

Table S1. Primers used for quantitative real-time polymerase chain reaction in this study

Gene	Primer F	Primer R	Gene ID in loquat genome or reference
<i>Actin</i>	AATGGAACTGGAATGGTCAAGGC	TGCCAGATCTTCTCCATGTCATCCCA	
<i>PEPC2</i>	GTGGTTCTTGGTAATGTAA	GAAGTGTCATAGCAATCC	
<i>NAD-MDH</i>	CTGGTGTCTTCTATGATA	TCTCTTCTGGATAAGTTTC	
<i>NADP-ME2</i>	GAATACCACATCCGACAATA	ACATTATCAACGAGAAGT	
<i>VHA-A</i>	TGAAGGAGGTGATAGACA	ACTGCGGACATTATTATACT	
<i>VHP1</i>	CATCTTCGTTGGTGTATT	TTGCCTGTGTTATATGTG	
<i>PEPC</i>	GTGATGTTCCAAGACTGAA	TCTCAAACAATGGAACAACC	Ej00033952
<i>NADP-ME</i>	GAGTGTCTCGGTTGCTAGTG	ACTTCTGCAGTGGAACTTGA	Ej00091189
<i>NADP-ME4</i>	ACACCACAAACAAAGGTCTTG	ACTTCTGCAGTGGAACTTGA	Ej00076553
<i>CS</i>	TTCCAGAATGCCAGAAAGTA	ACTACAGCACGAGTCCTCAA	Ej00032441
<i>ATP-CS α1</i>	GTGAAGCCTGACATGTTGTT	AACTCTCATTGTGGGAAAT	Ej00011370
<i>ATP-CS α2-1</i>	GTGAGCTTTCAGAGTGTGG	CTGGAATACAGCAAATACGC	Ej00094058
<i>ATP-CS β2</i>	TGGAAACTGCTATCAAGGAA	GTTCCCTCACCTCTGTCATCA	Ej00074816
<i>ACO</i>	ATATCTGGACGGTTGTT	TTCAGCTTCAATACCTCAA	Ej00088565
<i>NAD-IDH1</i>	AACATTATGAAGCTGGCTGA	AACGAGTTGCATACAGCAAT	Ej00095950
<i>NAD-IDH5</i>	AGTGGTGAGAGGTGTTGTTG	GCTTGTAATTGCAGAGAC	Ej00051965
<i>tDT2</i>	GAAGTTGATGGACTGGAACA	GGGCTTCGATAAAATGTCT	Ej00066741
<i>VHA-A3</i>	TGTTTGTACTTGCACCTT	AACGGGACAGAGAAGAACTC	Ej00009754
<i>VHA-B2-1</i>	GACAACTTGCCATTGTGTT	TCAATTGTAGGGTCATTGC	Ej00095876
<i>VHA-B2-2</i>	AAAATCCCACTTCTCTGC	AATCCGTTAAAGAACCTGC	Ej00010503
<i>VHA-C</i>	AGAACAAAGTCTCGTAAAAA	AAACCTCCCCATAACTGGTA	Ej00016657
<i>VHA-D2</i>	CGACAAGGCATTTATGAAG	AGATTCCCTGATCTCCTGCTC	Ej00017543
<i>VHA-E1</i>	TCTGCTGAGGAAGAACCAA	TTCATGGAGTTAACCAACGTC	Ej00045917
<i>VHA-F</i>	TTTACAGCAAAGGACGACAT	GATGCCACAGATTCACTGTT	Ej00074402
<i>ALMT1</i>	TGATGCAGTCGATCGAAGAG	TGGTCCAAACTTGGAAAGGAG	EVM0037970.1
<i>ALMT2</i>	AAAGGGTAGGATGCGAAGGT	AATCTCCCAGCTTCCGAAT	EVM0000569.1
<i>ALMT3</i>	GCGGTGATAACCGTGGTAGT	AAAGATCCAAGCACAATGG	EVM0022757.1
<i>ALMT4</i>	GTGGGAGCCTAGACATGGAA	TTTGTGCTTGGATGGTCA	EVM0025487.1

<i>ALMT5</i>	CTAGCATCCCTGGCACATT	CGAATTCTCACTTCCGGGTA	<i>EVM0013481.1</i>
<i>ALMT6</i>	GCCGCAGAACTGGTAAGAAC	GGTGACATCGGAGAAGGTGT	<i>EVM0010307.1</i>
<i>ALMT7</i>	GACTTGGGCTTCAACAGCTC	TTTCGAGGATCCGAATGAC	<i>EVM0008191.1</i>
<i>ALMT8</i>	GGAGCTCCAGAGAGTTGGT	TTCCCTGGGACGTACTTCAG	<i>EVM0037785.1</i>
<i>ALMT9</i>	AGTACGGCTTCGGGTTTT	CAGATCCTCTCCCGACCATA	<i>EVM0008737.1</i>
<i>ALMT10</i>	TGGGAAAGCATTGAAGGAAC	GTGTGCCAGGGATGCTAGTT	<i>EVM0028408.1</i>
<i>ALMT11</i>	GGAAGGTTTGGGATGAAT	GGTGAGGTTCCGATCTTGA	<i>EVM0021601.1</i>
<i>ALMT12</i>	TGTGATAGTGCCCCAATTGA	CCAGCAAGCTTCCAAGTTC	<i>EVM0017728.1</i>
<i>ALMT13</i>	AACTATTCCGGCAGATGTGG	ACTAGGGCAACTCCCACCTT	<i>EVM0022795.1</i>
<i>ALMT14</i>	GAAGTTCTTGAGGCCACAGC	CAATCCTCCCCAACTCTTCA	<i>EVM0016148.1</i>
<i>ALMT15</i>	GGTGCATGATCTTCATCCT	TGAAATAATCCGCCACACAA	<i>EVM0012726.1</i>
<i>ALMT16</i>	TATTGAACCGGGATGATGAA	AAACACCTGTGGGCAAGTTC	<i>EVM0012851.1</i>
<i>ALMT17</i>	CGATGGTATTGGTGTGCAG	AAAGATCCCAAGCACAATGG	<i>EVM0040195.1</i>

Table S2. Authentic standard organic acid compounds used in the HPLC analysis and equations of standard curves.

Compound name	Elute time (min)	Linear equation	Correlation coefficient (R^2)
oxalic acid	2.84	y=14.191x-24.94	0.9995
tartaric acid	3.34	y=2.1536x+10.266	0.9999
malic acid	4.14	y=1.7876x+0.1158	1.0000
α -ketoglutaric acid	5.39	y=8.5712x-27.732	1.0000
citric acid	8.25	y=1.0832x-2.0558	1.0000
succinic acid	9.30	y=0.6751x-13.784	0.9996

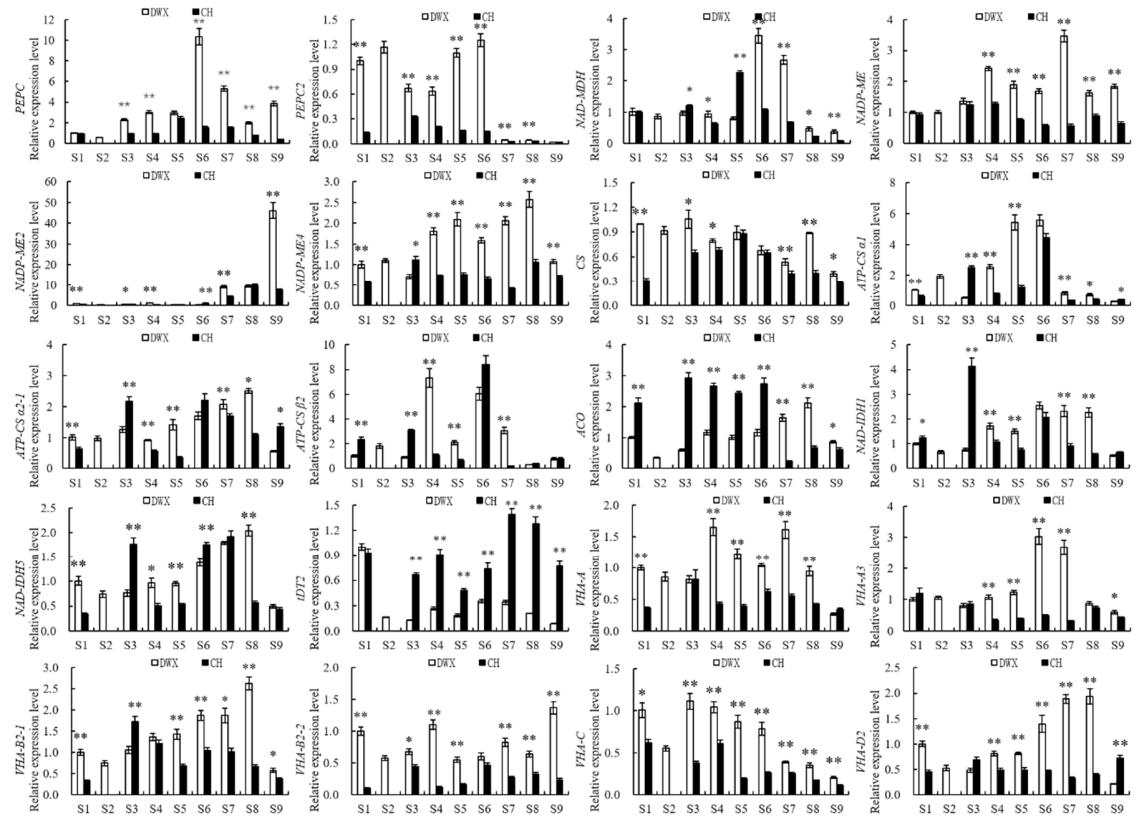


Figure S1. Dynamic changes in expressions of forty genes related to organic acid metabolism during different stages of fruit development and ripening in Dawuxing and its interspecific hybrid. The stages numbered on the x-axis correspond to those presented in Figure 1. Values are means \pm SD of three biological replicates. The asterisks indicate significant differences (*: $p \leq 0.05$; **: $p \leq 0.01$).

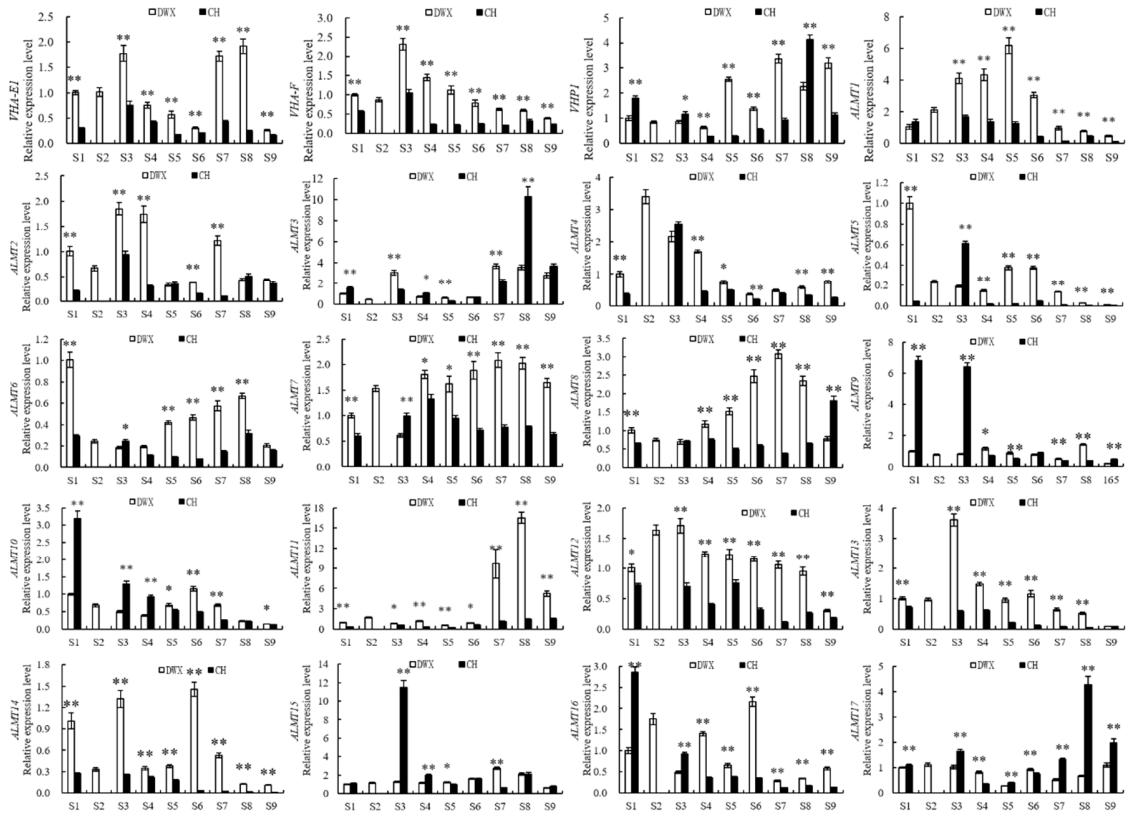


Figure S2: Figure S1 continued.