

### Supplementary Material

# Stress-Related Mitogen-Activated Protein Kinases Stimulate the Accumulation of Small Molecules and Proteins in Arabidopsis thaliana Root Exudates

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#### 1 Supplementary Methods

Additional details of the LC/MS- based metabolite profiling

#### UPLC settings:

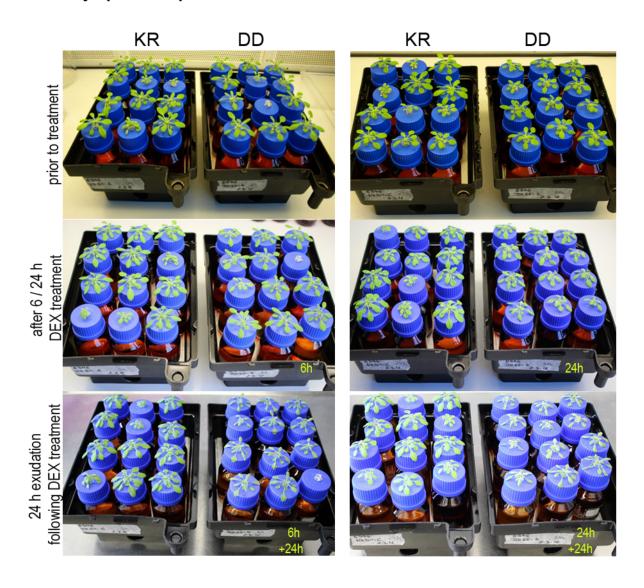
- Solvents: A (0.1% formic acid in water); B (0.1% formic acid in acetonitrile)
- Column: HSS T3 column (100 × 1.0 mm, particle size 1.8 μm, Waters)
- Gradient: 0–1 min, isocratic 95% A, 5% B; 1–10 min, linear from 5 to 60% B; 10–12 min, isocratic 95% B; 12–14 min, isocratic 5% B
- Flow rate: 150 µL min<sup>-1</sup>
- Temperature: 40°C

#### Mass spectrometer:

- m/z 100–1000 in positive and negative ion mode
- nebulizer gas: nitrogen, 1.6 bar
- dry gas: nitrogen, 6 l/min, 190°C
- capillary, -5000 V (+4000 V); end plate offset, -500 V; funnel 1 RF, 200 Vpp; funnel 2 RF, 200 Vpp;
- hexapole RF: 100 Vpp
- quadrupole ion energy: 3 eV
- collision gas: argon; collision energy, 3 eV for ESI+ and 10 eV for ESI-; collision RF 200/400 Vpp (timing 50/50); transfer time, 70 μs; pre pulse storage, 5 μs; pulser frequency, 10 kHz

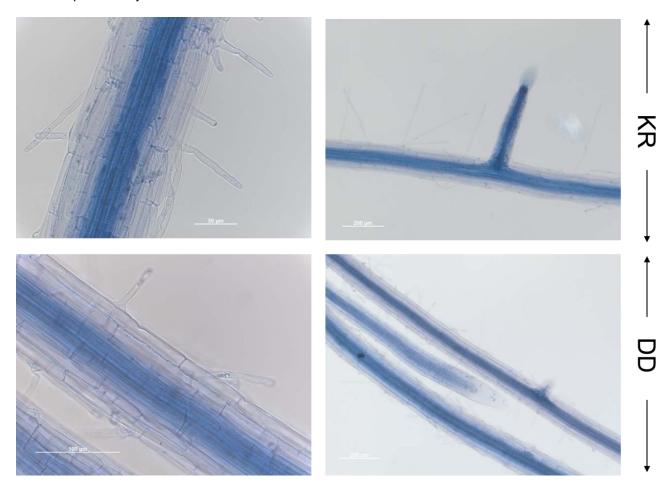
# 2. Figure S1

## Symptoms of plants after DEX treatment



 $\label{eq:Figure S2} \mbox{Trypan-blue staining of roots (after treatment with DEX for 24 h).}$ 

Note that only the central vasculature is stained. All other cells/tissues appear morphologically intact and are therefore presumably alive.



#### 3. Supplementary Tables (in Excel format)

**Supplementary Table S1:** Analytical Data of <u>Roots</u> after 6h or 24h dexamethasone treatment (and subsequent exudation for 24h into LC/MS-grade water).

**Supplementary Table S2:** Analytical Data of Root <u>Exudates</u> collected after 6h as well as 24h dexamethasone treatment and subsequent exudation for 24h into LC/MS-grade water.

**Supplementary Table S3:** Analytical characterization (MS/MS) of metabolites.

**Supplementary Table S4:** List of up-regulated (red) and down-regulated (green) <u>proteins</u> detected in the exudates of dexamethasone-treated DD line compared to the KR line.