

Figure S1. Analysis of internode pattern and lamina joints of WT and *ltbsg1*. (A) The internode pattern of WT and *ltbsg1*. Bar = 5 cm. (B) Longitudinal sections of the internode II in WT and *ltbsg1*. Bar = 100 μm. (C) The lamina joints of WT and *ltbsg1*.

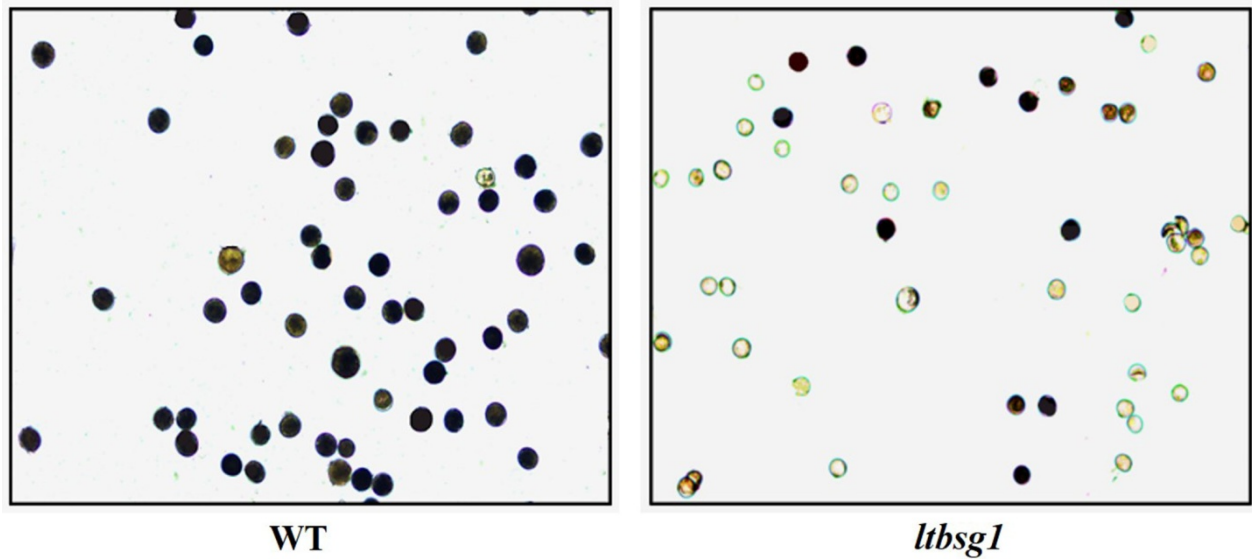


Figure S2. The detection of pollen vitality between WT and *ltbsg1*.

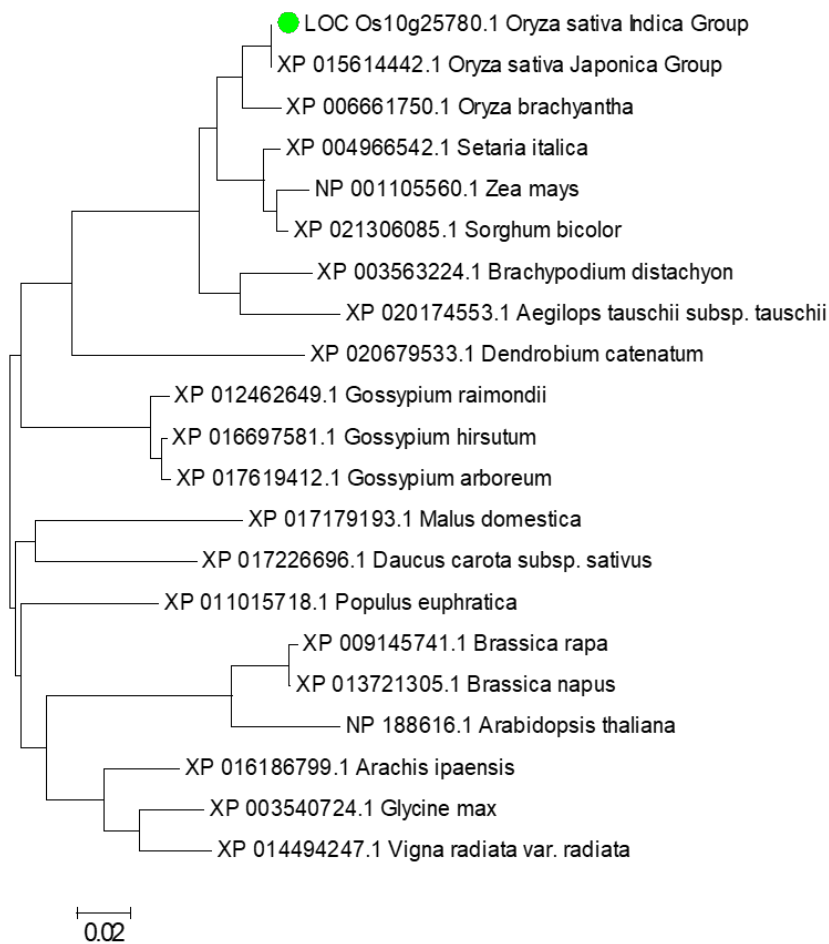


Figure S3. Phylogenetic tree of LTBSG1 with 20 homologous proteins in different plants. All the protein sequences were downloaded from the database of NCBI. The phylogenetic tree was constructed by MEGA5.10 program with the neighbor-joining method by 1,000 bootstrap replicates.

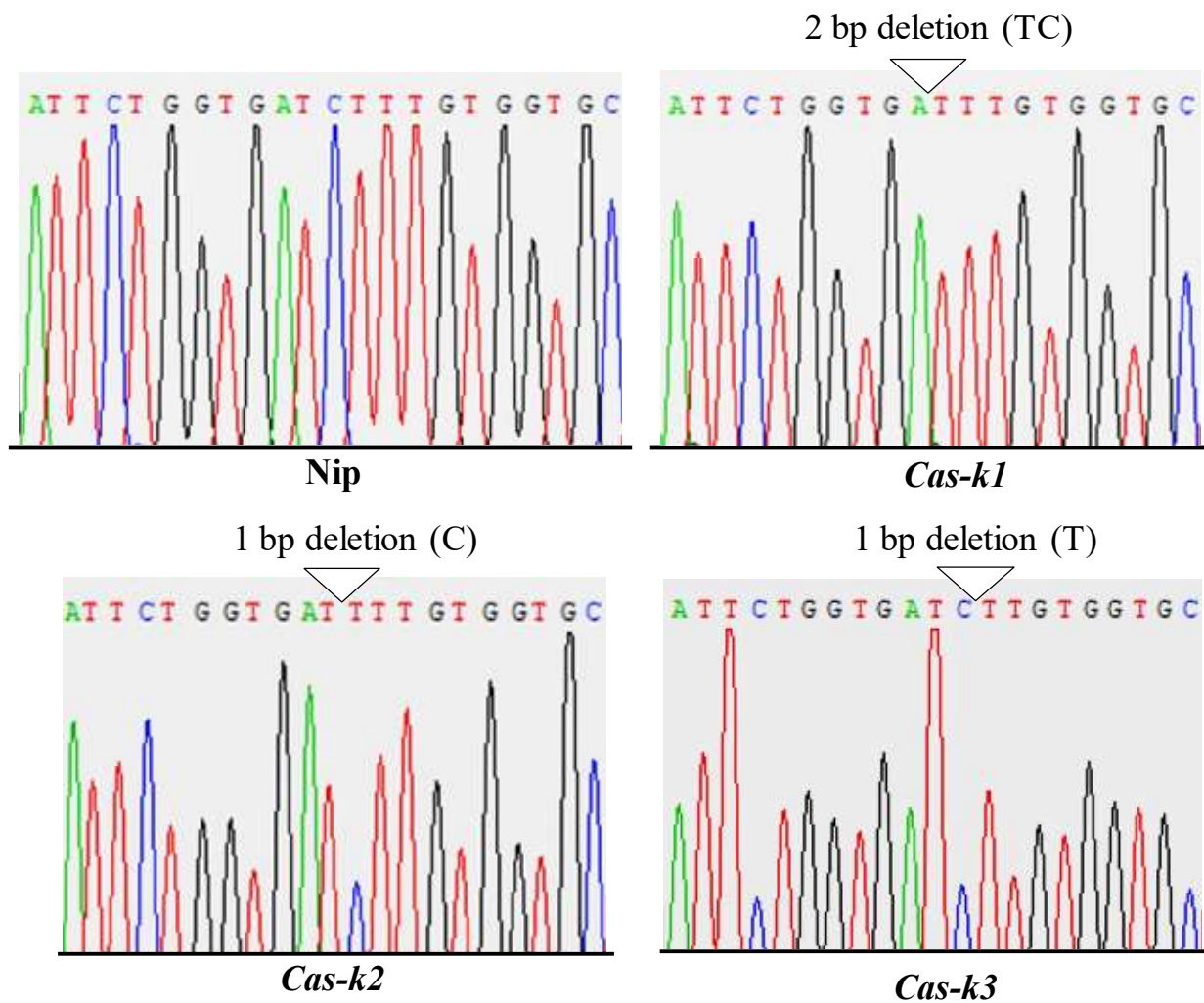


Figure S4. The confirmation of mutation sites of LTBSG1 knock-out lines by sequencing. The nucleotide deletions in Cas-k1, Cas-k2 and Cas-k3 were occurred in 173 th bp, 174 th bp and 175th bp, respectively.

Table S1. Primer list of this study.

(A) Primers for gene mapping

Marker	Forward primer (5'→3')	Reverse primer (5'→3')
RM596	ATCTACACGGACGAATTGCC	AGAAGCTTCAGCCTCTGCAG
z10-4	AACGTACACTCACTTCCCTATTG	CTTCGAGATCTGGCTTTGTTTT
z10-5	AAGGATTCTGTGCAAGTTAGTTTT	AGAGAGGAAGCGGAGGAGAAT
z10-7	TGCAAATAATCCCAATCATAACTC	TTGCTAATGGATATGTGCTACCC
z10-9	AAGGCCATTATTTAAGCATCGTA	TAGGGTCCATCACATAATAAAT
z10-10	GGTCTGATCGCCGCTTAGT	TTGTTGGTTTTGTTTCAGATTAG
z10-11	GGCGCCGATTGGAGGTA	TTGTTTGCTGGTAGTTCCTCGTTCA
z10-12	GTTTCTATGGACCCGATACTGC	ACGAGCTTACCGCTGCTTT

(B) Primers for vector construction

Purpose	Forward primer (5'→3')	Reverse primer (5'→3')
Knock-out by CRISPR/Cas9	tgccgGTTGAGCCTCTTGTCAACATgt ttagagctagaat	AAAACATGTTGACAAGAGGCTCAACgg cagccaagccagca
GUS assay	CCATGATTACgaattcATGGCGAAAG GAGTGGGTGAC	CTCAGATCTAccatggCTCCGCTGTATTGA CACAGTTACA
Subcellular localization	CGGGGGACGAGCTCggtaccATGGT AAAATGGAAGTGTGATGGATG	CAGTGAAAAGTTCTTCTCCTTTACTCAT tctagaCGCCTCATCAGCGTAGGC

(C) Primers for qRT-PCR

Gene	Forward primer (5'→3')	Reverse primer (5'→3')
<i>OsActin</i>	GTGGTCGCCCTCTCTGAAAG	GGCTTAGCATTCTTGGGTCCG
<i>LTBSG1</i> <i>/BRD2</i>	AATCATAGCCGGACTGCAGCCAT	GCAGACCAGACATCGCCCAAATA
<i>LP</i>	GACAGTGAGGATAGGAGCCG	CGCCATCCAATCAATAGTTC
<i>DEP1</i>	TCAACATCTTCAAATGCTCCTGC	ATGGGTACGACACCGTGGG
<i>FZP</i>	CACATTGGCTCGTACGGTCA	AAGAGGAAGTCGTGGCCGT
<i>LAX2</i>	CCGACGACGACCACCACGGATT	TGGCGAGGCGGAGCCAGTCCCTG
<i>TAW1</i>	GCTGGAGAAGACGAAGAAAGATAG	CATTCCCCCTCCTCCTCC
<i>GW2</i>	CAGCAGCGCATTCCCAGTTTTT	GTGGTCAGCCGAGCACTCTC
<i>qGW8</i>	AGGAGTTTGTATGAGGCCAAG	GCGTGTAGTATGGGCTCTCC
<i>GL3.1</i>	TCACAACCTCCAGGATAGG	TTTGTCTCGCTCGTCTAT
<i>GS5</i>	TTTGGCTGAGTATGCCTGGAG	ATTTGCGAAGAATGCACGAT
<i>qSW5</i>	GGGAGGGAGCAAGCGGAGGA	CTCGCCAAGTTGCCGGCTGC
<i>SMG1</i>	GTCATGATGAATTCCGATGGG	ACTCCTAGATCCCACGTCTCAA
<i>TGW6</i>	ACAGCCACAACGAGAATGTTCAAGA	TGTACGTGTAGGTGCTCCAGCCA
<i>BRI1</i>	CAGCTACTTGGCTATCTTGAA	CCATTCTTGTTGAAGGTGTACT
<i>BU1</i>	GTAGCCAGCTTGATCTCATCTC	GGGACGACTCTACTGCATCA
<i>DLT</i>	TCAATCCATTGCAGGGACGAT	ACGGCGACTTGCTGTACTCC
<i>BAK1</i>	CACCCACAGAAAGGTTGCTT	CATCATTGGCTAGACGAGCA
<i>GSK2</i>	TCGGTATCGTCTTTCAGGCTA	AAGCCCCCTAAATAACTGATACA
<i>MDP1</i>	TTATTGACCGGTACAACCTCGCA	TCCAGTCCATCGATCTCATCC
<i>BZR1</i>	CCATCGCCGCCAAGATCTTCA	TGCCATCGCCGCCAAGATCTT
<i>BSK3</i>	CTACAGTACCAATCTGGCGTTTA	CAGGCATCTTGAAGCTAATCG
<i>BLE2</i>	GCTAGTTAGCTTACATGATGGC	GCGGGTGAACATCCTCGT
<i>BRD1</i>	GAGAAGAACATGGAATCACATCC	TCAGTAATCTTGAACGCGGATAT
<i>BRD2</i>	AATCATAGCCGGACTGCAGCCAT	GCAGACCAGACATCGCCCAAATA
<i>D2</i>	ATGTGATAACAGAGACGCTGCGGT	TGGTGACCAAGTGGTGAAGGAAGA
<i>D11</i>	AGTGAAGAGGGAGCATGAAGGCAT	ATCTGCAGGGCTGAAAATTGTTGGG
<i>CPD1</i>	TCTTCTCCATCCCCTTCTCT	CACCCCTCCGCCTCAAGA

Table S2. Predicated function analysis of candidate genes of *ltbsg1*

Accession number	Gene function annotation
LOC_Os10g25740	Cellulose synthase, putative, expressed
LOC_Os10g25750	Transposon protein, putative, CACTA, En/Spm sub-class
LOC_Os10g25760	Transposon protein, putative, CACTA, En/Spm sub-class, expressed
LOC_Os10g25770	Transcription initiation factor IIE subunit beta, putative, expressed
LOC_Os10g25780	FAD-linked oxidoreductase protein, putative, expressed
LOC_Os10g25800	Expressed protein
LOC_Os10g25810	Expressed protein
LOC_Os10g25830	Mitochondrial carrier protein, putative, expressed
LOC_Os10g25850	Nuclear transcription factor Y subunit, putative, expressed
LOC_Os10g25870	Dirigent, putative, expressed
LOC_Os10g25880	Retrotransposon protein, putative, unclassified, expressed
LOC_Os10g25890	Retrotransposon protein, putative, unclassified, expressed
LOC_Os10g25900	Dirigent, putative, expressed

Table S3. Agronomic traits of Nip and three knock-out lines

Traits	Nip	<i>Cas-k1</i>	<i>Cas-k2</i>	<i>Cas-k3</i>
Plant height (cm)	76.38 ± 2.85	31.55 ± 2.07**	30.44 ± 2.86**	32.74 ± 3.15**
Top branch length (cm) ¹	3.34 ± 0.31	4.46 ± 0.19**	4.09 ± 0.98**	5.22 ± 1.04**
Grain length (mm)	6.03 ± 0.05	4.41 ± 0.02**	4.43 ± 0.03**	4.36 ± 0.03**
Grain width (mm)	3.10 ± 0.01	2.14 ± 0.01**	2.10 ± 0.01**	2.24 ± 0.02**
No. of grains per panicle	58.37 ± 5.12	10.66 ± 2.62**	10.43 ± 1.54**	9.67 ± 2.17**
Seed setting rate (%)	88.28 ± 1.75	20.53 ± 2.18**	25.22 ± 2.53**	28.10 ± 3.12**

¹The primary branch length represented the average length of all primary branches without the top branch. Values represent the means ± SD (*n* = 10). **, *P* ≤ 0.01.

Table S4. Gene ontology enrichment analysis for part of differentially expressed genes involved in biological process

GO ID	GO term	Count in selection (out of 521)	Count in total genome (out of 10488)	Corrected <i>P</i> value
GO:0009889	Regulation of biosynthetic process	95	1069	1.52E-06
GO:2000112	Regulation of cellular macromolecule biosynthetic process	95	1069	1.52E-06
GO:008009	Regulation of primary metabolic process	95	1095	2.68E-06
GO:000604	Amino sugar metabolic process	9	17	2.68E-06
GO:0031323	Regulation of cellular metabolic process	95	1100	2.90E-06
GO:0016998	Cell wall macromolecule catabolic process	9	18	4.68E-06
GO:0009607	Response to biotic stimulus	7	13	5.75E-05
GO:1901136	Carbohydrate derivative catabolic process	9	26	0.00015
GO:1901565	Organonitrogen compound catabolic process	10	37	0.00049
GO:0006950	Response to stress	46	529	0.00630
GO:0006979	Response to oxidative stress	19	174	0.03893

Sequencing and analysis of transcriptome of the samples were performed in by Illumina Hiseq XTen platform. After QC and mapping of reads to genome of *Oryza sativa.v7.0*, Salmon (0.8.2) was used to calculate reads count and TPM (Transcripts Per Million) of unigene. Differentially expressed genes was calculate based on reads count of each gene using package DEseq2. Significant differentially expressed genes were picked with the following criteria: corrected *P* value <0.05 and *foldchange value* >2. The topGO (v 2.24.0) was used for GO enrichment analysis.