

Supplementary data

Table S1. List of primers used in qRT-PCR experiments on *Brachypodium distachyon*

Gene	Nucleotide sequence	Polarity	Putative function
<i>Bradi4g00660</i>	5'-ACCCTCTACGCTGGTGAGAC-3'	Forward	UBC18 (plant reference gene)
	5'-TTGCTGTAAATGTGCGGATG-3'	Reverse	
<i>Bradi4g41850</i>	5'-CCTGAAGTCCTTTTCCAGCC-3'	Forward	ACT7 (plant reference gene)
	5'-AGGGCAGTGATCTCCTTGCT-3'	Reverse	
<i>Bradi1g39190</i>	5'-TCCGACCAGGCTCTCTAC-3'	Forward	Pathogenesis-related protein PR9
	5'-GGTATGTTCCCCATCTTGAC-3'	Reverse	
<i>Bradi3g47110</i>	5'-CCAAACAATTAAGGAGATCAATTAGAA-3'	Forward	Phenylalanine ammonia-lyase
	5'- CCCGAATACTGGAAAGTAAGATACA-3'	Reverse	