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Software and code

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Data collection GC-MS data were collected and analyzed using Agilent MassHunter Workstation Software v.B. 07.01. qRT-PCR data were collected using StepOne v.2.2.2. HPLC data collection was performed using OpenLAB CDS Chemstation Rev. C.01.08[210]. Confocal images were captured with (ZEN)-Black Edition software (Zen2.6, Carl Zeiss Inc).

Data analysis GC-MS data were analyzed using Agilent MassHunter Workstation Software v.B. 07.01, HPLC analysis was performed using Open LAB CDS Chemstation Rev. C.01.08[210], Excel 365 and GraphPad Prism version 9 were used to analyze data, MEGA 7 version 7.0.18 was used for phylogenetic analysis. Confocal microscopy images were analyzed using ZEN 2.6 lite (blue edition).

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Population characteristics

N/A

Recruitment

N/A

Ethics oversight

N/A

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Sample size

A minimum sample size of 3 independent biological experiments was chosen to obtain valid statistical analyses. A sample size of 3 was accepted to be sufficient to perform statistical tests and account for positional effect of transgene in research using transgenic plants.

Data exclusions

No data exclusion

Replication

At least three biological replicates were performed for each experiment. All attempts at replication were successful and all data included in the manuscript.

Randomization

Plants were randomized in greenhouse, and sample orders were randomized during analysis.

Blinding

Blinding is not necessary because results are quantitative for all experiments, and not subjective. Blinding was not possible in these experiments, as samples were analyzed immediately following treatments, and thus the treatment was known to the investigator.

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