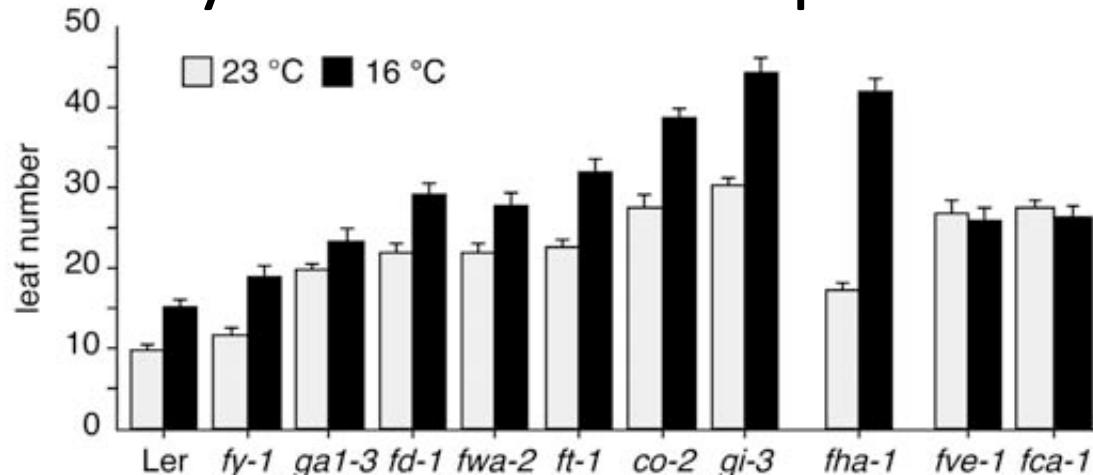


SVP, a thermosensory pathway  
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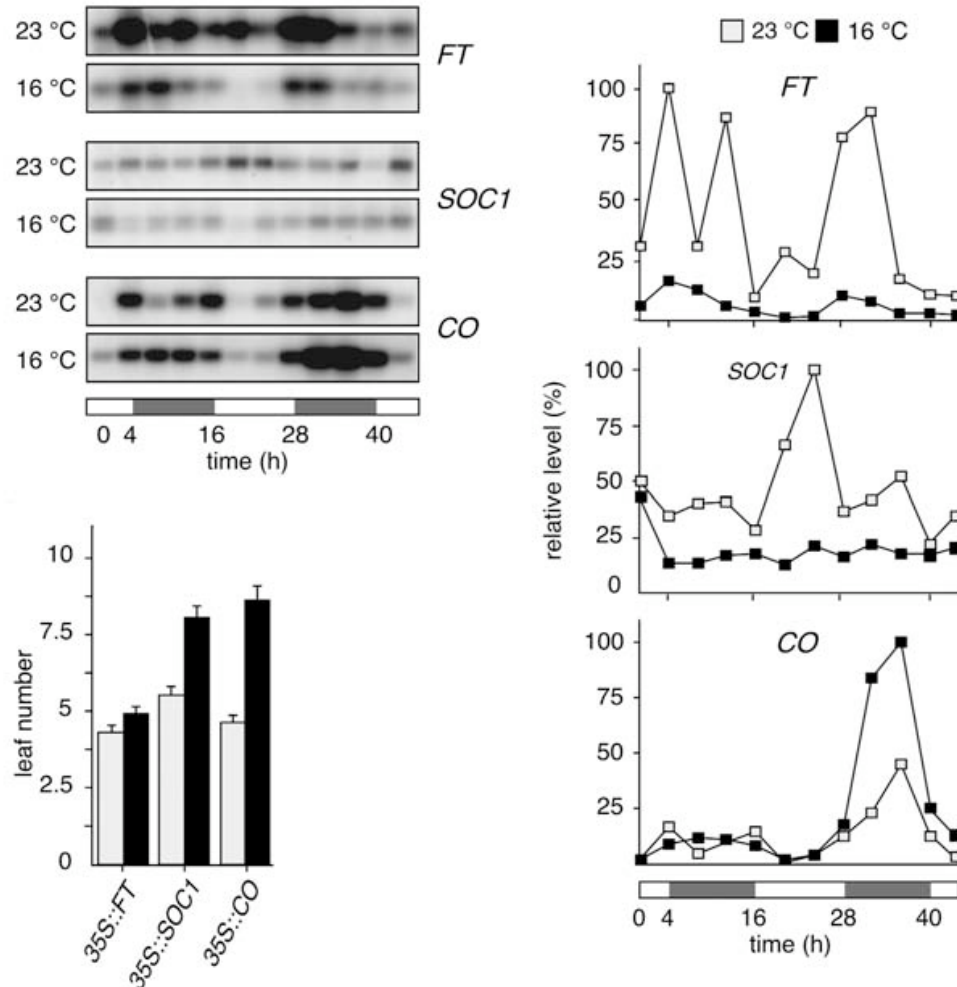
# The thermosensory pathway

- We identified some mutants that showed insensitivity to ambient temperature changes



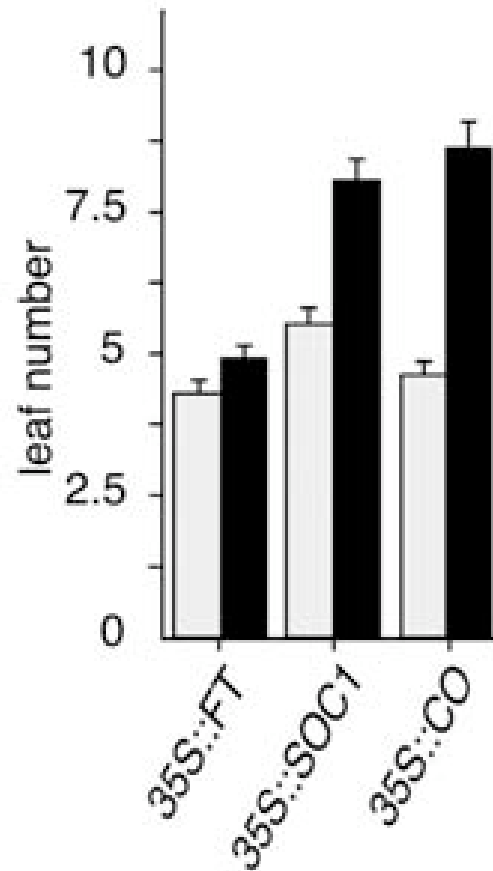
- FCA and FVE were originally grouped in the autonomous pathway

# *FT* expression is dramatically reduced in lower temperature



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# *FT* overexpression showed insensitivity to ambient temperature changes



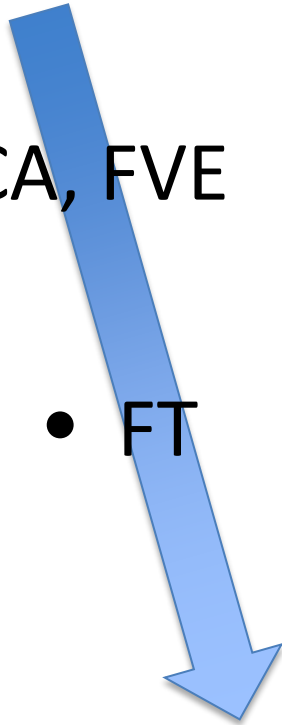
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- FCA, FVE

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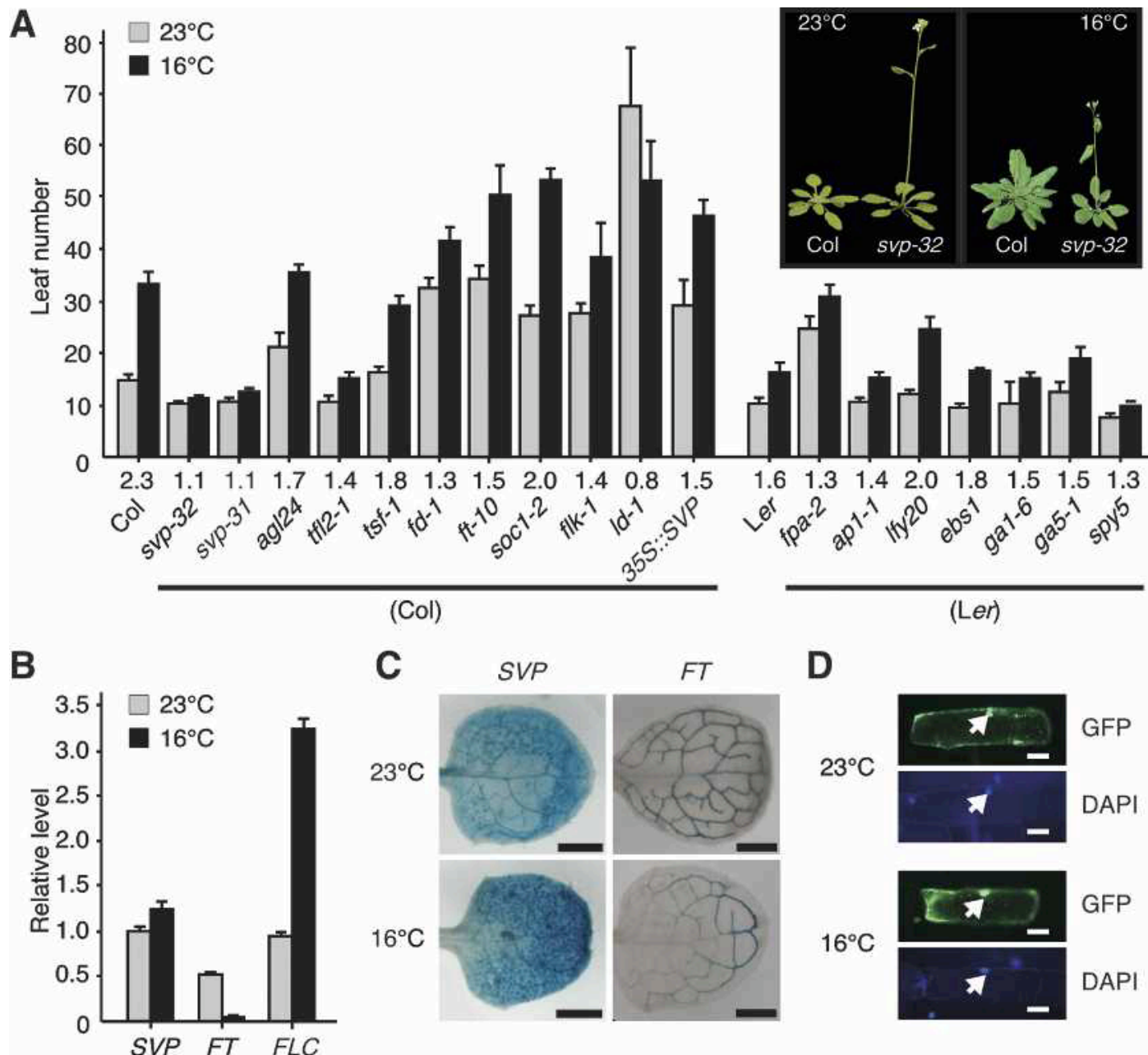
The thermosensory pathway

- Flowering  
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# SVP, a mediator in the ambient temperature signaling

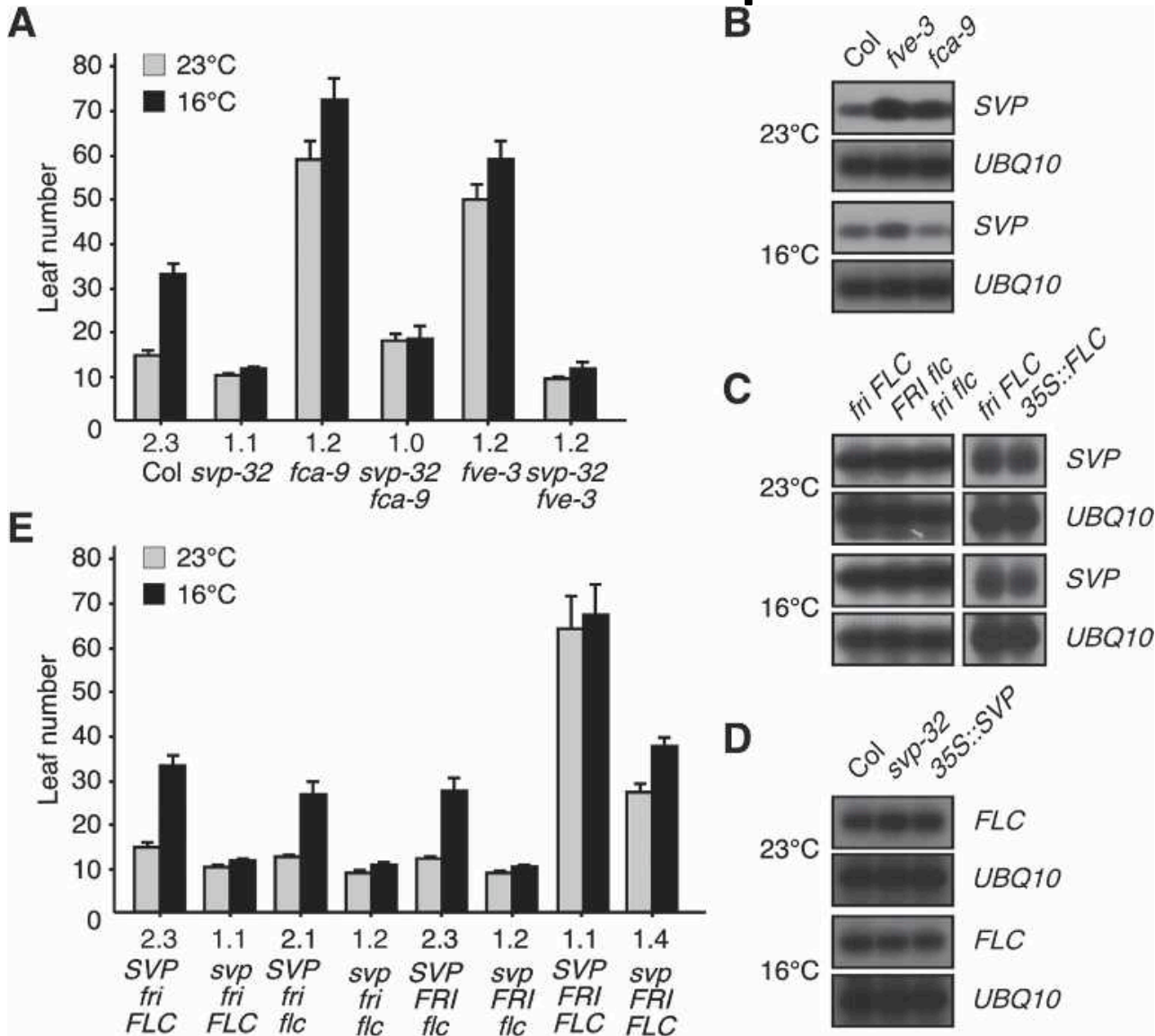
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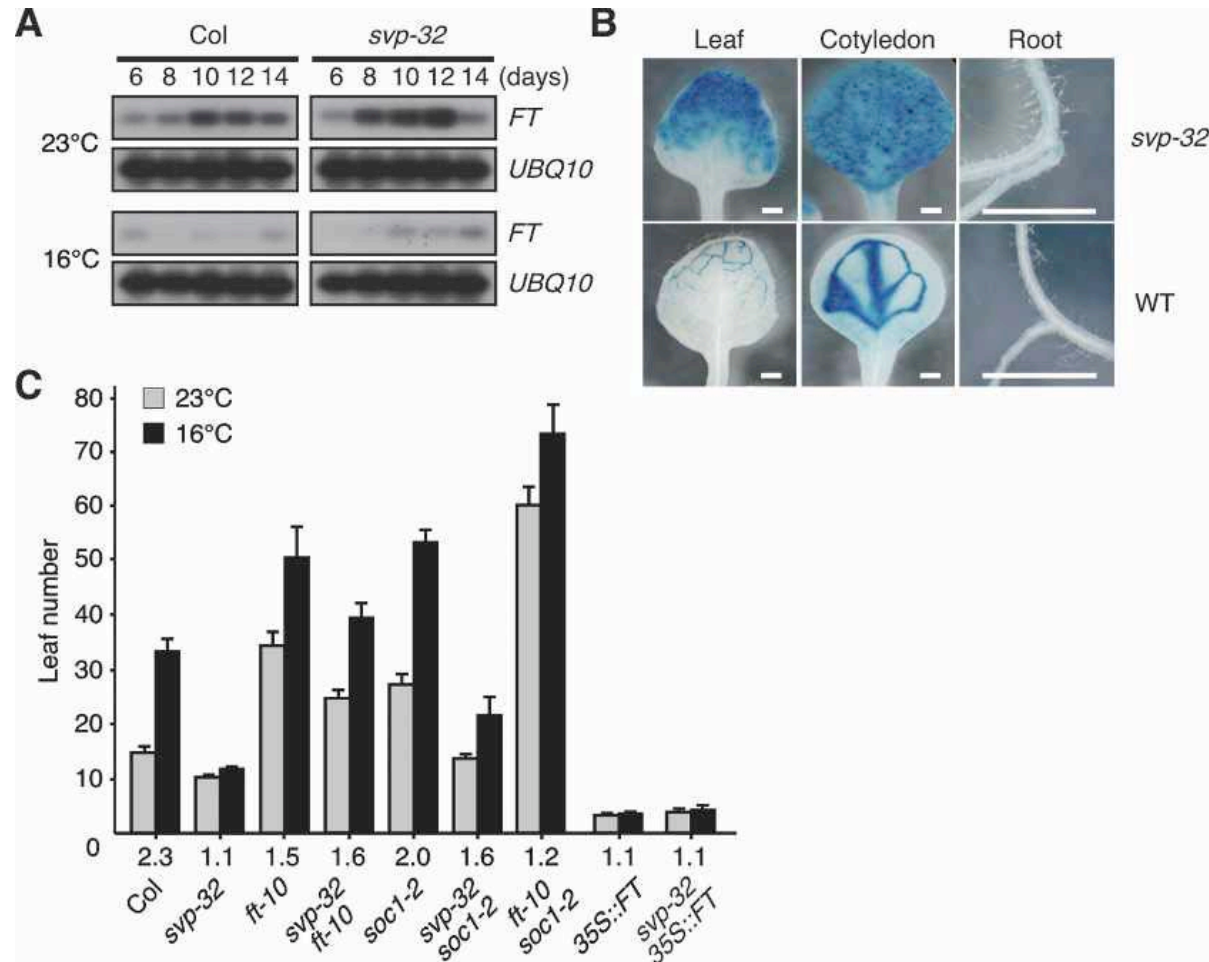


# SVP function is independent of FLC



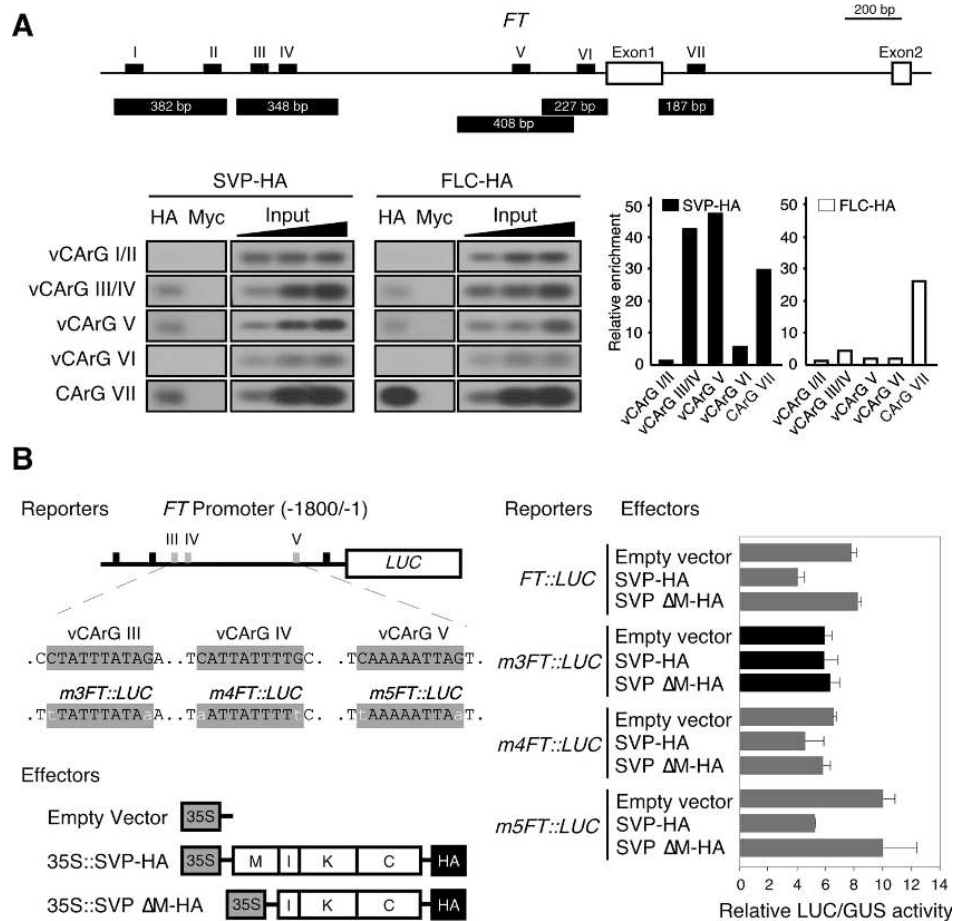
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# Early flowering of *svp* mutants is resulted from upregulation of *FT*



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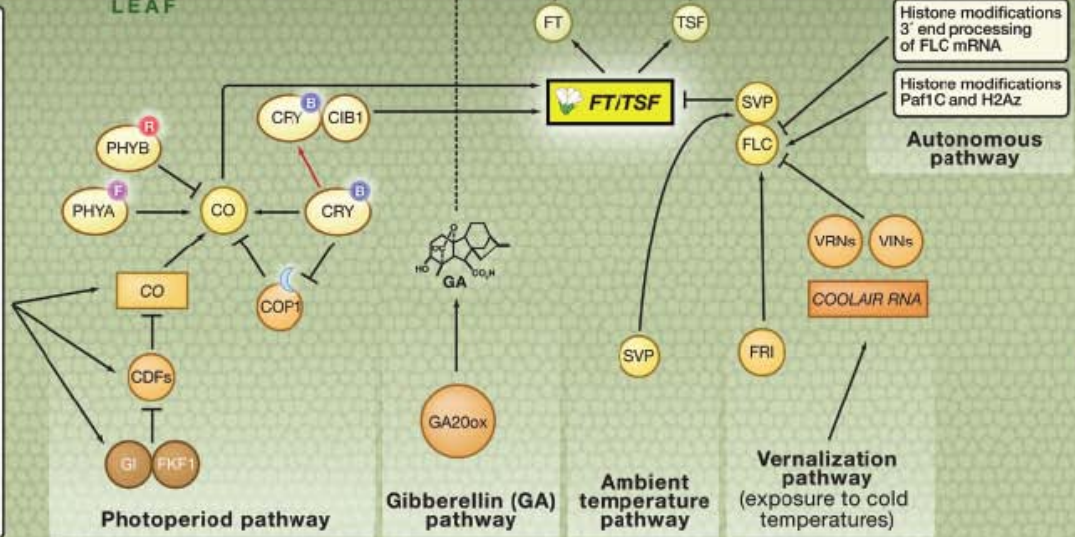
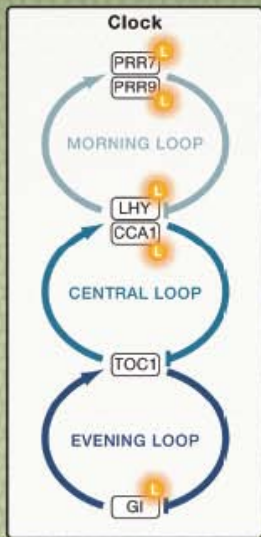
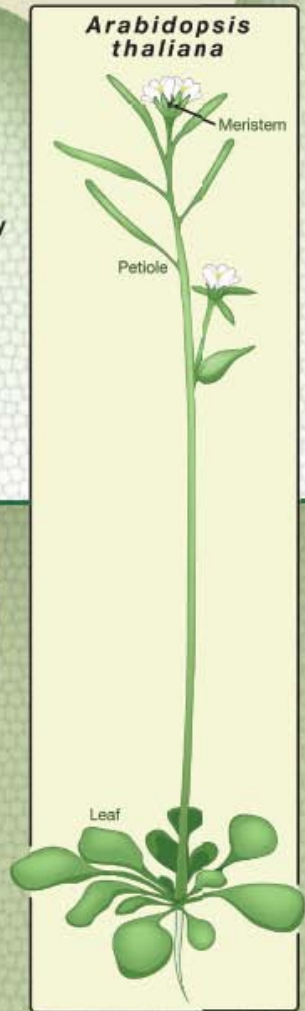
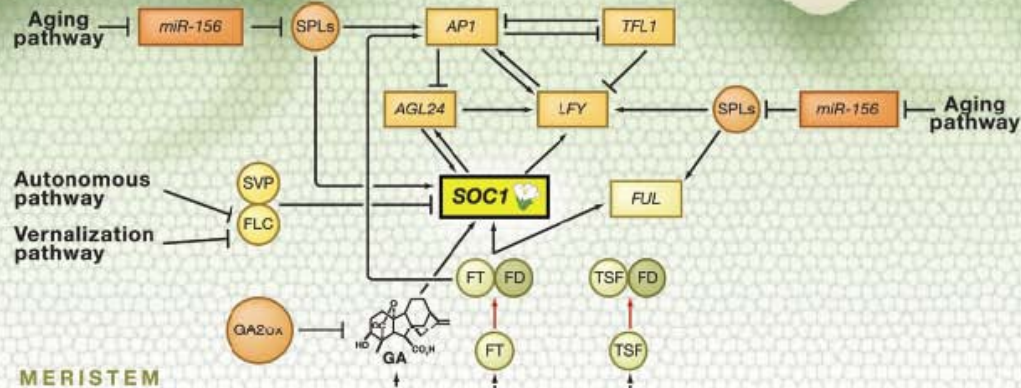
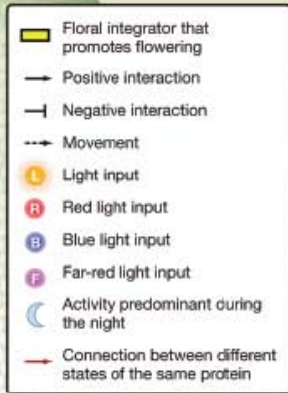
# Direct binding of SVP protein to vCArG box in the *FT* promoter



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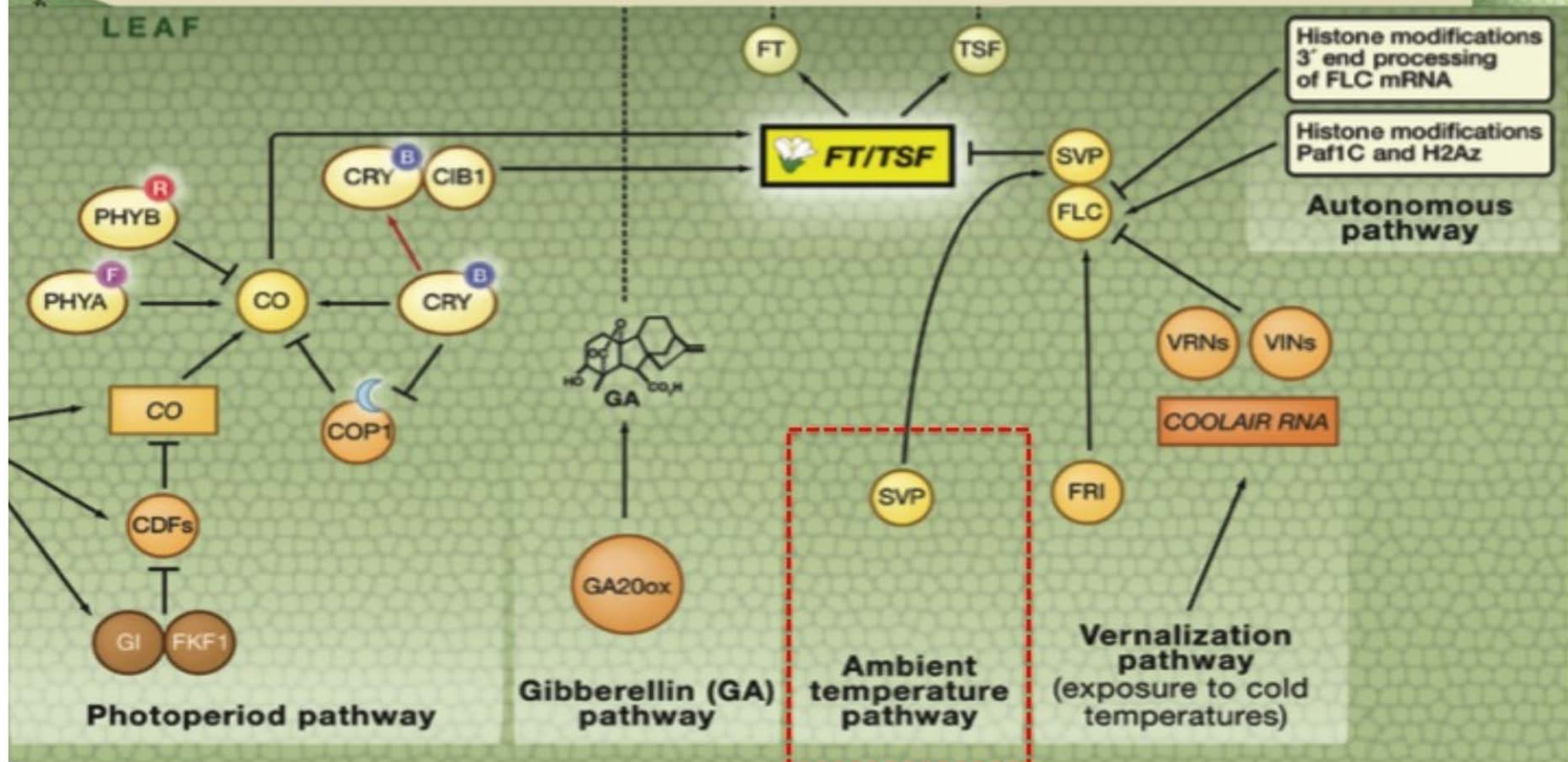




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