# Effectiveness of Molecular Markers for Detecting the Non-astringent Trait of Chinese Persimmon and a Trial to Identify the Gene Conferring Chinese PCNA Trait in 'Luo Tian Tian Shi'

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# INTRODUCTION

#### CHINESE-PCNA trait in 'Luo Tian Tian Shi'

- Pollination-constant and non-astringent (PCNA) type fruits stably loss their astringency on the tree.
  - >> one of the most important trait in persimmon breeding
- PCNA-trait in Chinese 'Luo Tian Tian Shi' is conferred by single dominant locus (CPCNA/cpcna).
  - >> regarded as a promising germplasm

- We developed 7 molecular markers by AFLP analysis. These markers were co-segregated with CPCNA, and we constructed genetic map at CPCNA locus.
  - >> practical application of RO-2 marker in breeding programs (Ikegami et al. 2011, JJSHS)



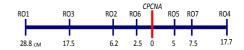


Fig. 1 Genetic map of the *CPCNA* region

Mapping Population: L-O ('Luo Tian Tian Shi' X Japanese

PCNA cultivar 'Okugosho' | 81 F<sub>1</sub> individuals)

# **EXP. 1**

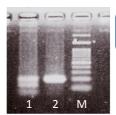
## Validity of the RO-6 marker in two segregated F<sub>1</sub>

## F₁ population

- L-Y population | 109 individuals · · · 'Luo Tian Tian Shi' X 'Yotsumizo'
- L-I population | 74 individuals · · · 'Luo Tian Tian Shi' X 'Iwasedo'



 Phenotyping | soluble phenol content & tannin cell size (2004-2008)



Genotyping | RO-6 marker (CAPS)
 which is the closest to CPCNA

Fig. 2 Detection of RO6 genotype with the CAPS marker

1: PCNA individual 2: non-PCNA individual

#### Results

Table 1 Segregation of the phenotype and the genotype of RO-6 marker in two  $F_1$  population

E Donulation	Phenotype	RO-6		Fitness ratio	
F <sub>1</sub> Population		Present	Absent	riuless lauo	
	PCNA	54	1	0.991	
L-T	non-PCNA	0	54	0.991	
	PCNA	30	0	1 000	
L-I	non-PCNA	on-PCNA 0 34		1.000	

# **EXP.2**

## Comparative genomics using Diospyros lotus

- Almost all cultivated D. kaki is hexaploid (2n = 6x = 90) and has highly heterozygotes in alleles
  - >> much complexities of allele segregation
  - >> chromosome walking using a close diploid relative D. lotus

## Results

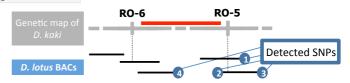


Fig. 3 Map construction at the CPCNA region SNPs is detected in  $\it D.\ lotus\ F_1$  population for constructing  $\it D.\ lotus\ genetic\ map$ 

Table 2 Detection of the SNPs markers in  $F_1$  population of  $\emph{D. lotus}$ 

		gen	otype			
individual		RO5		RO6		
	SNP1	SNP2	SNP3	SNP4	No co-segregation	
Male	-	-	-			
Female	+	+	+	+	between RO5 and RO6	
KK2 1	-	-	-			
KK2 2	+	+	+	-//		
KK2 3	-	-	-	+///	<b>,</b>	
KK2 4	-	-	-	+//	>> no linkage in <i>D. lotus</i> ??	
KK2 5	-	-	-	- /	>> We need more individuals	
KK2 6	-	-	-	+/		
KK2 7	+	ND	+	ND	for constructing genetic	
KK2 8	+	ND	+	ND	map in <i>D. lotus</i>	

## **CONCLUSIONS**

- RO-6 marker is highly co-segregated with CPCNA in L-Y and L-I population.
- We constructed *D. lotus* BAC contig at *CPCNA* region.
  - >> Enabling to construct the genetic map using SNPs on the BAC sequence?