

**Supplementary Table 1.** Homologous genes of tomato MADS-box family genes in Arabidopsis and the references for the study of the functions in homologous genes.

Gene Name	Homologous Gene Reference
<i>SIMBP1/SIGLO1/PI/LePI-B</i>	<i>PISTILLATA</i> [1,2]
<i>SIMBP2/SIGLO2/LePI/TPI</i>	<i>PISTILLATA</i> [1,2]
<i>SIMBP3/ SIAGL11</i>	<i>AGL11</i> [3-5]
<i>SIMBP6/SIAGL6</i>	<i>AGL6</i> [6-8]
<i>SIMBP7/LeFUL2</i>	<i>PISTILLATA</i> [9]
<i>SIMBP8</i>	<i>AGL70</i> [10]
<i>SIMBP10</i>	<i>AGL8</i> [11]
<i>SIMBP11/ AGL15-like</i>	<i>AGL15</i> [12,13]
<i>SIMBP13</i>	- -
<i>SIMBP14</i>	<i>AGL20</i> [14]
<i>SIMBP15</i>	<i>AGL70</i> [10]
<i>SIMBP18/SIFYFL</i>	<i>AGL42</i> [15]
<i>SIMBP19</i>	<i>AGL42</i> [15]
<i>SIMBP20</i>	<i>AGL7/AP1</i> [16-19]
<i>SIMBP21</i>	<i>AGL3</i> [20]
<i>SIMBP22</i>	<i>AGL32/TT16</i> [21,22]
<i>SIMBP23/TDR3</i>	- -
<i>SIMBP24</i>	<i>AGL22/SVP</i> [23-26]
<i>SIMBP25</i>	- -
<i>TAG1</i>	<i>AGAMOUS</i> [27-30]
<i>TAGL1</i>	<i>AGL1</i> [31]
<i>TAGL2</i>	<i>AGL9</i> [32]
<i>TAGL11</i>	<i>AGL11</i> [3-5]
<i>TAGL12</i>	<i>AGL12</i> [33]
<i>TAP3/LeAP3/LeDEF</i>	<i>AP3</i> [34]
<i>MADS-RIN</i>	<i>AGL2</i> [35]
<i>MADS-MC</i>	<i>AGL79</i>
<i>JOINTLESS</i>	<i>AGL22/SVP</i> [23-26]
<i>LeAP1</i>	<i>AGL10/CAL</i> [36,37]
<i>TM4/TDR4/LeFUL1</i>	<i>AGL79</i> [38]
<i>TM5/TDR5/LeSEP3</i>	<i>AGL9</i> [32]
<i>TM6/TDR6</i>	<i>AGL32/TT16</i> [21,22]
<i>TM8/TDR8</i>	- -
<i>SIMADS1</i>	<i>AGL3</i> [20]
<i>SIMADS2</i>	<i>AGL62</i> [39]
<i>SIMADS3</i>	<i>AGL62</i> [39]
<i>SIMADS4</i>	<i>AGL62</i> [39]
<i>SIMADS5</i>	<i>AGL40</i> -
<i>SIMADS6/ TM29/LeSEP1</i>	<i>AGL4</i> 45
<i>SIMADS7</i>	<i>AGL98</i> -
<i>SIMADS8</i>	<i>AGL98</i> -
<i>SIMADS9</i>	<i>AGL61</i> 46
<i>SIMADS10</i>	<i>AGL62</i> [39]
<i>SIMADS11</i>	<i>AGL104</i> -

Gene Name	Homologous Gene Reference	
<i>SIMADS12</i>	AGL57	-
<i>SIMADS13</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS14</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS15</i>	AGL61	-
<i>SIMADS16</i>	AGL57	-
<i>SIMADS17</i>	AGL57	-
<i>SIMADS18</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS19</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS20</i>	AGL61	-
<i>SIMADS21</i>	AGL57	-
<i>SIMADS22</i>	AGL29	-
<i>SIMADS23</i>	AGL29	-
<i>SIMADS24</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS25</i>	AGL20	14
<i>SIMADS26</i>	AGL40	-
<i>SIMADS27</i>	AGL61	-
<i>SIMADS28</i>	AGL29	-
<i>SIMADS29</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS30</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS31</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS32</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS33</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS34</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS35</i>	AGL50	-
<i>SIMADS36</i>	AGL49	-
<i>SIMADS37</i>	AGL45	-
<i>SIMADS38</i>	AGL60	-
<i>SIMADS39</i>	AGL60	-
<i>SIMADS40</i>	AGL60	-
<i>SIMADS41</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS42</i>	AGL23	[40]
<i>SIMADS43</i>	AGL103	-
<i>SIMADS44</i>	AGL80	[41,42]
<i>SIMADS45</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS46</i>	AGL79	-
<i>SIMADS47</i>	AGL14	[43,44]
<i>SIMADS48</i>	AGL66	-
<i>SIMADS49</i>	AGL66	-
<i>SIMADS50</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS51</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS52</i>	AGL65	-
<i>SIMADS53</i>	-	-
<i>SIMADS54</i>	-	-
<i>SIMADS55</i>	AGL62	[39]
<i>SIMADS56</i>	AGL80	[41,42]
<i>SIMADS57</i>	AGL47	-

Gene Name	Homologous Gene Reference	
<i>SiMADS58</i>	AGL92	-
<i>SiMADS59</i>	AGL92	-
<i>SiMADS60</i>	AGL92	-
<i>SiMADS61</i>	AGL61	-
<i>SiMADS62</i>	AGL86	-
<i>SiMADS63</i>	AGL48	-
<i>SiMADS64</i>	AGL96	-
<i>SiMADS65</i>	AGL96	-
<i>SiMADS66</i>	AGL46	-
<i>SiMADS67</i>	AGL80	[41,42]
<i>SiMADS68</i>	AGL38	-
<i>SiMADS69</i>	AGL80	[41,42]
<i>SiMADS70</i>	AGL79	[38]
<i>SiMADS71</i>	AGL66	-
<i>SiMADS72</i>	AGL94	-
<i>SiMADS73</i>	AGL24	[45,46]
<i>SiMADS74</i>	AGL79	[38]
<i>SiMADS75</i>	AGL66	-
<i>SiMADS76</i>	AGL94	-
<i>SiMADS77</i>	-	-
<i>SiMADS78</i>	AGL104	-
<i>SiMADS79</i>	AGL19	[47-49]
<i>SiMADS80</i>	AGL16	[49]
<i>SiMADS81</i>	AGL44	[50]
<i>SiMADS82</i>	AGL22/SVP	[23]
<i>SiMADS83</i>	AGL44	[50]
<i>SiMADS84</i>	AGL18	60-82
<i>SiMADS85</i>	AGL22/SVP	[23-26]
<i>SiMADS86</i>	AGL22/SVP	[23-26]
<i>SiMADS87</i>	AGL104	-
<i>SiMADS88</i>	AGL42	[15]
<i>SiMADS89</i>	AGL21	[51,52]
<i>SiMADS90</i>	AGL12	[33]
<i>SiMADS91</i>	AGL31	[53,54]
<i>SiMADS92</i>	AGL6	[6-8]
<i>SiMADS93</i>	AGL44	[50]
<i>SiMADS94</i>	AGL44	[50]
<i>SiMADS95</i>	AGL44	[50]
<i>SiMADS96</i>	AGL22/SVP	[23-26]
<i>SiMADS97</i>	AGL16	[54]
<i>SiMADS98/SICMB1</i>	AGL22/SVP	[23-26]

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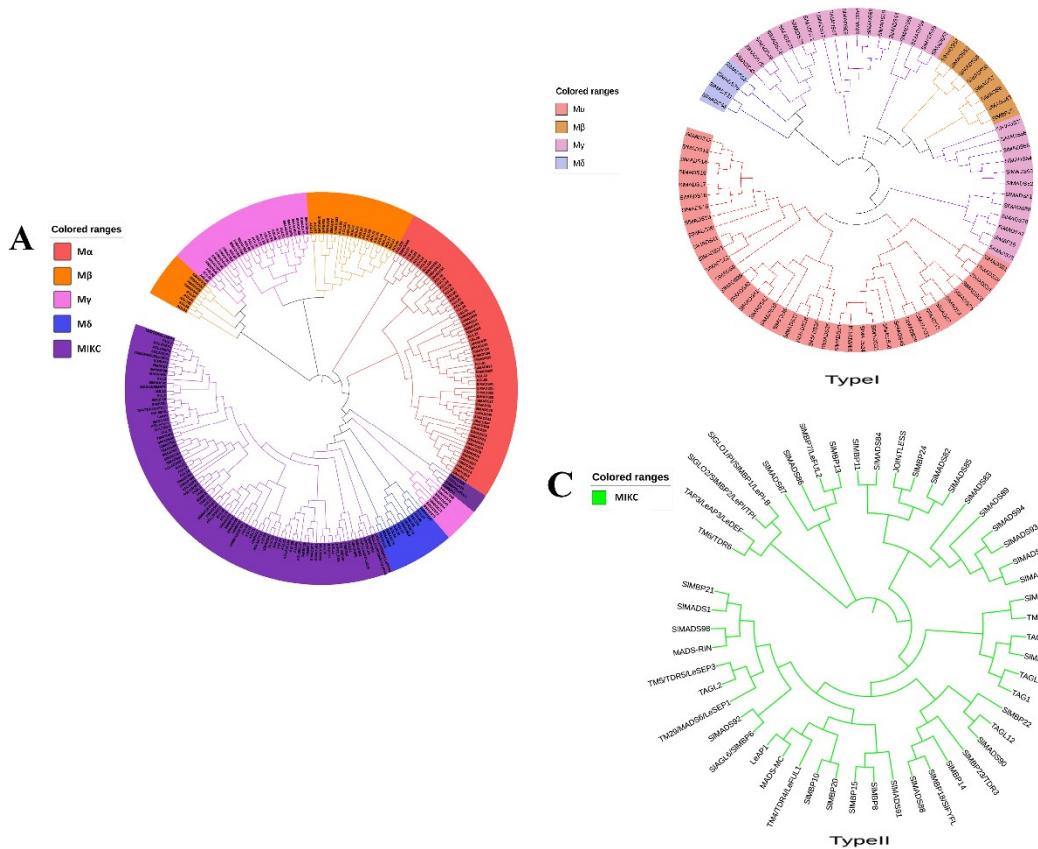
**Supplementary Table 2.** Floral organ identity genes and their homologous genes in petunia.

Genes Class	Genes Name	Homologous Gene
Class A	<i>MC</i> , <i>SIMBP20</i>	<i>PFG</i> , <i>FBP26</i> , <i>FBP29</i>
Class B	<i>TAP3</i> , <i>TM6</i> , <i>TPI</i> , <i>SIGLO1</i>	<i>TM6</i> , <i>PMADS1/GP</i> , <i>PMADS2</i> , <i>FBP1</i>
Class C	<i>TAG1</i> , <i>TAGL1</i>	<i>PMADS3</i> , <i>FBP6</i> , <i>FBP24</i>
Class D	<i>SIMBP3</i> , <i>SIMBP22</i>	<i>FBP11</i> , <i>FBP7</i>
Class E	<i>TAGL2</i> , <i>TM5</i> , <i>SIMADS1</i> , <i>SIMBP21</i> , <i>SIAGL6</i>	<i>FBP2</i> , <i>FBP4</i> , <i>FBP5</i> , <i>FBP9</i> , <i>FBP23</i> , <i>PMADS4</i> , <i>PMADS12</i>

**Supplementary Table 3.** Primers for PCR amplification and quantification. All the primers we used were designed by Primer premier 5.0 software.

Primer Names	Sequences (5' → 3')
MC-Q-F	AAGTAGCAGAACGAAAGGAGGA
MC-Q-R	CAAGCGATTAGCAAAGAGTGA
MBP20-Q-F	GAAGCTAAAAGAAAATGAGAAGACACA
MBP20-Q-R	GTAAGGTTAGGAAGTTGGTGGTGAG
TAP3-Q-F	TATAAGTCCCTCAATCACGACCA
TAP3-Q-R	GATCATTAGGCTTCATCCCAC
TM6-Q-F	CTACAACCATTGCACCCCAAT
TM6-Q-R	CAGGAGAGACGTAGATCACGAGAA
TPI-Q-F	TCTGGGAGGAGACTATGGGATG
TPI-Q-R	TCAGACTGCTTGGCACTGATACTA
GLO1-Q-F	GCTTACTGGAAGAAGATTGTGGG
GLO1-Q-R	CTCATTCTGTTTCACGGATACC

Primer Names	Sequences (5' → 3')
TAG1-Q-F	ATGAACCTTGATGCCAGGGAGT
TAG1-Q-R	GGGGTTGGTCTTGTCTAGGGTA
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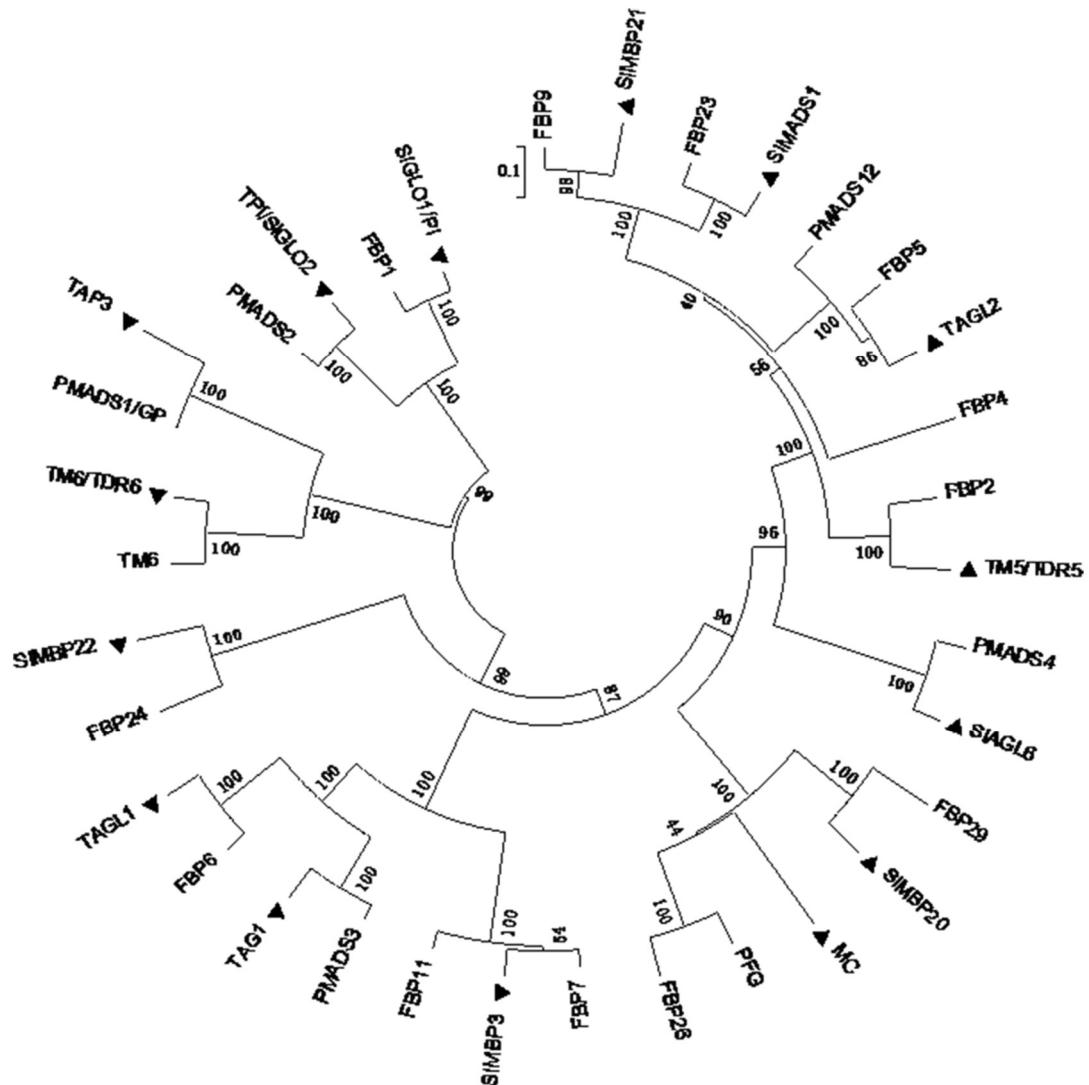


**Supplementary Figure 1.** Phylogenetic trees. (A) Phylogenetic relationship of MADS-box proteins between tomato and Arabidopsis. Five classes are represented by branches of different colors, including M $\alpha$  (red), M $\beta$  (orange), M $\gamma$  (pink), M $\delta$  (blue), and MIKC (purple). Phylogenetic tree of type I (B) and type II (C) MADS-box domain protein in tomato plants. The phylogenetic tree was

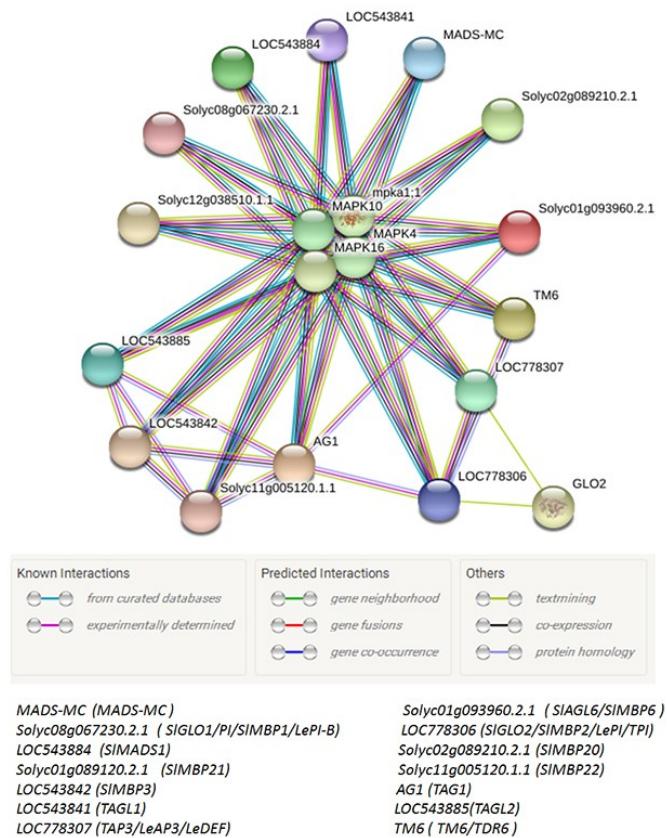
generated using MEGA 5.02 software and the neighbor-joining method with the following parameters: bootstrap analysis of 1,000 replicates, Poisson model, and pairwise deletion.

Logo	Name	Alt. Name
1.	IKRIENKTSRQVTFSKRRNGLKKAKELSVLCDAEVAAJIIFS	MEME-1
2.	LQRCSRHLLEDLGGGLSLKELZNLEKQE	MEME-2
3.	PTGKLYEFSSPSSME	MEME-3
4.	KRIRSRKTQJMLEEISELQKKEKLLEEN	MEME-4
5.	MGRGKI	MEME-5
6.	YLDQMEETRKQWWESIEQLNEDEVSKEAWLNVTFSKMHH	MEME-6
7.	VISRFQNPDMLSESTHAAVEARNKVNQLTKLEELDIRE	MEME-7
8.	PPNNNDVHNQLIVAHREAGIRENLTKLMNJEGELEMEKKRGE	MEME-8
9.	SLFKKASELSILCDIKVAlII	MEME-9
10.	PGKIQPITWKSASLAQDVLTTRYLgFEFKRLNKLVTEDYLOKKDKKEE	MEME-10

**Supplementary Figure 2.** Multilevel consensus sequence among MADS-box genes in tomato were identified by MEME.



**Supplementary Figure 3.** Phylogenetic tree of floral organ identity genes in tomato and *Petunia hybrida*. Floral organ identity genes in tomato are marked with black triangles. Accession numbers for other proteins are listed as follows: PFG(AF176782), FBP26(AF176783), FBP29(AF335245), TM6(AF230704), PMADS1/GP(DQ539416), PMADS2(X69947), FBP1(M91190), PMADS3(X72912), FBP6(X68675), FBP24(AF335242), FBP11(X81852), FBP7(X81651), FBP2(M91666), FBP4(AF335234), FBP5(AF335235), FBP9(AF335236), FBP23(AF335241), PMADS4(AB031035), PMADS12(AY370527).



**Supplementary Figure 4.** Protein-Protein interaction networks of floral organ identity genes. The fifteen tomato MADS-box proteins, involved in floral organ development were analyzed STRING software. Edges represent protein-protein associations.