**Supplemental Table 2 Most stable and least stable combination of reference genes based on RefFinder analysis.**

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| Experimental treatments |
| Salt treated leaves and roots | PEG-treated leaves and roots |
| Most stable RG | Least stable RG | Most stable RG | Least stable RG |
| *MsEF1a* | *MsUBC2* | *MsEF1a* | *MsGAPDH* |
| *MsACT* |  | *MsTUB* |  |