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## Table S1. List of important traits dissected by GWAS in rice

Reference	Population	Loci associated with traits
Huang et al. 2010	373 indica accessions	3 loci associated with tiller number, 2 loci associated with grain width, 5 loci associated with grain length, 2 loci associated with spikelet number, 1 locus associated with gelatinization temperature, 3 loci associated with amylose content, 2 loci associated with apiculus color, 3 loci associated with pericarp color, 2 loci associated with 2 hull color, 7 loci associated with heading date, 4 loci associated with drought tolerance, 3 loci associated with seed shattering degree
Huang et al. 2012	950 rice accessions	<ul> <li>2 loci associated with gelatinization temperature, 1 locus associated with hull color, 5 loci associated with grain length, 1 locus associated with grain number, 4 loci associated with grain width, 16 loci associated with heading date, 4 loci associated with amylose content, 4 associated with pericarp color, 3 associated with protein content, 4 associated with associated with grain weight, 1 associated with apiculus color</li> </ul>
Chen et al. 2014	529 rice accessions	634 loci associated with 598 leave metabolites
Yang et al. 2014b	529 accession	5 loci associated with shoot fresh weight, 3 loci associated with shoot dry weight, 22 loci associated with plant height, 1 locus associated with tillers number, 7 loci associated with green leaves area, 11 loci associated with plant compactness, 11 loci associated with grain weight, 1 locus associated with filled spikelets number, 1 locus associated with grain fertility, 21 loci associated with grain length, 10 loci associated with grain length/width ratio, 28 loci associated with grain projected area, 19 loci associated with grain width, 1 locus associated with yield per plant
Wang et al. 2015	529 accession	46 loci associated with chlorophyll content
Chen et al. 2016	502 rice accessions	476 loci associated with 331 grain metabolites
Crowell et al. 2016	242 accessions	489 loci associated with 49 panicle traits
Meyer et al. 2016	93 African rice landraces	11 loci associated with salt tolerance
Si et al. 2016	381 japonica varieties	1 locus associated with grain length
Wang et al. 2016a	203 accessions	1 locus associated with grain length, 1 locus associated with amylose content in rice kernels, 2 loci associated with pericarp color
Yano et al. 2016	176 japonica varieties	12 loci associated with spikelet number, 1 locus associated with panicle number per plant, 5 loci associated with heading date, 3 loci associated with panicle length, 47 loci associated with plant height, 9 loci associated with leaf blade width, 50 loci associated with awn length
Duan et al. 2017	102 indica varieties	3 loci associated with grain width
Gong et al. 2017	10084 F2 lines	12 loci associated with grain length-to-width ratio, 11 loci associated with chalky grain rate
Zhou et al. 2017	533 accessions	23 loci associated with stigma exsertion and related floral traits
Dong et al. 2018	529 rice accessions	62 loci associated with flag leaf angle
Guo et al. 2018	507 rice accessions	470 loci associated with drought resistance
Sun et al. 2018	510 accessions	3 loci associated with mesocotyl length
Xiao et al. 2018	1,033 accessions	5 loci associated with cold tolerance at the booting stage, 8 loci associated with cold tolerance at the seedling stage

Liu et al. 2019	208 rice accessions	16 loci associated with mesocotyl length
Ma et al. 2019	270 rice accessions	5 loci associated with grain length, 4 loci associated with grain width
Tang et al. 2019	117 rice accessions	2 loci associated with nitrogen use efficiency
Yan et al. 2019	127 rice cultivars	12 loci associated with grain Cd accumulation
Zhang et al. 2019	510 accessions	33 loci associated with callus induction rate, 31 loci associated with callus induction speed, 24 loci associated with time of the first callus appearance
Liu et al. 2020	584 rice accessions	27 loci associated with rice blast resistance
Neang et al. 2020	296 accessions	1 locus associated with salt removal in leaf sheaths
Yuan et al. 2020	664 rice accessions	21 loci associated with salt tolerance
Zhang et al. 2020	137 rice accessions	2 loci associated with maximum root length, 2 loci associated with total root weight
Liu et al. 2021	110 rice accessions	1 locus associated with tillering response to nitrogen

## Table S2. List of important traits dissected by GWAS in maize

Reference	Population	Loci associated with traits
Buckler et al. 2009	5000 NAM population	333 loci associated with flowering time
Tian et al. 2011	4892 NAM population	36 loci associated with leaf length, 34 loci associated with leaf width, 30 loci associated with upper leaf angle
Poland et al. 2011	5000 NAM population	29 loci associated with northern leaf blight resistance
Kump et al. 2011	5000 NAM population	32 loci associated with southern leaf blight resistance
Jiao et al. 2012	278 inbred lines	5 loci associated with silk color, 5 loci associated with days to anthesis, 5 loci associated with cob color
Cook et al. 2012	4699 NAM population and 282 inbred lines	21 loci associated with starch content, 26 loci associated with protein content, 22 loci associated with oil content
Li et al. 2013	368 inbred lines	74 loci associated with oil concentration or composition
Strigens et al. 2013	375 inbred lines	19 loci associated with chilling tolerance
Yang et al. 2013	368 inbred lines	48 loci associated with flowering time
Wen et al. 2014	368 inbred lines	1256 loci associated with 501 metabolites in maize kernel
Olukolu et al. 2014	3381 NAM population	44 loci associated with hypersensitive defense response
Thirunavukkarasu et al. 2014	240 inbred lines	28 loci associated with stomatal closure, 15 loci associated with flowering, 5 loci associated with root development, 4 loci associated with detoxification, 2 loci associated with reduced water potential
Yang et al. 2014a	513 inbred lines	6 loci associated with ear length, 2 loci associated with tassel main axis length, 1 locus associated with plant height, 1 locus associated with kernel width, 1 locus associated with ear leaf width
Benke et al. 2015	267 inbred lines	35 loci associated with iron homeostasis
Dell'Acqua et al. 2015	529 inbred lines	3 loci associated with grain yield and 3 loci associated with flowering time
Leiboff et al. 2015	384 inbred lines	51 loci associated with shoot apical meristem volume
Mao et al. 2015	368 inbred lines	1 locus associated with drought tolerance
Mammadov et al. 2015	300 inbred lines	4 loci associated with gray leaf spot resistance
Cui et al. 2016	508 inbred lines	5 loci associated with hush number, 1 locus associated with hush width, 3 loci associated with hush thickness
Li et al. 2016	258 inbred lines	21 loci associated with plant height; 20 loci associated with ear height
Wang et al. 2016b	368 inbred lines	37 loci associated with drought tolerance
Liu et al. 2016	263 inbred lines	4 loci associated with starch content in maize kernels
Adewale et al. 2020	132 inbred lines	11 loci associated with Striga resistance

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