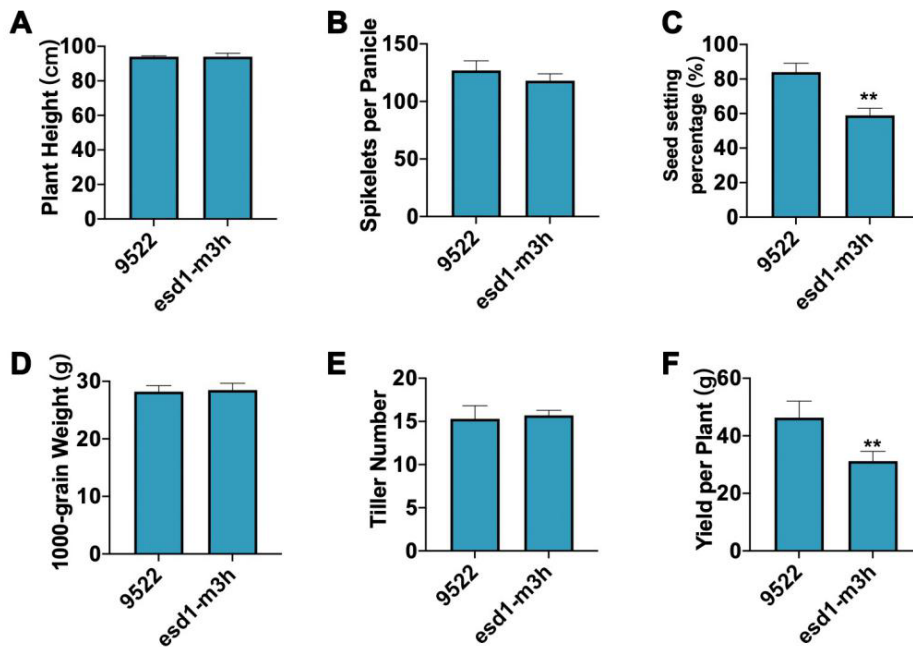


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2 **Supplementary Figure S1.** The seed setting rate of *esd1-m3*. Error bars indicate SD (n=15).

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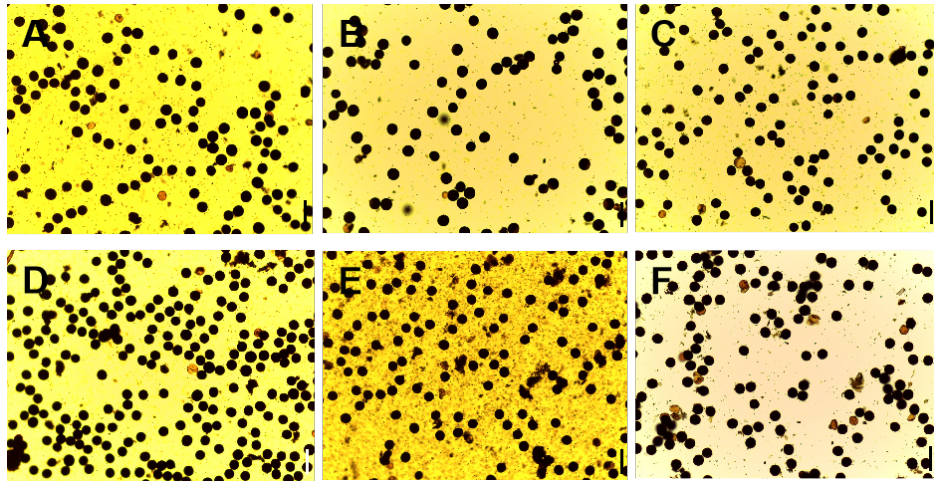
5 **Supplementary Figure S2.** Phenotypic data of *esd1-m3h*. A, Plant height of *esd1-m3h*. B,
 6 Spikelets per panicle of *esd1-m3h*. C, Seed setting rate of *esd1-m3h*. D, 1000-grain weight of
 7 *esd1-m3h*. E, Tiller number of *esd1-m3h*. F, Yield per plant of *esd1-m3h*. Error bars indicate
 8 SD (n=15).

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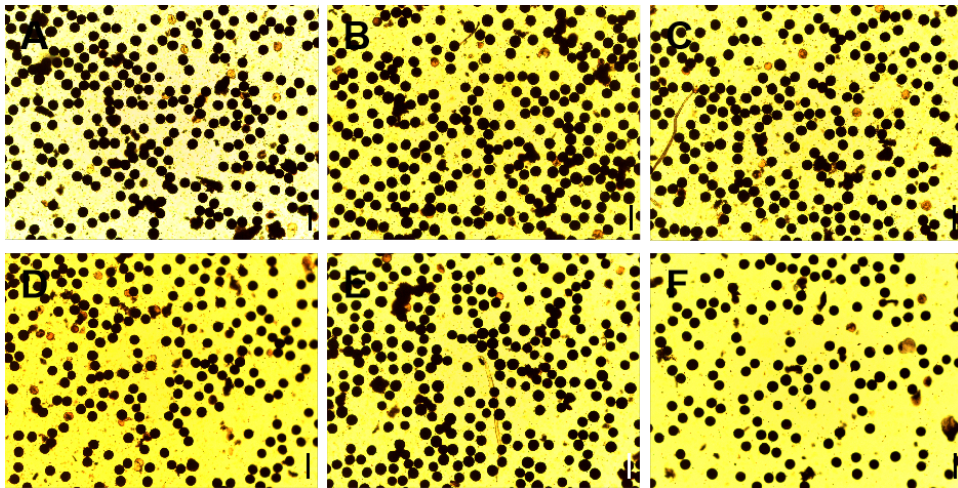
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14 **Supplementary Figure S3.** Effects of photoperiods on the fertility of *esdl* mutants. A, 9522
 15 for long-day treatment. B, *esdl-m1* for long-day treatment. C, *esdl-m2* for long-day treatment.
 16 D, 9522 for short-day treatment. E, *esdl-m1* for short-day treatment. F, *esdl-m2* for short day
 17 treatment. bars=50 μ m.

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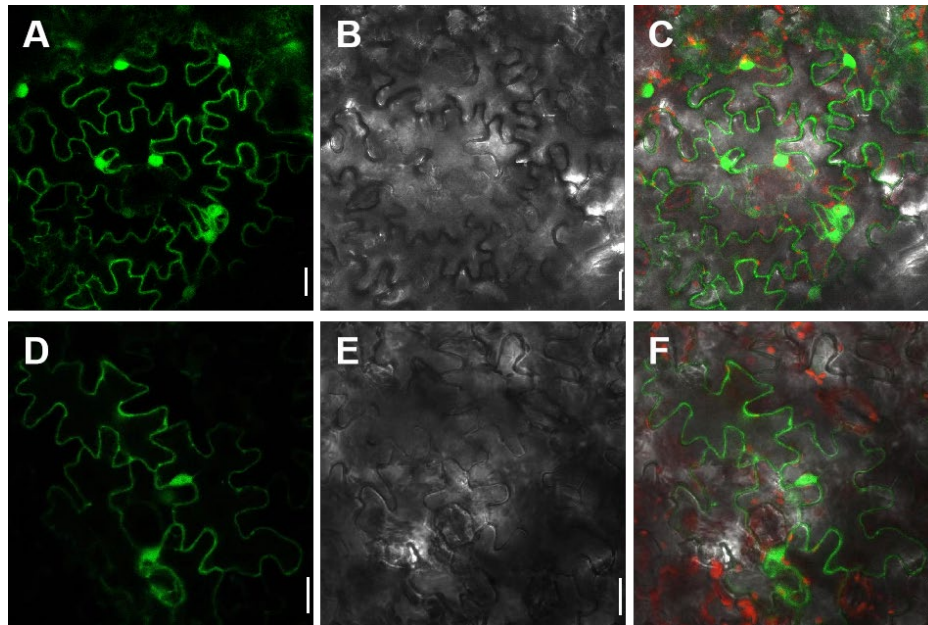
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20 **Supplementary Figure S4.** Effects of temperature treatments on the fertility of *esdl* mutants.
 21 A, 9522 for high-temperature treatment. B, *esdl-m1* for high-temperature treatment. C,
 22 *esdl-m2* for high-temperature treatment. D, 9522 for low-temperature treatment. E, *esdl-m1*
 23 for low-temperature treatment. F, *esdl-m2* for low-temperature treatment. bars=50 μ m.

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28 **Supplementary Figure S5.** The subcellular localization of ESD1 in tobacco. A-C, *p1305-GFP*.
 29 D-F, *p1305-ESD1-GFP*. A, D were the green fluorescent channel. B, E were the bright field
 30 channel. C, F were the green fluorescence + bright field channel. bars=20 μm .

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34 **Supplemental Table S1.** Subcellular localization prediction for ESD1 protein with TargetP

Protein type	Other	Signal peptide	Mitochondrial transfer peptide	Chloroplast transfer peptide	Thylakoid luminal transfer peptide
Likelihood	0.9431	0.002	0.0019	0.0528	0.0001

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Supplemental Table S2. Amplification primers for target sites TS1 and TS2

Primer Names	Sequences (5'-3')
<i>ESD1-U3-F</i>	ggcaGTACCTTGATGATGTCGAGG
<i>ESD1-U3-R</i>	aaacCCTCGACATCATCAAGGTAC
<i>ESD1-U6a-F</i>	gccgGAGTTCCTCAAGTCGATGA
<i>ESD1-U6a-R</i>	aaacTCATCGACTTGAGGAACTC

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Supplemental Table S3. Amplification primers for expression cassettes

Primer Names	Sequences (5'-3')
Uctcg-B1'	TTCAGAggtctcTctcgCACTGGAATCGGCAGCAAAGG
gRctga-B2	AGCGTGggtctcGtcagGGTCCATCCACTCCAAGCTC

Uctga-B2'	TTCAGAggtctcTctgaCACTGGAATCGGCAGCAAAGG
gRcggg-BL	AGCGTGgggtctcGaccgGGTCCATCCACTCCAAGCTC

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Supplemental Table S4. Detection primers for target sites mutation

Primer Names	Sequences (5'-3')
<i>SP1</i>	CCCGACATAGATGCAATAACTTC
<i>SP2</i>	GCGCGGTGTCATCTATGTTACT
<i>ESD1-JC-F</i>	GGGATGATGCCAAGGAAC
<i>ESD1-JC-R</i>	GAGGAGGAGGTCGGTGAA

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Supplemental Table S5. Primers for qRT-PCR reaction

Primer Names	Sequences (5'-3')
<i>ESD1-qP-F</i>	CCTTGATCCGCCGCTGTA
<i>ESD1-qP-R</i>	GGAATCCACGATGGAGTTCG
Action-F	CCTTCAACACCCCTGCTATG
Action-R	CAATGCCAGGGAACATAGTG

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Supplemental Table S6. Primers for *in situ* hybridization

Primer Names	Sequences (5'-3')
<i>ESD1-ish-F</i>	CGGCCTTTCTTGACGACCTT
<i>ESD1-ish-R</i>	GTCCGGGCGACTCAAAGAA

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