

Figure S1. The relative expression levels of *OsaCAs* of rice in flag leaves. The total RNA of flag leaves was extracted to analyze the expression of alpha carbonic anhydrases of rice by qRT-PCR, consisting of *OsaCA1*, *OsaCA2*, *OsaCA3*, *OsaCA4*, *OsaCA5*, *OsaCA6*, *OsaCA7*, *OsaCA8*, *OsaCA9*, *OsaCA10* and *OsaCA11*, with *Ubiquitin* as control. Values are shown as means \pm SEM, where $n = 3$.

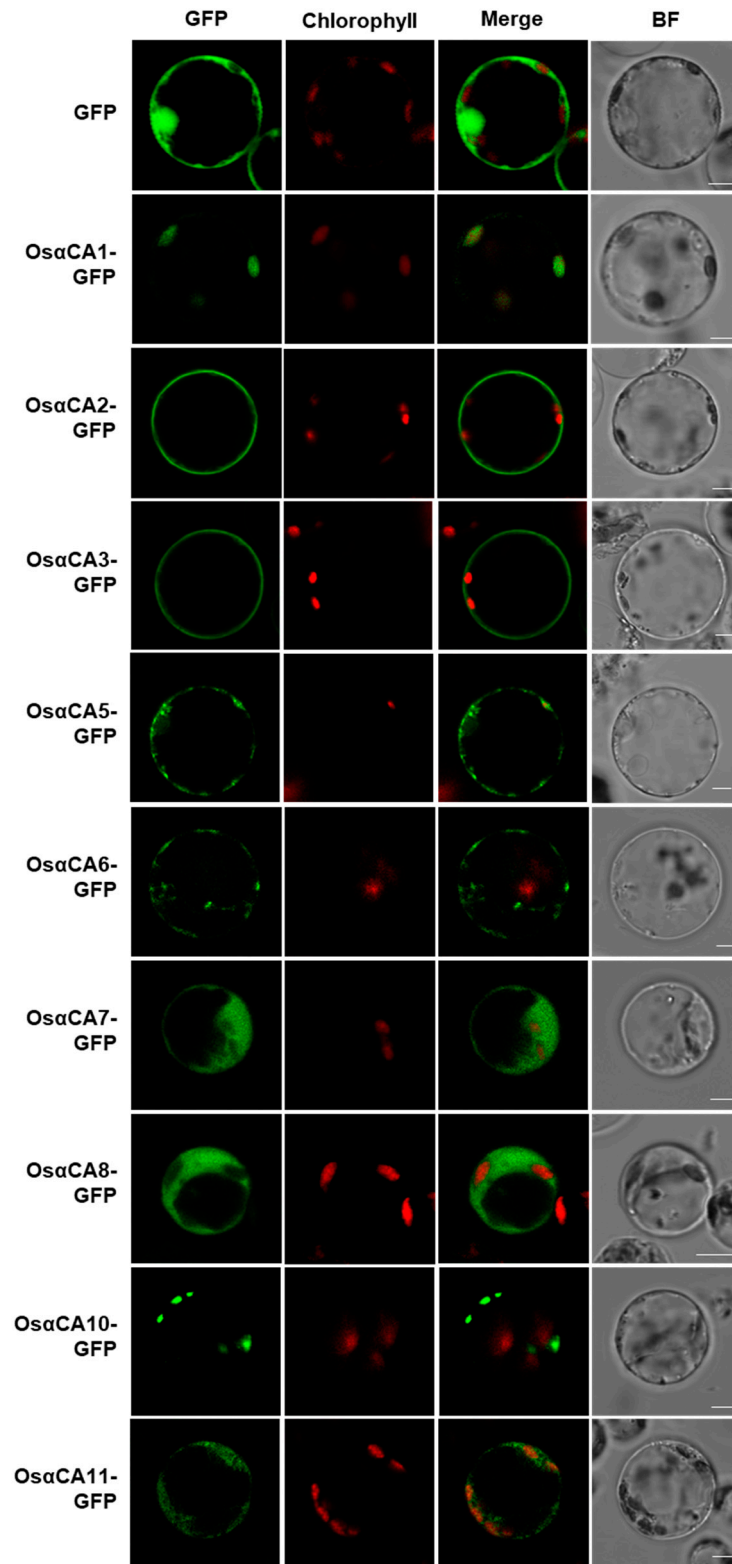


Figure S2. The subcellular localization of OsaCAs in rice. GFP—the view via GFP fluorescence; BF—the view via bright-field microscopy; chlorophyll—the view of chloroplast autofluorescence; and Merge—the merged view of GFP and chlorophyll. Scale bars: 5 μ m. Scale bars: 5 μ m.

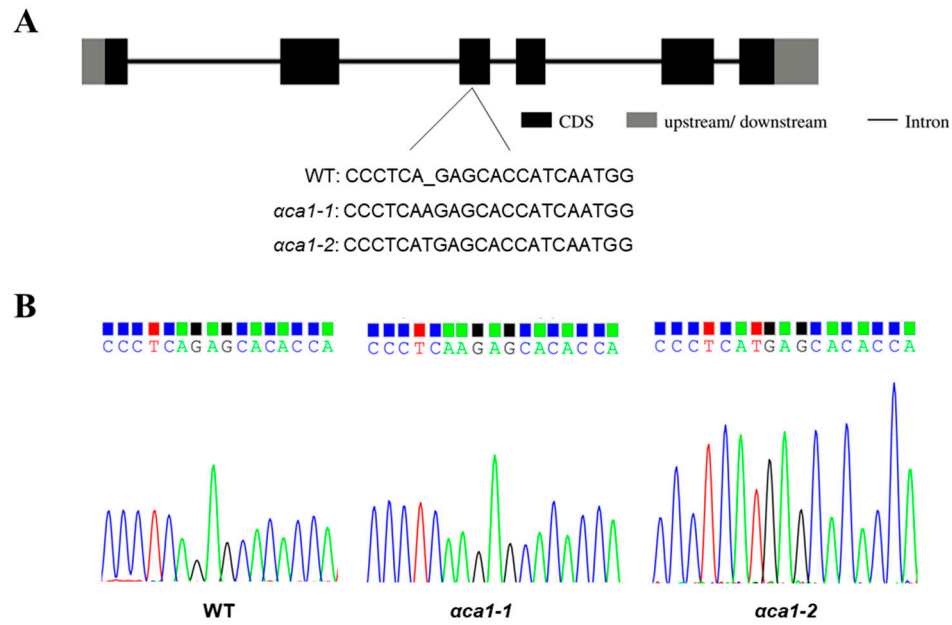


Figure S3. The gene structure and gene editing of *OsaCA1*. (A) The gene structure of *OsaCA1* and CRISPR/Cas9 editing method in *aca1* mutants. Input the CDS sequence and genomic sequence of *OsaCA1* in GSDS (<http://gsds.cbi.pku.edu.cn/>), and get the gene structure. The black rectangle represents the exons; the gray rectangle represents upstream or downstream; and the black line represents introns. B. The DNA sequencing of *OsaCA1* genome in *aca1* mutants.

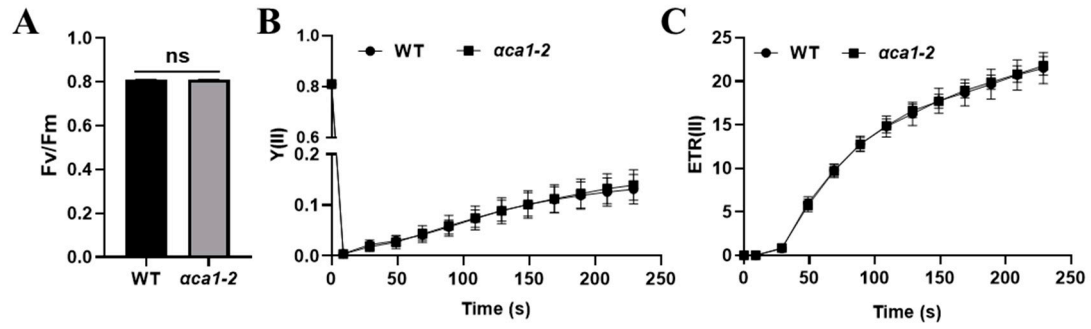


Figure S4. The activity of PSII in *aca1-2* was not affected. (A) The maximum photochemical quantum efficiency of PSII in WT and *aca1-2*. Values are shown as means \pm SEM determined via Student's *t*-test, where ns indicates no significant difference, and $n \geq 10$. (B–C) The slow chlorophyll fluorescence induction kinetics of WT and *aca1-2*. (B) Actual photochemical quantum efficiency; (C) electron transport rate. The first fully expanded leaves of 2-week-old seedlings were measured. All values are shown as means \pm SEM determined via Student's *t*-test, and $n \geq 18$. There were no significant differences between WT and *aca1-2*.

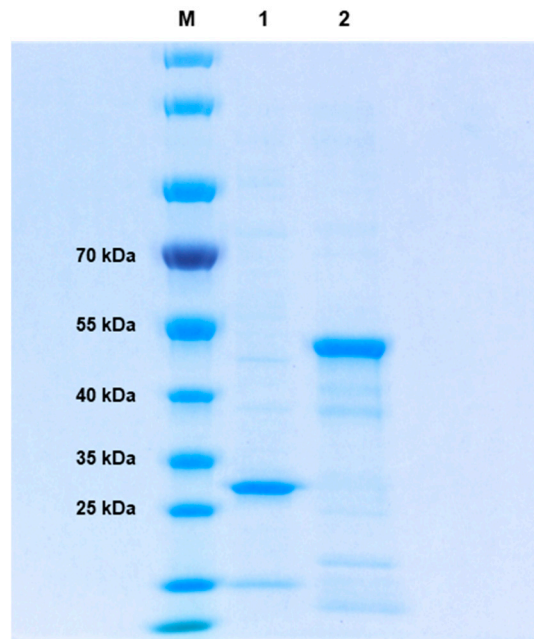


Figure S5. The purified protein with SDS-PAGE showed a bright target band. M represents the protein marker with the molecular weight at left. 1: GST protein; 2: GST-Os α CA1 fusion protein.

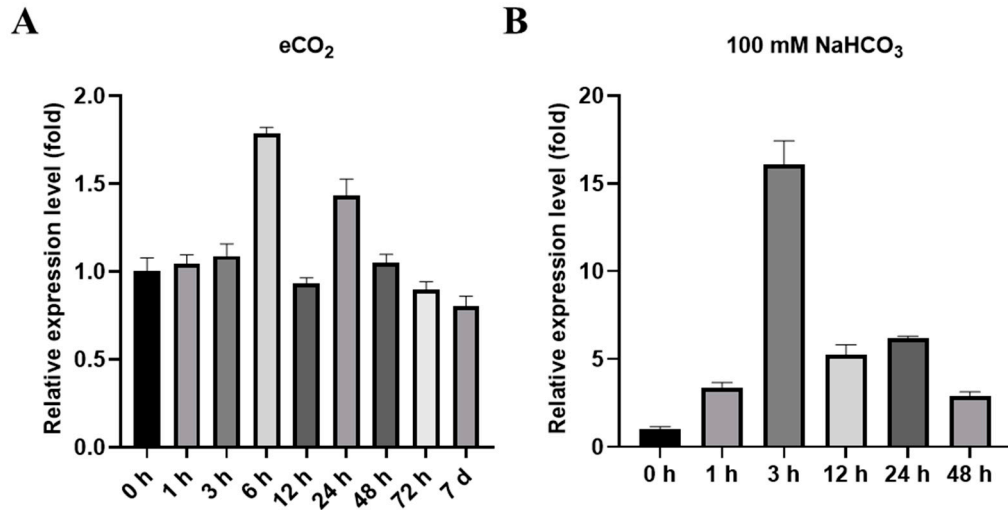


Figure S6. The expression of *OsaCA1* gene was induced by elevated CO₂ and HCO₃⁻ treatment. (A) The relative expression of *OsaCA1* with elevated CO₂ treatment (eCO₂). 10-day-old seedlings were treated with 1000 ppm CO₂ to detect the expression level of *OsaCA1* after 0 h, 1 h, 3 h, 6 h, 12 h, 24 h, 48 h, 72 h and 7 d. *Ubiquitin* was used as the control. Values are shown as means ± SEM, and *n* = 3. (B) The relative expression of *OsaCA1* with 100 mM NaHCO₃ treatment. 10-day-old seedlings were treated with 100 mM NaHCO₃ to detect the expression level of *OsaCA1* after 0 h, 1 h, 3 h, 12 h, 24 h and 48 h. *Ubiquitin* was the control. Values are shown as means ± SEM, and *n* = 3.

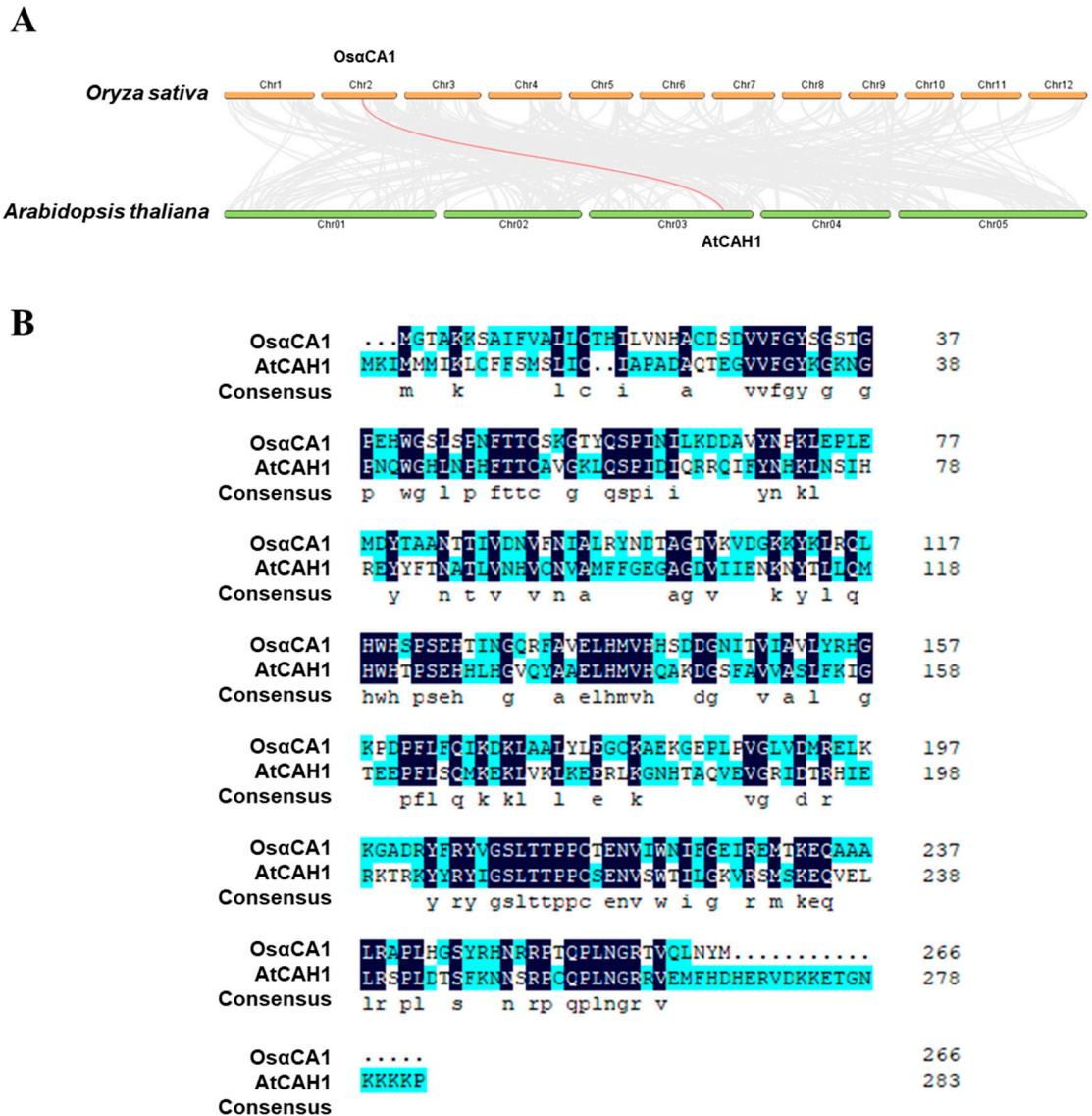


Figure S7. OsaCA1 was the homolog of AtCAH1 in rice. (A) The collinearity analysis of rice and Arabidopsis. Orange round-corner rectangles represent 12 chromosomes in rice; green round-corner rectangles represent 5 chromosomes in Arabidopsis; and the linked red line represents the collinearity of the two proteins. (B) The protein sequence alignment of OsaCA1 and AtCAH1. The protein sequences were aligned by DNAMAN, and different background colors represented different similarity levels.

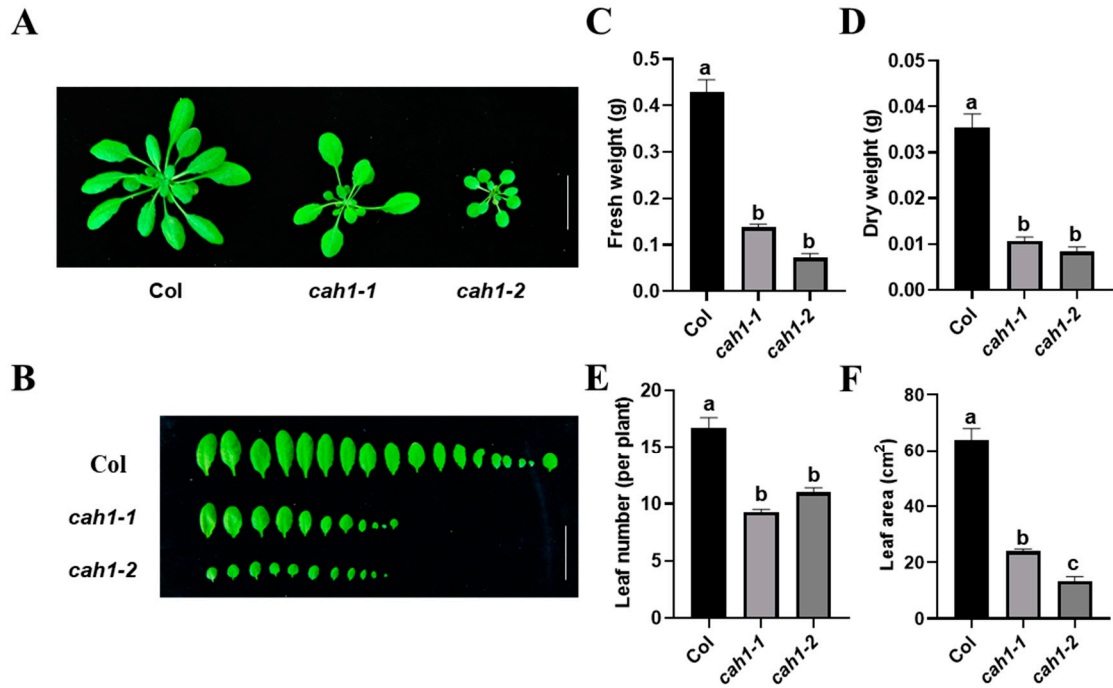


Figure S8. The knockout of *AtCAH1* inhibited plant growth. (A) The representative image of plant growth of Columbia (Col) and *cah1* mutants. Scale bar, 3 cm. (B) The representative image of rosette leaves of Col and *cah1* mutants. Scale bar, 3 cm. (C) Fresh weight of Col and *cah1* mutants. (D) Dry weight of Col and *cah1* mutants. (E) Leaf number per plant of Col and *cah1* mutants. (F) Leaf area of Col and *cah1* mutants. Values are shown as means \pm SEM determined via one-way ANOVA, where different letters indicate a significant difference, $p < 0.05$, $n = 9$.

Table S1. Primers for qRT-PCR used in this study.

Gene ID	Primer name	Sequence (5' to 3')
LOC_Os02g33030	A1-RT-F	CGACACCTCCATGCACCGAA
	A1-RT-R	GGTGCGACCATTGAGTGGCT
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	A2-RT-R	GCAGCGCGACGTTGAAGATG
LOC_Os08g32750	A3-RT-F	GCAGATGCACTGGCACACG
	A3-RT-R	CCTGGTTCTGGGCGTTGAGG
LOC_Os08g32780	A4-RT-F	CAGCTCCGGCAAATGCACTG
	A4-RT-R	GGGTGGTGCCGATGGTGTAG
LOC_Os08g32840	A5-RT-F	GGCGGGCTGGTGATTAACGG
	A5-RT-R	GCGGTCTGGTTCTGGGTGTT
LOC_Os08g36630	A6-RT-F	TCATCAACGGCACC GCCTAC
	A6-RT-R	CCTTCTTCTCGGCGCTCTCG
LOC_Os08g36680	A7-RT-F	CCGAGATGGGCCAAGTGCAA
	A7-RT-R	TAGCCGAGGTTGCGCATCAG
LOC_Os09g28130	A8-RT-F	ACAACACCGCCTTGCACTGA
	A8-RT-R	GGCCGTGCATTTGGTTCCAC
LOC_Os09g28150	A9-RT-F	CACAAGGAGTGGGCCGTCTG
	A9-RT-R	CCGGCCTTGTAGGCTTGCAT
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	A10-RT-R	TGCTGTTGGGCGGGTTGTAG
LOC_Os12g05730	A11-RT-F	ACACGCTGGACCGCAACTAC
	A11-RT-R	CCAGTGGATCGCCTGGAACC
LOC_Os09g27930	UBQ-RT-F	ACCCTGGCTGACTACAACATC
	UBQ-RT-R	AGTTGACAGCCCTAGGGTG
LOC_Os02g47020	Prkase-RT-F	GAACAGGTCTCTTCCAAACT
	Prkase-RT-R	TTAAACTTTTGCCGCTTCAG
LOC_Os04g16680	SBPase-RT-F	TCTCATGTCTGCAAGTATGC
	SBPase-RT-R	TCGAATGCTACACTGAAACC
LOC_Os01g64660	FBPase-RT-F	CTCTTGAGGACGTGTTACAG
	FBPase-RT-R	GATCAAGTGTGAAGCCATTG

Table S2. Primers used for vector construction in this study.

Gene ID	Primer name	Sequence (5' to 3')	Purpose
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	A3-GFP-R	GCTCACCATGGATCCGTTGTTG ATGAGAGGGAGAGGA	
LOC_Os08g32840	A5-GFP-F	GACTCTAGAGGATCCATGCATC GCGCACGCC	
	A5-GFP-R	GCTCACCATGGATCCTACGTTG ATCAGAGGGAGAGGAAT	
LOC_Os08g36630	A6-GFP-F	GACTCTAGAGGATCCATGGGTT CGACTCGCCTC	
	A6-GFP-R	GCTCACCATGGATCCATAGCGT TTATGAGGGTAAGGC	
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LOC_Os09g28130	A8-GFP-F	GACTCTAGAGGATCCATGGCGC CACATTTCAAGAA	
	A8-GFP-R	GCTCACCATGGATCCAACCTTCA AAGTACCTCACAATTC	
LOC_Os11g05520	A10-GFP-F	GACTCTAGAGGATCCATGGCGC AGATGGAGTTC	
	A10-GFP-R	GCTCACCATGGATCCGACCTTG AAGGAGATGGTGC	
LOC_Os12g05730	A11-GFP-F	GACTCTAGAGGATCCATGGTGT CTCTCCGCGC	
	A11-GFP-R	GCTCACCATGGATCCCTTGGCG AATTCCTGGAAG	
LOC_Os02g33030	A1-GFP-F	GACTCTAGAGGATCCATGGGGA CTGCTAAGAAAAGTG	Protein purification
	A1-GFP-R	GCTCACCATGGATCCCATGTAA TTGAGCTGCACGGT	
	SP-GFP-R	GCTCACCATGGATCCTGCATGG TTCACAAGAATGT	
	CA-GFP-F	GACTCTAGAGGATCCATGTGTG ACAGTGATGTGGTA	
	GST-A1-F	GTTCCGCGTGGATCCATGGGGA CTGCTAAGAAAAGTG	
	GST-A1-R	TCGACCCGGGAATTCTTACATG TAATTGAGCTGCACG	