

## Supplementary Material

### Infection with an asymptomatic virus in rice results in a delayed drought response

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**Table S1.** Information on primers<sup>1</sup> used for RTSV quantification by RT-qPCR.

Primer Name	Genomic Position	Sequence (5' – 3')
RTSV 5F	6469–6487	GCTTCAGGAAATTAAAACG
RTSV 5R	8090–8110	AGTGGCCTAACCTATCTTG
RTSV RT F	7845–7863	GCCGAGAAGTCGCGTAAGC
RTSV RT R	7889–7907	GCCTGGCGACAAGCCTAAA

<sup>1</sup>Sharma and Dasgupta 2012.

**Table S2.** Information on primers used for expression analysis of transcription factor genes.

TIGR Locus ID	Gene Symbol	Description	Sequence (5'-3')
LOC_Os01g07120	<i>OsDREB2A</i>	Dehydration-responsive element-binding protein 2A	F - GTCATGCTGCAGGTCAAT R - ACAAGCTTCAGGTTGCAGAT
LOC_Os01g66120	<i>OsNAC6</i>	NAC domain containing protein 6	F - AATTGCATCGGGTGGCAT R - CCCTGTATAACGAATCAATCACC
LOC_Os02g45420	<i>OsERF20</i>	Ethylene response factor 20/AP2 domain containing protein	F - GGAGCTACCGTGATCCCTA R - ATATGATTAATTGGGCCGCTA
LOC_Os02g52780	<i>OsbZIP23</i>	b-ZIP transcription factor 23	F - CGCTCTCGCTGGAAAT R - CATCTTGCCTGAAGCCATTG
LOC_Os03g60080.1	<i>OsSNAC1</i>	Stress-induced transcriptor factor NAC1	F - ATGGTCCCCTTGAGGT R - CAGCCGGCGCTGTATATT
LOC_Os04g40950	<i>GAPDH</i>	Glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate dehydrogenase	F - AAGCCAGCATCCTATGATCAGAT R - CGTAACCCAGAATACCCTTGAGTTT

**Table S3.** Growth and physiological traits of uninfected and RTSV-infected rice plants (*Taichung Native 1*) under well-watered and drought stress conditions. ND: not determined

Trial	Infection status	Plant height (cm)		Shoot mass (g)		Leaf water potential (-MPa)		Leaf osmotic potential (-MPa)		Water uptake rate (kg day <sup>-1</sup> cm <sup>-2</sup> )		Water use efficiency (g kg <sup>-1</sup> )	
		Well-watered	Drought	Well-watered	Drought	Well-watered	Drought	Well-watered	Drought	Well-watered	Drought	Well-watered	Drought
1	Mock	83.0 ± 0.90	66.0 ± 0.94	4.6 ± 0.33	1.9 ± 0.11	0.7 ± 0.10	3.1 ± 0.10	1.10 ± b	2.30 ± 0.30	0.40 ± 0.03	0.40 ± 0.03	2.00 ± 0.10	2.60 ± 0.15
	(Non-shaded) RTSV	81.8 ± 3.54	67.3 ± 1.87				1.9 ± 0.30	1.00 ± a	1.70 ± 0.20	0.40 ± 0.05	0.30 ± 0.03	1.90 ± 0.19	3.20 ± 0.50
2	Mock	78.3 ± 2.00	60.5 ± 3.30	3.8 ± 0.58	1.5 ± 0.20	1.9 ± 0.20	2.9 ± 0.10	1.20 ± b	2.00 ± 0.10	0.30 ± 0.02	0.30 ± 0.01	2.40 ± 0.06	2.40 ± 0.12
	(Non-shaded) RTSV	79.0 ± 3.30	59.9 ± 0.90				2.2 ± 0.20	1.10 ± a	2.10 ± 0.20	0.30 ± 0.01	0.20 ± 0.01	2.30 ± 0.22	2.30 ± 0.06
3	Mock	72.1 ± 1.2	57.3 ± 2.3	6.0 ± 0.49	2.0 ± 0.25	2.4 ± 0.30	2.5 ± 0.10	0.90 ± b	2.30 ± 0.30	0.50 ± 0.02	0.30 ± 0.02	2.20 ± 0.13	1.80 ± 0.16
	(Non-shaded) RTSV	73.3 ± 2.5	53.4 ± 1.4	5.4 ± 0.64	1.9 ± 0.05	1.9 ± 0.10	1.9 ± 0.10	0.90 ± a	2.00 ± 0.05	0.50 ± 0.01	0.30 ± 0.01	2.50 ± 0.04	1.90 ± 0.08
4	Mock	ND	ND	6.1 ± 0.60	2.0 ± 0.1	2.4 ± 0.20	2.3 ± 0.10	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
	(Non-shaded) RTSV			6.0 ± 0.50	2.0 ± 0.2	2.4 ± 0.20	1.8 ± 0.10						

5	Mock	ND	ND	$5.3 \pm 0.2$	$1.7 \pm 0.2$	$2.9 \pm 0.40$	$2.5 \pm 0.10$ b	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
	(Non-shaded) RTSV			$4.8 \pm 0.1$	$2.0 \pm 0.1$	$2.2 \pm 0.30$	$1.9 \pm 0.10$ a						
6	Mock	ND	ND	ND	ND	$0.95 \pm 0.10$	$2.37 \pm 0.12$	$1.35 \pm 0.08$	$2.00 \pm 0.08$ b	ND	ND	ND	ND
	(Shaded) RTSV					$0.99 \pm 0.07$	$2.17 \pm 0.10$	$1.27 \pm 0.07$	$1.68 \pm 0.07$ a				
7	Mock	ND	ND	ND	ND	$0.76 \pm 0.04$	$2.99 \pm 0.14$ b	$1.03 \pm 0.10$	$1.73 \pm 0.10$	ND	ND	ND	ND
	(Shaded) RTSV					$0.61 \pm 0.05$	$2.07 \pm 0.12$ a	$0.99 \pm 0.12$	$1.58 \pm 0.12$				
8	Mock	ND	ND	ND	ND	$0.96 \pm 0.08$	$3.30 \pm 0.19$ b	$1.26 \pm 0.21$	$2.91 \pm 0.30$ b	ND	ND	ND	ND
	(Shaded) RTSV					$0.95 \pm 0.03$	$2.63 \pm 0.01$ a	$1.33 \pm 0.14$	$2.30 \pm 0.14$ a				