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# Isolation and Characterization of HvSAMS Gene in Early Maturity Barley

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## 극조숙 보리 종실에서의 HvSAMS 유전자의 분리 및 검정

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### **Objective**

The purpose of this study was to isolate and characterize a noble gene, which was differentially expressed gene in seed development of early maturity barley.

#### Materials and methods

Plant material: The grain of early maturity barley, K800, (GSHO 1732 GS96, eam10)

Different Display: DH (Differential Hybridization)

Southern Blot: Dig-labeled detection

Northern Blot: Southern Star<sup>TM</sup> detection kit

#### Results and Discussion

To study seed development in early maturity barley (possessing eam10), we constructed a cDNA library (Final titer: 6.94 X 10<sup>9</sup> pfu/ml). Differential Hybridization (DH) method was performed to isolate genes differentially expressed. Sixty six clones that were related to grain maturity and seed development were selected (Table 1). As screening cDNA library, we identified a noble gene, HvSAMS (Hordeum vulgare S-AdenosylMethionine Syntase). Sequence analysis revealed that HvSAMS was 1182 bp in length encoding a single polypeptide of 394 amino acid residues. Southern blotting analysis of barley DNA performed with a DIG labled full-length cDNA probe of HvSAMS revealed two bands if restricted with EcoRI, XbaI, XhoI. Three bands could be detected if the DNA was restricted with HindIII(Fig. 1). HvSAMS transcripts were most abundant in stem in northern analysis (Fig. 2). Overexpression in the Arabidopsis using a pCAMBIA 1301 is underway.

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Table 1 Differentially expressed clones in grain of K800 (GSHO 1732 GS96, eam 10) at DAF 7.

Clone No.	Putative Identification	Clone No.	Putative Identification
EA3	methionine synthase protein	EB92	calnexin - maize
EA4	putative transketolase	EB100	copper chaperone (CCH)
EA5	AT-hook protein 1		-related [Arabidopsis thaliana]
EA6	UVB-resistance protein-like	EC13	OJ1081_B12.5
EA13	S-adenosylmethionine synthetase 1	ED4	RUBISCO SUBŪNIT BINDING
EA16	T-complex protein 1		-PROTEIN BETA SUBUNIT
EA18	Histone H2A.2.1	ED14	asparaginyl endopeptidase REP-2
EA19	vacuolar proton-inorganic pyrophosphatase	EE65	expressed protein
EA20	major facilitator superfamily antiporter	EE99	lipoxygenase (EC 1.13.11.12) 2
EA24	Putative RING-H2 finger protein RHB1a	EE100	putative 60S ribosomal protein
EA28	putative PKCq-interacting protein	EF2	All non-redundant GenBank CDS
EA30	contains EST C93475(C51754)	EF3	glycosyltransferase family 8
	~syntaxin-like protein	EF20	glutamate permease
EA31	succinyl-CoA ligase beta subunit	EF29	putative XS domain containing protein
EA32	hypothetical protein [Oryza sativa	EF34	putative thiolase
EA33	Superoxide dismutase	EF33	Cysteine proteinase 1 precursor
EA35	putative cinnamoyl-CoA reductase	EF43	pyruvate dehydrogenase E1 beta subunit isoform 2
EA36	unknown protein	EF44	TRIOSEPHOSPHATE ISOMERASE, CYTOSOLIC
EA41	CITRATE SYNTHASE,	EF45	probable 26S proteasome non-ATPase
	GLYOXYSOMAL PRECURSOR		chain S5a [imported]
EA42	putative peptide deformylase	EF49	LeOPT1
EA43	cytoplasmic malate dehydrogenase	EF51	senescence-associated protein-like protein
EA44	S-adenosylmethionine decarboxylase proenzyme	EF52	At2g16920~unknown protein [Oryza sativa]
EA45	cell-autonomous heat shock cognate protein 70	EF54	putative protein kinase Xa21, receptor type precursor
EA46	putative cystathionine gamma synthase	EF66	chlorophyll a/b-binding apoprotein CP24 precursor
EA47	T10024.24	EF67	putative mannose-6-phosphate isomerase
EB5 EB25	OJ000223_09.1	EF68	alpha-L-arabinofuranosidase/
EB25	putative zinc protease		beta-D-xylosidase isoenzyme ARA-I
EB30	histone H2B153	EF69	expressed protein
EB43	lipid transfer protein	EF72	_ expressed protein
EB58	elongation factor I alpha	EF82	Fructose-bisphosphate aldolase
EB61	translation elongation factor eEF-1 alpha chain	EF84	Carbonic anhydrase
EB62	P0698A10.17	EF88	60S ribosomal protein L6 (RPL6C)
EB76	putative polypyrimidine tract-binding protein	EF89	Putative AP2 domain containing protein
EB77	60S ribosomal protein L10	EF98	putative glycine-rich protein
EB82	allene oxide synthase	EF100	putative ADP-ribosylation factor



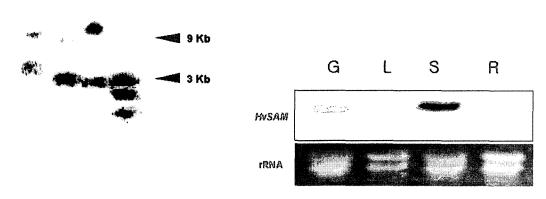


Fig. 1. Southern blot analysis of the genomic DNA of K800. The DNA was digested with *Eco*RI, *Xba*I, *Xho*I, and *Hin*dIII.

Fig. 2. Northern blot hybridization of the *HvSAMS* gene in different plant tissues. G: grain, L: leaf, S: stem, and R: Root.