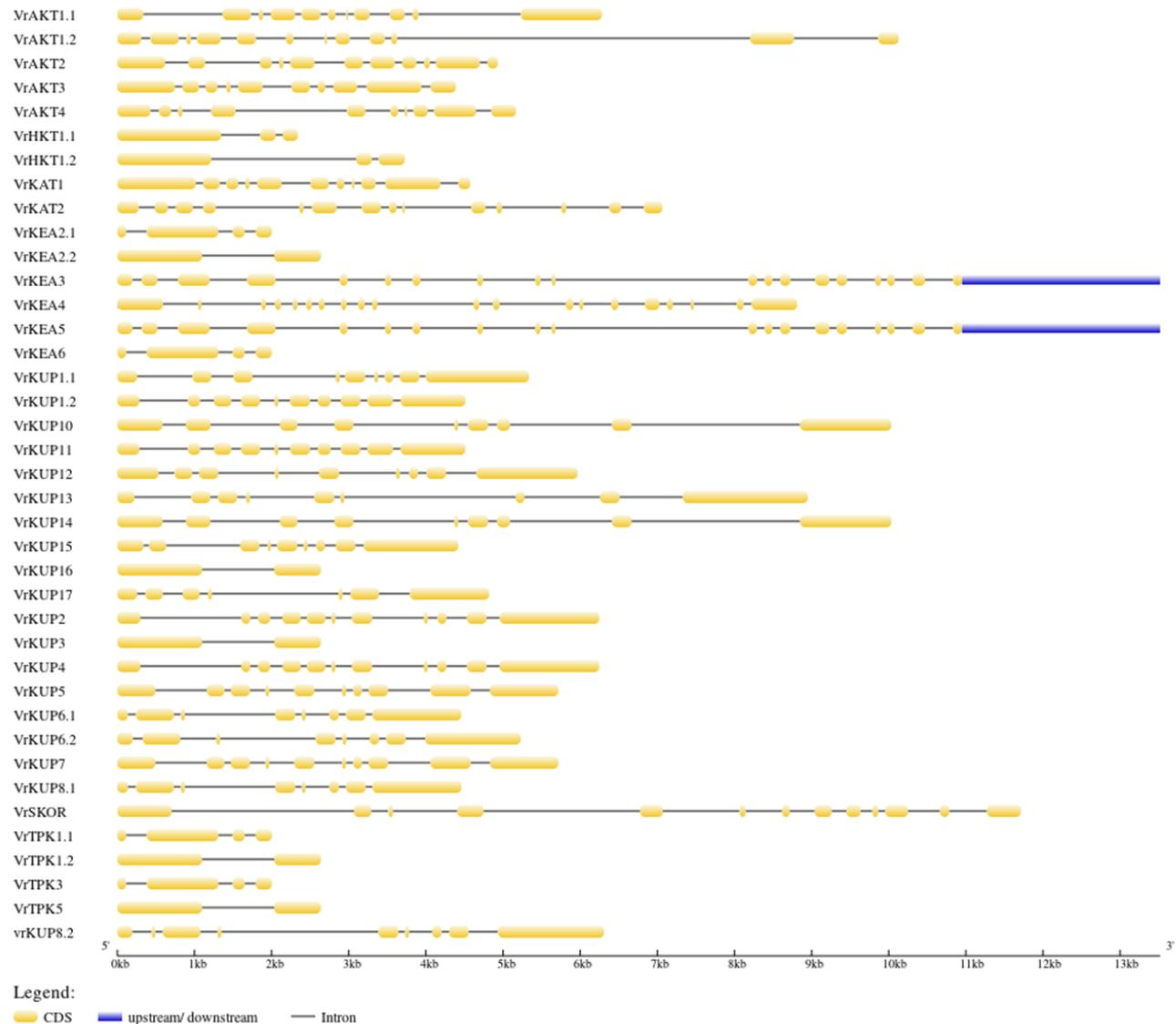


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VrTPK5	Exon 1 104	Exon 2 1050	Exon 3 389	Exon 4 154	Exon 5 67	Exon 6 54	Exon 7 152	Exon 8 51	Exon 9 112	Exon 10 44				
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VrKAT2	Exon 1 279	Exon 2 173	Exon 3 219	Exon 4 163	Exon 5 58	Exon 6 318	Exon 7 246	Exon 8 99						

Supplementary Figure S1. Conserved exons (in lengths) among VrKUP/HAK/KT, VrHKT, VrKEA, Shaker, and VrTPK families were shown by multiple colors.



Supplementary Figure S2. Structural analysis of potassium channels and transporters genes. Exons and introns of potassium transport-related genes are represented by yellow boxes and black lines respectively. Gene models are based on CDC Frontier genome Cav1.0 gene annotations.

Supplementary Table S1: *Cis*- regulatory elements present at the upstream region of potassium channel genes are given.

VrAKT1.1	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box, G-Box, GA-motif, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, HSE, I-box MSA-like Skn-1_motif, box II, rbcS-CMA7a
VrAKT1.2	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, AATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box, G-box, GA-motif, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, HSE I-box, MSA-like, Skn-1_motif, TATA-box, box II, rbcS-CMA7a
VrAKT2	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box G-box, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, HSE I-box, MSA-l, Skn-1_motif, TATA-box, box II, rbcS-CMA7a
VrAKT3	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box, G-box, GA-motif, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, HSE I-box, MSA-like, Skn-1_motif, box II, rbcS-CMA7a
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VrAKT4	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box, G-Box, GA-motif, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, HSE I-box, MSA-like, Skn-1_motif, TATA-box, box II, rbcS-CMA7a
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VrTPK3	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box, G-Box, GA-motif, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, HSE I-box, MSA-like, Skn-1_motif, TATA-box, box II, rbcS-CMA7a
VrKAT1	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box, G-Box, G-box, GA-motif, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, HSE, I-box, MSA-like, Skn-1_motif, TATA-box, box II, rbcS-CMA7a

Supplementary Table S2: *Cis*-regulatory elements present at the upstream region of potassium transporters genes are given.

VrKUP/HAK/KT4	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box CCAAT-box G-Box GA-motif GATA-motif GT1-motif HSE I-box MSA-like Skn-1_motif TATA-box box II rbcS-CMA7a
VrKUP/HAK/KT17	AAGAA-motif ABRE ACE ATCT-motif Box II CAAT-box CCAAT-box G-box GA-motif GATA-motif GT1-motif HSE I-box MSA-like Skn-1_motif TATA-box box II rbcS-CMA7a
VrHKT1.1	AAGAA-motif ABRE ACE ATCT-motif Box II CAAT-box CCAAT-box G-Box GA-motif GATA-motif GT1-motif HSE I-box MSA-like Skn-1_motif TATA-box box II
VrKUP/HAK/KT1.1	AAGAA-motif ABRE ACE ATCT-motif Box II CAAT-box CCAAT-box G-Box GA-motif GATA-motif GT1-motif HSE I-box MSA-like Skn-1_motif TATA-box box II rbcS-CMA7a
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VrHKT1.2	AAGAA-motif ABRE ACE ATCT-motif Box II CAAT-box CCAAT-box G-box GA-motif GATA-motif GT1-motif HSE I-box MSA-like Skn-1_motif TATA-box box II rbcS-CMA7a
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VrKUP/HAK/KT6.2	AAGAA-motif ABRE ACE ATCT-motif Box II CAAT-box CCAAT-box G-box GA-motif GATA-motif GT1-motif HSE I-box MSA-like Skn-1_motif TATA-box box II rbcS-CMA7a
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VrKUP/HAK/KT1.2	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box, G-Box, GA-motif, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, HSE, I-box, MSA-like, Skn-1_motif, TATA-box, box II, rbcS-CMA7a
VrKEA2.1	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box, G-box, GA-motif, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, HSE, I-box, MSA-like, Skn-1_motif, TATA-box, box II, rbcS-CMA7a
VrKEA2.2	AAGAA-motif, ABRE, ACE, ATCT-motif, Box II, CAAT-box, CCAAT-box, G-Box, GA-motif, GATA-motif, GT1-motif, I-box, MSA-like, Skn-1_motif, TATA-box, box II, rbcS-CMA7a
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Supplementary Table S3: List of primers used for qRT-PCR analysis

Sr. No	Gene Name	Primer Sequence
1	VrHKT1.1F	CTTTGTCCCCACCAACGAGA
	VrHKT1.1R	CACGGTGGATATAAGGGCGTT
2	VrHKT1.2F	CCTTCCATGTCCACCCCTTC
	VrHKT1.2R	GTCTAACGGGGTTCTGGG
3	VrKAT1F	ACAGGGAAGCCACGGAAAAT
	VrKAT1R	AATTGCTGCTCCTACGCCTT
4	VrAKT1.1F	ACTAGTGAGCCAACCATGCC
	VrAKT1.1R	ACCTTTCCAGATGCCCTG
5	VrAKT2F	ACTGCAATGTGGGTGCTAT
	VrAKT2R	TCACCTGCTGTGTTCTGGTC
6	VrSKORF	ACACTGAGGCTGCTGTCATT
	VrSKORR	GGGTGACATCCATAATTGACCA
7	VrKAT2F	TTGTGGCAGTCTGTCGTCTG
	VrKAT2R	GGTAAACGTTGCATTGGCTGA
8	VrKEA5F	ATGGGAAAACAAAACCTTCTGG
	VrKEA5R	CAATTGACGTCGCCCGAAT
9	VrTPK3F	AAGTTGCCAACCCCTCAC
	VrTPK3R	GGCTTCTTGAGCCTTCCAT
10	VrKUP/HAK/KT4F	CTGGAGTCCCTGCCAGTTTT
	VrKUP/HAK/KT4R	GCACCGGTACAGTCTTCACA
11	VrKUP/HAK/KT5F	TTGTCTGAGTGTGGACAGGT
	VrKUP/HAK/KT5R	GCAGCTGCTAAAAGTCTGG
12	VrKUP/HAK/KT8.1F	TGTTTGCTTAACAGGCTTGG
	VrKUP/HAK/KT8.1R	GCAAATTGCCAGAAAATGCTT
13	VractinF	TTCCTTTCTCGTTTTCATGCT
	VractinR	AAACCGAGGCACCTAATTCTTG

Supplementary Table S4: Description of various conserved domains found in the protein sequences of potassium transport related proteins.

Name of domain	Full name	Accession number	Function
<i>K_trans</i>	<i>K+ potassium transporter</i>	PF02705	Potassium transport
PLN	Potassium transporter	PLN00151	Potassium transport
PotE	Amino acid transporter	COG0531	Amino acid transport and metabolism
TrkH	Cation transport protein	cl17365	Active sodium up-take utilizing ATP in the process.
TrkA_N	Potassium ion transmembrane transporter activity	pfam02254	This domain binds to NAD
RILP-like	Rab interacting lysosomal protein-like	cl23720	Regulation of cellular morphology
Na_H_Exchanger	Sodium/hydrogen exchanger family	pfam00999	Maintaining the pH of actively metabolising cells
KefB	Kef-type K+ transport system	COG0475	Membrane component KefB [Inorganic ion transport and metabolism]
Ion_trans_2	Ion channel	pfam07885	This family includes the two-membrane helix type ion channels found in bacteria.
EF-hand_7	EF-hand domain pair	pfam13499	Calcium-binding proteins.
EFh	EF-hand	cl08302	Calcium binding motif
ANK	ANK repeat	sd00045	Scaffolds for protein-protein interactions
KHA	Kha	pfam11834	Dimerization domain of potassium ion channel
CAP_ED	Effector domain of the CAP family of transcription factors	cd00038	Binds cAMP, FNR (fumarate and nitrate reduction), which uses an iron-sulfur cluster to sense oxygen) and CooA, a heme containing CO sensor
cNMP_binding	Cyclic nucleotide-binding domain	PF00027	Cyclic nucleotide-binding
PLN03192	Voltage-dependent potassium channel	PLN03192	Voltage-dependent potassium transport.