



Figure S1. The expression patterns of *MbbHLH93* in root, stem, new leaf and mature leaf of *Malus baccata*. Relative expression levels of *MbbHLH93* were calculated via the $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ method and values were shown as the mean \pm standard deviation (SD) based on the three repetitions. Lowercase letters displayed the significant differences at $P < 0.05$.