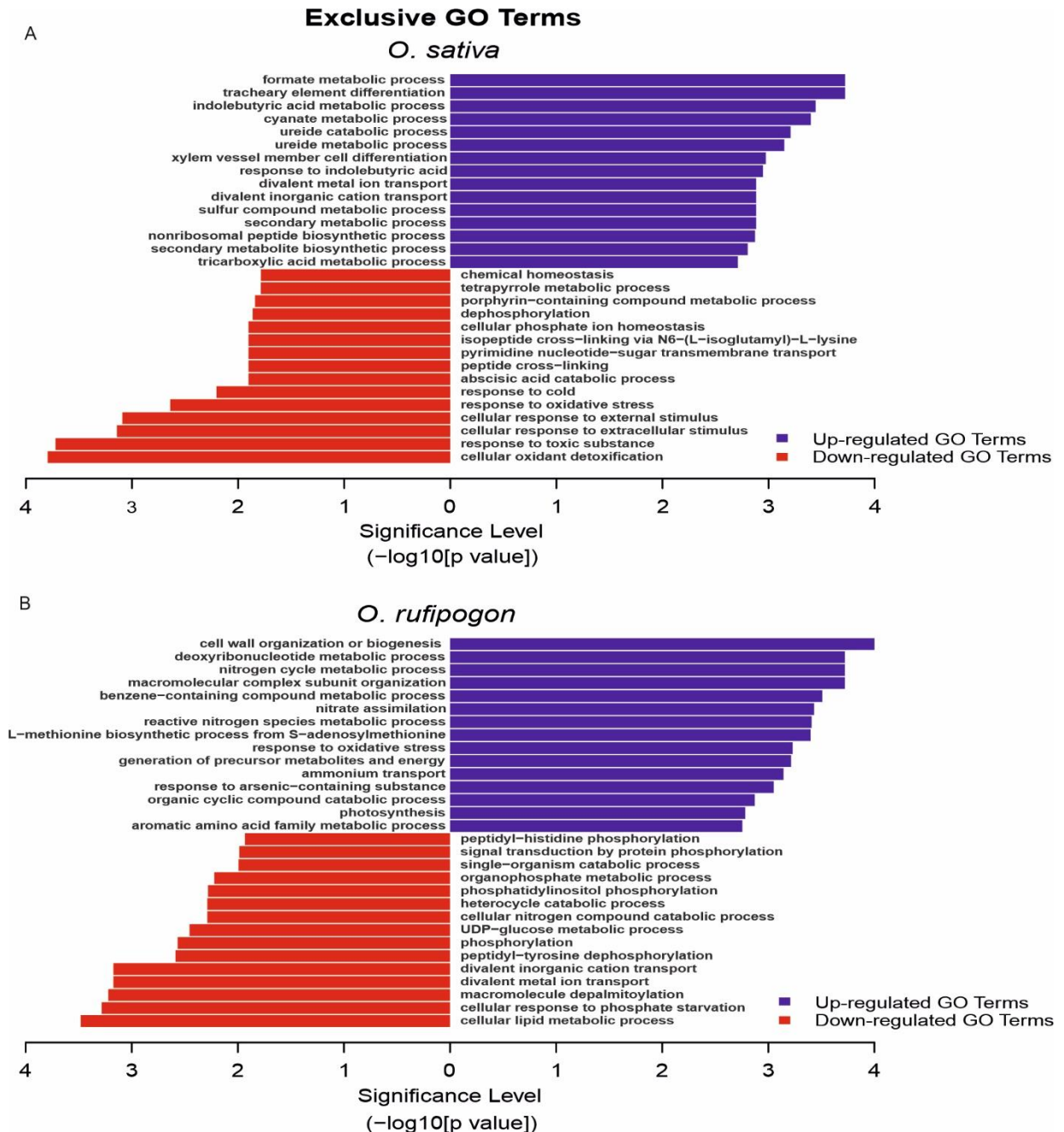
Supplementary Figure 1. Transcriptomic analysis of *Oryza sativa* and *Oryza rufipogon* roots from plants grown in control (CC) and Fe deficiency (-Fe) conditions for five days. Differential gene expression analysis of RNAseq from CC versus -Fe for (A) *O. sativa* and (B) *O. rufipogon*. Genes identified as differentially expressed by Kallisto (FDR < 0.05) are represented by red (up-regulated) and blue (down-regulated) lines. The y-axis represents a dendrogram from hierarchical clustering presented as transcripts per million reads (TPM). CC1: library 1 in control condition; CC2: library 2 in control condition; -Fe1: library 1 in iron deficiency condition; -Fe2: library 2 in iron deficiency condition.



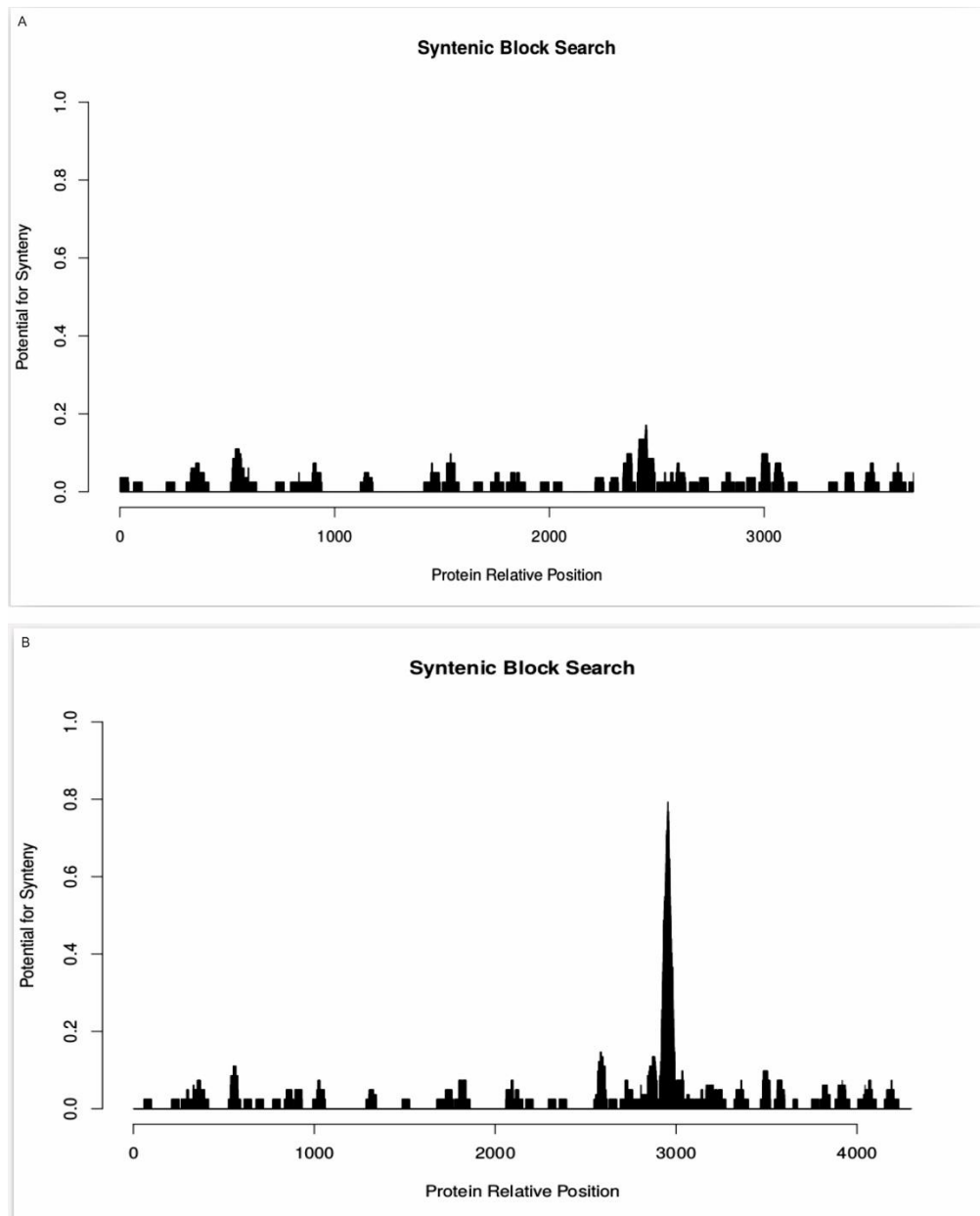
Supplementary Figure 2. Shared Gene Ontology (GO) terms in the response to Fe deficiency between cultivated (*Oryza sativa*) and wild (*Oryza rufipogon*) rice. The figure presents the terms regulated in common and with high level of significance for both species. (A) Up-regulated processes. (B) Down-regulated processes. Blue columns refer to *O. sativa*. Orange columns refer to *O. rufipogon*.



Supplementary Figure 3. Unique Gene Ontology (GO) terms in the response to Fe deficiency between cultivated (*Oryza sativa*) and wild (*Oryza rufipogon*) rice. Exclusive GO terms up and down-regulated by Fe deficiency in (A) *O. sativa* and (B) *O. rufipogon*. The figure presents the terms with high degree of significance for *O. sativa* and *O. rufipogon*. Blue bars represent terms up-regulated, and red bars represent terms down-regulated.



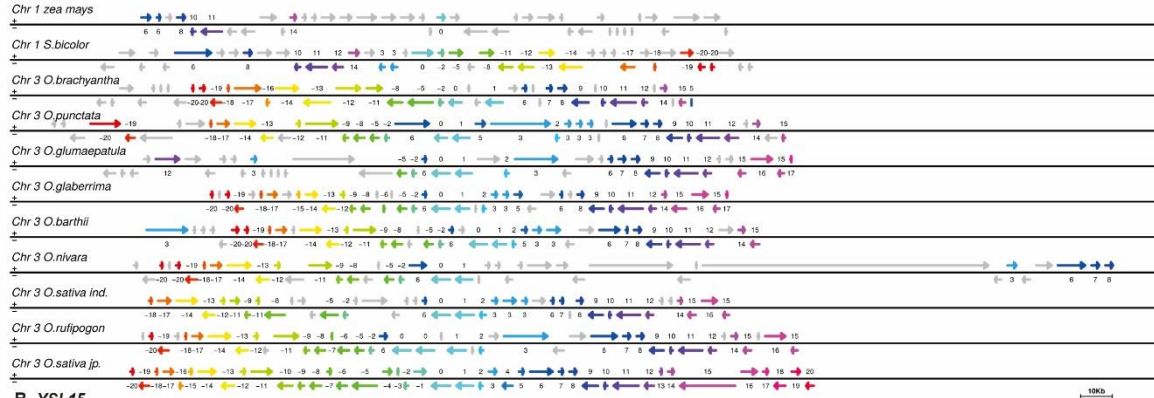
Supplementary Figure 4. Syntenic block search for the *OsIRT1* gene from *Oryza sativa*. A genomic block of *OsIRT1*, composed of 41 genes (20 genes up and 20 genes downstream of *OsIRT1*, plus *OsIRT1*), was employed to search the complete genomes of *Oryza meridionalis* (A) and *Oryza rufipogon* (B). In the *O. meridionalis* genome, no potential syntenic blocks were found (no peak occurs on the y-axis). When the *O. rufipogon* genome was considered as a positive control, potential syntenic blocks were found, indicated by a peak at the protein relative position 3000 (B).



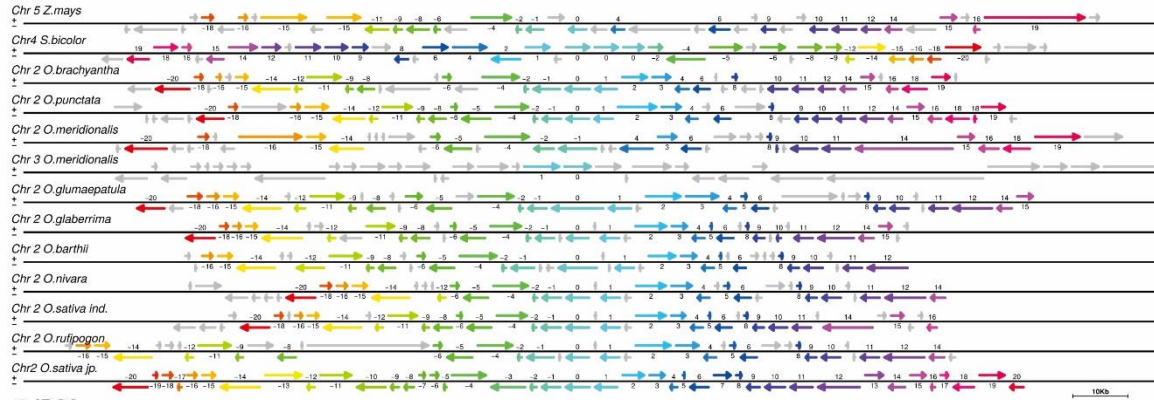
Supplementary Figure 5. Collinearity analyses of Fe deficiency-related genes in *Oryza* spp., maize, and sorghum. Graphs displaying the results from the collinearity analysis, performed through the MCSCanX tool, across the *Oryza* genus, *Zea mays*, and *Sorghum bicolor* gene orthologs. The analyses were performed on genomic segments containing 41 genes. Arrows present the orientation of genes. Numbers represent the genes inside the genomic segments. The target gene (*YSL15*, *IRO2*, *NRAMP1*, or *IRT1*) is represented by number 0. (A) Collinearity analysis for *IRT1*. (B) Collinearity analysis for *YSL15*. (C) Collinearity analysis for *IRO2*. (D) Collinearity analysis for *NRAMP1*.

Genomic collinearity block

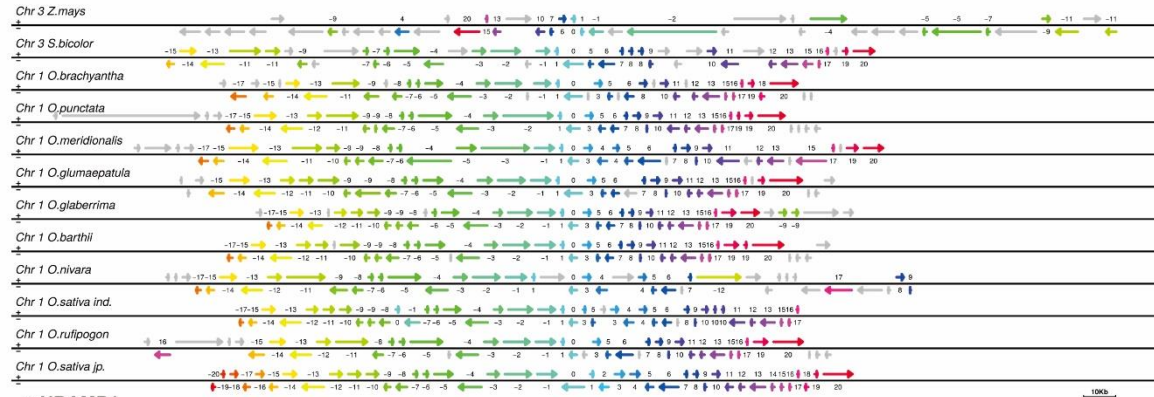
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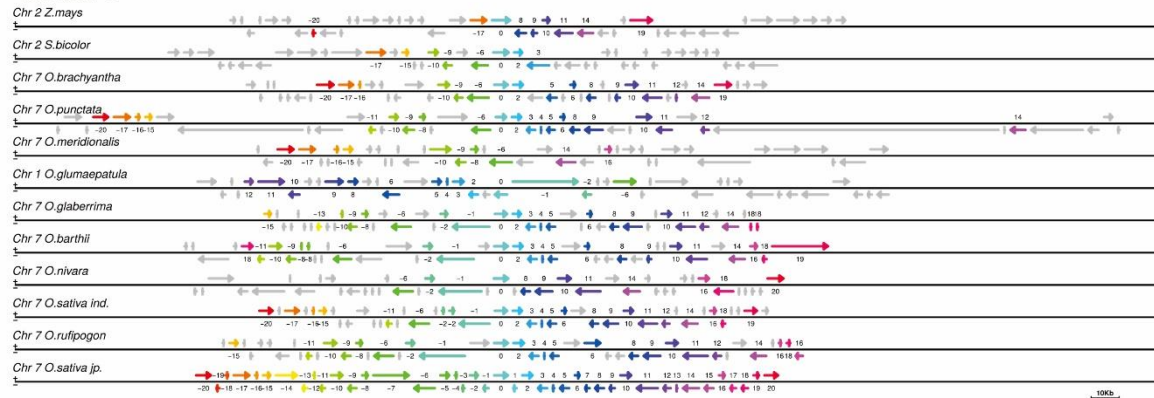
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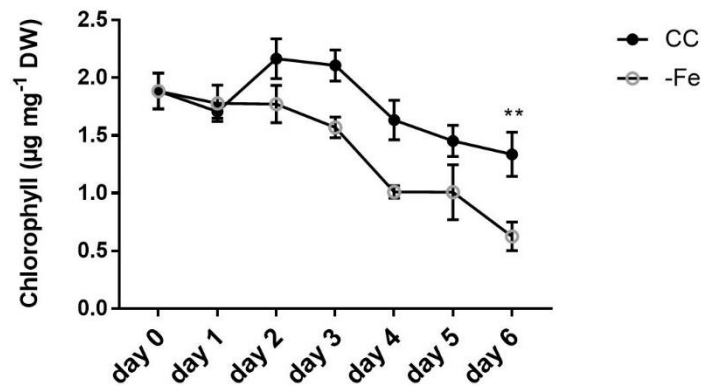
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D NRAMP1



Supplementary Figure 6. Chlorophyll concentration in leaves of *Zea mays* plants grown under control (CC) or Fe deficiency (-Fe) conditions. Chlorophyll concentration ($\mu\text{g}/\text{mg}$ DW). The x -axis represents days after the onset of -Fe treatment. Values are the averages of four samples \pm SE ($n = 4$, 3 plants each). Asterisks indicate statistical difference between plants grown under CC and -Fe conditions (Student t -test, **P-value < 0.01). DW = dry weight.



Supplementary Figure 7. Evaluation of Fe-deficiency symptoms when plants of *Sorghum bicolor* were grown under control (CC) or Fe deficiency (-Fe) conditions. (A) Chlorophyll concentration ($\mu\text{g}/\text{mg}$ DW), ($n = 4$, 3 plants each). (B) Root dry weight (g) ($n = 10$). (C) Shoot dry weight (g) ($n = 10$). The x -axis represents days after the onset of -Fe treatment. Values are the averages of four or ten samples \pm SE. Asterisks indicate statistical difference between plants grown under CC and -Fe conditions (Student t -test, *P-value < 0.05 , **P-value < 0.01 , ****P-value < 0.0001).

