

**Table S2.** Comparison of pollen size among the normal or giant pollens in diploid and autotetraploid Meiwa kumquat. Different letters denote significant differences at  $P < 0.05$  by Tukey's multiple comparison test ( $n = 10$ ).

Strain	Ploidy level	Type of pollen	Size of pollen ( $\mu\text{m}$ )
Meiwa kumquat	2x	normal	23.3 b
		giant	27.3 a
Autotetraploid Meiwa kumquat	4x	normal	27.0 a