**Additional file 1. Primer list used for RT-qPCR validation of abiotic-stress responsive *SOD* genes in *B. juncea* and *B. rapa.***

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| Gene ID | Primer Sequence | Tm |
| BjuAFSD3b F | GAAGAGGGAAGAGAGGAGACTTG | 57° C |
| BjuAFSD3b R | TGTACTTAGCCCTCTCGTTCTTG  | 57° C |
| BjuAFSD2a F | TAGCTGTTTCTGGTGTTGTCAGA | 55° C |
| BjuAFSD2a R | GTAGCACAACCTCTTCCAATGAC | 55° C |
| BjuAFSD3d F | GGAAGAGCTTATTAAGGCCACAT | 55° C |
| BjuAFSD3d R | CCAAACTGAGTAAGAGCTGCATT | 55° C |
| BjuACSD4 F | CACTTCAAGATCATACCCACACA | 56° C |
| BjuACSD4 R | CAATTAGATCCACAACCTTGAGC | 56° C |
| BjuBCSD8 F | CAGACATCTTTGGAGTGGTAAGG | 53° C |
| BjuBCSD8 R | AGCAACCTTGAGCTTCTCTTTCT | 53° C |
| BraMSD1a F | CTCTCTTGAAGGTTTGGTGAAG | 55° C |
| BraMSD1a R | CAAACATCTATACCCACCAGAGG | 55° C |
| BraFSD4 F | GTGTCATGGGAAACTGTAAGCAC | 57° C |
| BraFSD4 R | TAAACCTCTGGCTCTTCATCATC | 57° C |
| BraFSD3a F | GAAGAGGGAAGAGAGGAGACTTG | 59° C |
| BraFSD3a R | TGTACTTAGCCCTCTCGTTCTTG | 59° C |
| BraCSD6 F | GGGGTAGTAAGATTTGCTCAGGT | 58° C |
| BraCSD6 R | GGCTCTGTGATTGTATGGTCTTC | 58° C |
| BraCSD4 F | CACTTCAAGATCATACCCACACA | 57° C |
| BraCSD4 R | CAATTAGATCCACAACCTTGAGC | 57° C |
| BraCSD2a F | TCAACCCTAACAACATGACACAC | 56° C |
| BraCSD2a R | CAGAGTTAGGACCAGTCAGAGGA | 56° C |
| BraCSD1b F | ACTATCTTCTTCACCCAGGAAGG | 57° C |
| BraCSD1b R | GCCCTTCCTACAATAGAGTTTGG | 57° C |
| BraCSD1a F | ATTCACACTCGACGTCTTCATCT | 55° C |
| BraCSD1a R | AGCTCTGATCTTCCCTTCAAACT | 55° C |
| BraCSD3 F | CTGCAACTCTACTGGACCTCACT | 55° C |
| BraCSD3 R | GTCTGATCCAGCGAAAATGTTAC | 55° C |
| BraCSD2b F | TTGGTGTGTAATAAAGGAGAAGGTG  | 52° C |
| BraCSD2b R | AAGTGGATTGGGTAAATGAGAGATG  | 52° C |
| BraCSD5 F | CAGTTGGTGTATCAATGAGTATGGA  | 57° C |
| BraCSD5 R | CCTTCATCTTCTCTTTCTTTACCGT  | 57° C |
| BraMSD2 F | ATTACCTCTAGCAAGATTCCTTCCT  | 52° C |
| BraMSD2 R | CTTCTTAGGCTATTTGTCACCCATC | 52° C |
| BraMSD1b F | TGAAGGTTTGGTGAAGAAGATGAG  | 57° C |
| BraMSD1b R | ACTTTCCACACGTTCTTCAGATAC  | 57° C |
| BraFSD3b F | AAGAGGGAAGAGAGAAGACTTGAA  | 57° C |
| BraFSD3b R | AACGTGTTTATGTACTTTCCCCTC  | 57° C |
| TTIPS-41 F | TGAAGAGCAGATTGATTTGGCT  | 54° C |
| TIPS-41 R | ACACTCCATTGTCAGCCAGTT | 54° C |
| ACT-7 F | CTACGAGTTACCTGATGGA  | 54° C |
| ACT-7 R | ATGATGGAGTTGTAAGTTGTC  | 54° C |