

Supplementary Figures

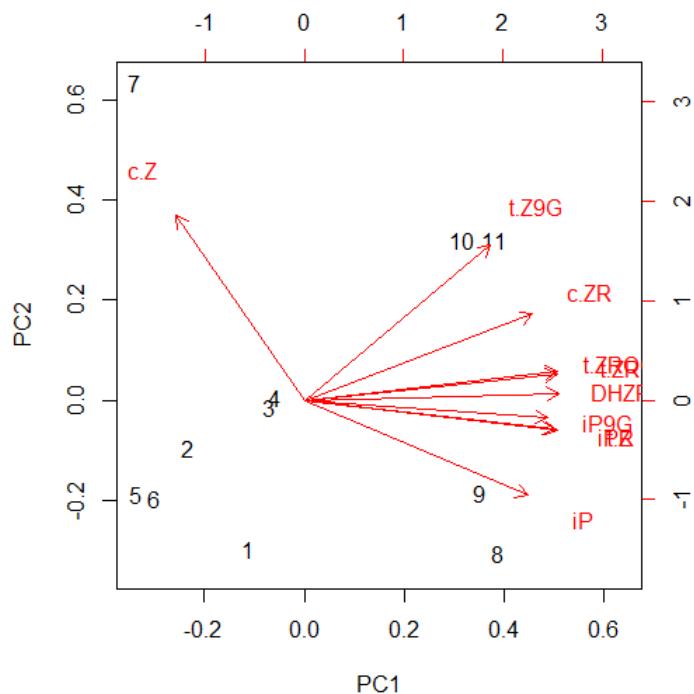


Figure S1: Cytokinin biplot at 16 weeks after mid bloom. Numbers 1-3 are low carbohydrate supply kiwifruit, numbers 4-7 are untreated control fruit, and numbers 8-11 are high carbohydrate supply fruit.

| Gene name | Gene model | Expression level (base mean) | Log2 fold-change | | |
|--|------------|---------------------------------|------------------|------------|-------------|
| | | | 8 | 12 | 16 |
| Histidine kinase | | | | | |
| AHK2.1 | Acc14922.1 | 419.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 1.0 |
| AHK3.1 | Acc11804.1 | 47.0 | 0.2 | -0.3 | 0.3 |
| AHK3.2 | Acc11805.1 | 140.9 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.4 |
| AHK3.3 | Acc14294.1 | 676.8 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 |
| AHK3.4 | Acc32738.1 | 690.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.3 |
| AHK3.5 | Acc06165.1 | 533.3 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.9 |
| AHK4.1 | Acc28323.1 | 65.7 | 0.2 | -0.1 | 0.3 |
| AHK4.2 | Acc08110.1 | 59.1 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.7 |
| AHK4.3 | Acc08111.1 | 34.9 | 0.1 | -0.6 | 0.7 |
| Histidine-containing phosphotransfer protein | | | | | |
| AHP1.1 | Acc15213.1 | 104.9 | -0.2 | 0.1 | -0.2 |
| AHP1.2 | Acc17231.1 | 185.4 | 0.1 | 0.9 | 0.1 |
| AHP1.3 | Acc19586.1 | 41.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 | -0.4 |
| AHP1.4 | Acc27271.1 | 93.1 | -0.1 | 0.0 | -0.3 |
| AHP1.5 | Acc31641.1 | 64.7 | -0.1 | 0.0 | -0.1 |
| AHP1.6 | Acc04324.1 | 39.2 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 |
| AHP1.7 | Acc09459.1 | 252.2 | -0.1 | 1.5 | 2.3 |
| AHP4.1 | Acc12680.1 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.3 |
| AHP4.2 | Acc17743.1 | 0.5 | -1.0 | 0.2 | -0.8 |
| AHP4.3 | Acc28626.1 | 12.5 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 0.4 |

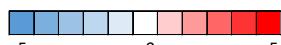
Log2 fold-change

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Figure S2: Heat-map of kiwifruit multistep phosphorelay (MSP) pathway genes: cytokinin receptors histidine kinases (AHK) and positive regulators histidine-containing phosphotransfer proteins (AHP). DESeq comparison of low carbohydrate supply versus high carbohydrate supply treatments. For each gene, the expression level (base mean) and the log2 fold-change are presented. Fruit age is in weeks after mid bloom (WAMB). Bold figures mean differences are significant for adjusted $p < 0.05$.

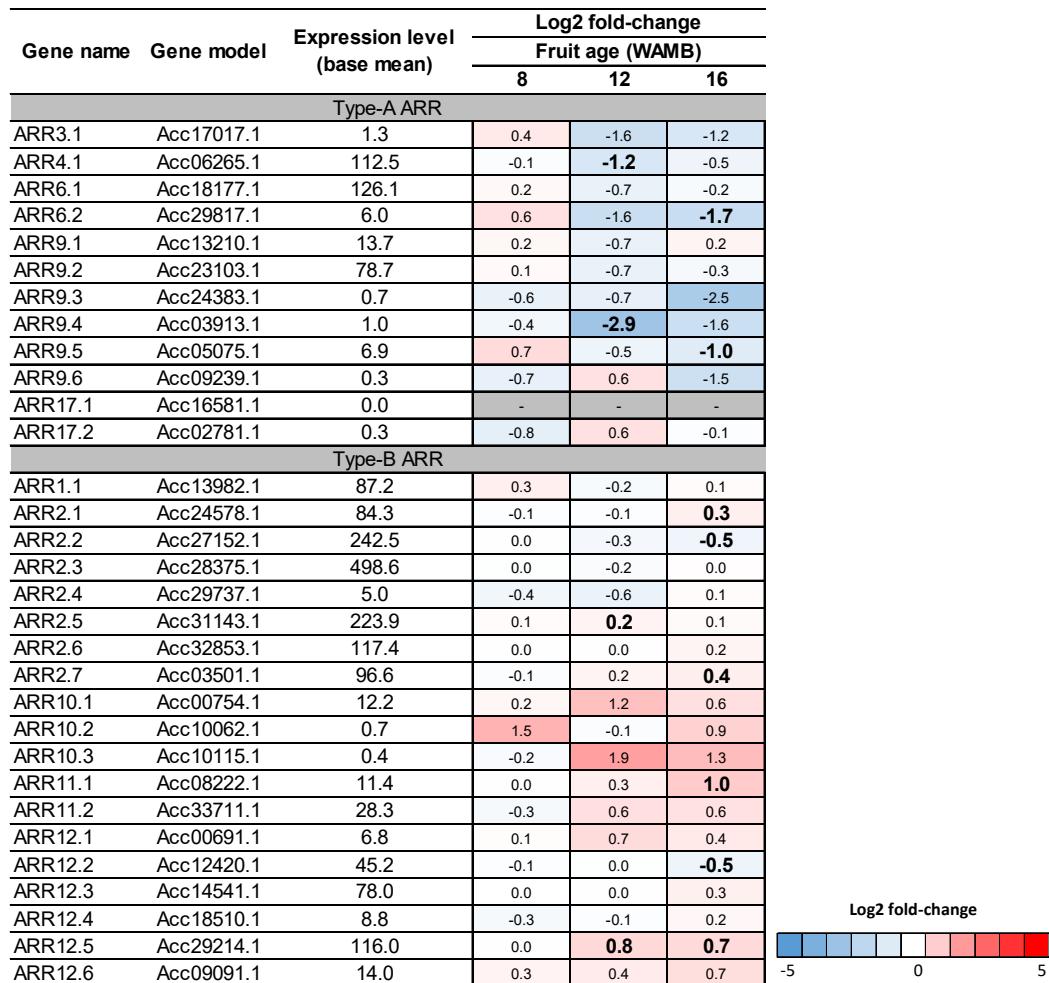


Figure S3: Heat-map of kiwifruit multistep phosphorelay (MSP) pathway genes: negative regulators A-type Arabidopsis Response Regulators (Type-A ARR) and positive regulators B-type ARR (Type-B ARR). DESeq comparison of low carbohydrate supply versus high carbohydrate supply treatments. For each gene, the expression level (base mean) and the log2 fold-change are presented. Fruit age is in weeks after mid bloom (WAMB). Bold figures mean differences are significant for adjusted $p < 0.05$.

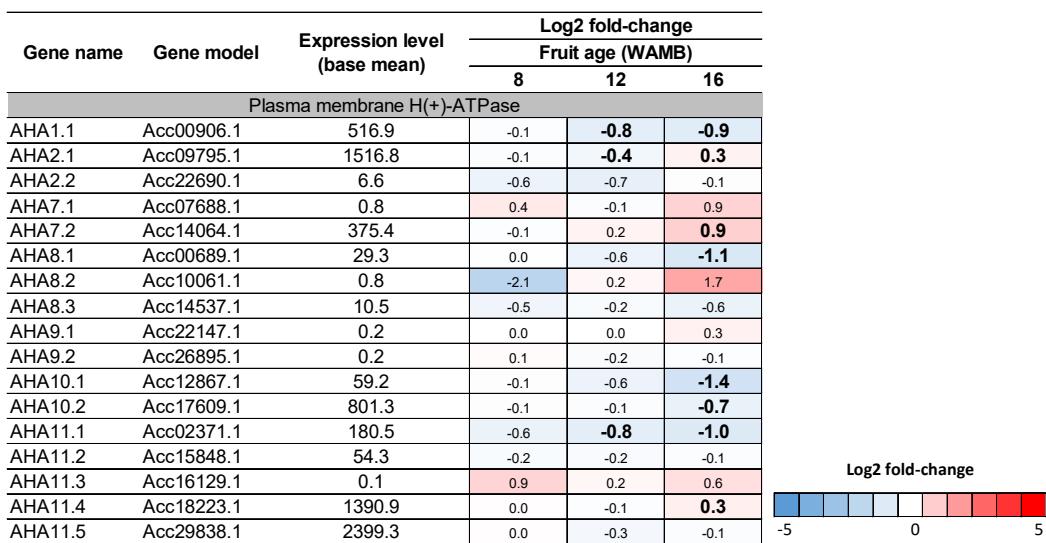


Figure S4: Heat-map of kiwifruit plasma membrane H(+)-ATPase genes. DESeq comparison of low carbohydrate supply versus high carbohydrate supply treatments. For each gene, the expression level (base mean) and the log2 fold-change are presented. Fruit age is in weeks after mid bloom (WAMB). Bold figures mean differences are significant for adjusted $p < 0.05$.