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#### Leaves of more cold hardy grapes have a higher density of small, sunken stomata

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## Supplementary Table S1

Stomatal density and index of different grape cultivars /accessions grown under regular (22 °C) and low temperature (4 °C) conditions. Data shown are the mean of three biological replicates (SE = standard error). Values indicated by different letters in the same column are significantly different as determined by Tukey-Kramer's HSD test (p < 0.05)

|                | ]          | Leaf parameters at room temperature (22 °C) |  |       |                       |       |                        | Leaf parameters at low temperature (4 °C)    |       |                       |       |  |  |
|----------------|------------|---|--|-------|-----------------------|-------|------------------------|--|-------|-----------------------|-------|--|--|
| Leaf<br>number | Leaf area  | Number<br>of                                | Stomatal density (stomata·mm <sup>-2</sup> ) |       | Stomatal index (*100) |       | Number of              | Stomatal density (stomata·mm <sup>-2</sup> ) |       | Stomatal index (*100) |       |  |  |
|                | $(mm^2)$   | cells·mm <sup>-2</sup>                      | Mean   | SE    | Mean                  | SE    | cells·mm <sup>-2</sup> | Mean   | SE    | Mean                  | SE    |  |  |
| Manitoba       | (MB)       |   |  |       |                       |       |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 1         | 86.7 f     | 20855.0 abc                                 | 30.4 f                                       | 11.5  | 14.1 i                | 4.8   | 18303.0 a              | 65.1 c                                       | 10.6  | 107.2 d               | 72.0  |  |  |
| Leaf 2         | 186.1 f    | 25894.1 a                                   | 130.2 ef                                     | 32.8  | 49.2 hi               | 9.2   | 14783.0 abc            | 395.0 abc                                    | 54.4  | 210.5 cd              | 53.9  |  |  |
| Leaf 3         | 292.6 f    | 24401.0 ab                                  | 247.4 c-f                                    | 19.9  | 111.3 ghi             | 7.3   | 8181.4 abc             | 527.3 ab                                     | 16.0  | 511.4 a-d             | 110.6 |  |  |
| Leaf 4         | 658.5 f    | 23068.6 ab                                  | 525.2 abc                                    | 11.5  | 229.4 e-i             | 15.3  | 4969.6 bc              | 334.2 abc                                    | 61.2  | 611.2 abc             | 29.8  |  |  |
| Leaf 5         | 1755.8 ef  | 10503.5 c-h                                 | 449.2 b-e                                    | 69.1  | 402.7 c-g             | 119.3 | 3350.7 с               | 225.7 bc                                     | 23.0  | 781.3 ab              | 44.4  |  |  |
| Leaf 9         | 13699.6 ab | 3177.1 e-h                                  | 227.9 c-f                                    | 38.6  | 699.4 abc             | 86.5  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 10        | 15478.8 a  | 2777.8 h                                    | 191.0 def                                    | 26.4  | 683.5 abc             | 20.1  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Quebec (       | QC)        |   |  |       |                       |       |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 1         | 165.2 f    | 24865.5 ab                                  | 342.9 c-f                                    | 24.2  | 138.1 ghi             | 3.3   | 17469.6 ab             | 468.8 ab                                     | 162.8 | 292.9 cd              | 113.8 |  |  |
| Leaf 2         | 557.0 f    | 15746.5 a-e                                 | 729.2 a                                      | 81.3  | 478.9 b-f             | 53.5  | 10694.4 abc            | 638.0 a                                      | 64.2  | 657.0 abc             | 128.5 |  |  |
| Leaf 3         | 1275.7 f   | 9192.7 d-h                                  | 787.8 ab                                     | 111.6 | 724.5 abc             | 55.8  | 6189.2 abc             | 447.1 ab                                     | 50.1  | 736.9 ab              | 56.6  |  |  |
| Leaf 4         | 2698.1 ef  | 5672.7 e-h                                  | 499.1 a-d                                    | 176.3 | 763.6 ab              | 40.2  | 4409.7 c               | 347.2 abc                                    | 78.2  | 773.2 ab              | 42.3  |  |  |
| Leaf 5         | 4391.1 e   | 3971.4 fgh                                  | 316.8 c-f                                    | 37.8  | 827.3 ab              | 45.8  | 3880.2 c               | 308.2 abc                                    | 11.5  | 801.6 a               | 47.9  |  |  |
| Leaf 9         | 10077.8 cd | 3802.1 fgh                                  | 308.2 c-f                                    | 8.7   | 866.2 a               | 24.4  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 10        | 12234.6 bc | 3103.3 h                                    | 243.1 c-f                                    | 11.5  | 784.6 ab              | 43.1  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Riesling (     | (RL)       |   |  |       |                       |       |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 1         |            |   |  |       |                       |       |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 2         |            |   |  |       |                       |       |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 3         | 258.6 f    | 17209.2 a-d                                 | 123.7 ef                                     | 5.3   | 74.7 ghi              | 14.5  | 11480.0 abc            | 191.0 bc                                     | 24.2  | 253.9 cd              | 117.8 |  |  |
| Leaf 4         | 587.5 f    | 17161.5 a-d                                 | 130.2 ef                                     | 10.6  | 77.6 ghi              | 11.1  | 11744.8 abc            | 277.8 bc                                     | 44.1  | 287.1 cd              | 79.4  |  |  |
| Leaf 5         | 1349.6 f   | 14027.8 b-h                                 | 234.4 c-f                                    | 0.0   | 165.9 f-i             | 35.8  | 9205.7 abc             | 286.5 bc                                     | 37.6  | 367.0 b-d             | 81.0  |  |  |
| Leaf 9         | 8227.2 d   | 4097.2 fgh                                  | 217.0 c-f                                    | 5.3   | 566.7 a-d             | 84.8  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 10        | 9671.1 cd  | 4392.4 e-h                                  | 182.3 c-f                                    | 10.6  | 485.4 b-f             | 64.4  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Chardonn       | ay (CH)    |   |  |       |                       |       |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 1         |            |   |  |       |                       |       |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 2         |            |   |  |       |                       |       |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 3         | 361.3 f    | 15230.0 a-f                                 | 195.3 def                                    | 56.8  | 152.8 ghi             | 71.9  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 4         | 1037.4 f   | 15056.4 a-g                                 | 429.7 a-e                                    | 39.8  | 349.2 d-h             | 106.7 |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 5         | 2041.5 ef  | 9674.5 c-h                                  | 347.2 b-f                                    | 69.4  | 398.1 c-g             | 62.9  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 9         | 7954.8 d   | 3663.2 gh                                   | 208.3 c-f                                    | 15.0  | 644.5 a-d             | 15.9  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |
| Leaf 10        | 10191.7 cd | 3085.9 h                                    | 186.6 def                                    | 17.4  | 566.1 a-e             | 18.1  |                        |  |       |                       |       |  |  |

# Supplementary Table S2

Size of stomata and pavement cells, and number of pavement cells between stomata, for different grape cultivars/ accessions. The length of stomata includes the lengths of all three different sized stomata: sunken, same level and raised. Values indicated by different letters in the same column are significantly different as determined by Tukey-Kramer's HSD test (p < 0.05) (SE = standard error)

| Grape cultivar/accession | Leaf    | Stomata length (µm)          | Length of pavement cells (µm) | Number of pavement cells<br>between stomata<br>Mean ± SE |  |  |
|--------------------------|---------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
| cultivar/accession       | number  | Mean ±SE                     | $Mean \pm SE$                 |  |  |  |
| Manitoba (MB)            | Leaf 1  | $11.5 \pm 0.8 \text{ d-g}$   |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 2  | $11.5\pm0.9\;fg$             |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 3  | $10.3\pm0.4\;g$              | $4.7\pm0.1~\text{c}$          | $7.0 \pm 0.3 \; ab$                                      |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 4  | $11.0\pm0~.3~fg$             |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 5  | $13.6 \pm 0.2 \; d\text{-g}$ | $5.9 \pm 0.3c$                | $3.4\pm0.5\;cd$  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 9  | $26.7 \pm 1.1 \ ab$          |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 10 | $25.9 \pm 1.1 \; ab$         | $18.2\pm1.8a$                 | $3.0 \pm 0.2 \ d$  |  |  |
| Quebec (QC)              | Leaf 1  | $11.3 \pm 0.5 \text{ fg}$    |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 2  | $12.2 \pm 1.2 \ efg$         |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 3  | $16.5\pm1.9~c\text{-g}$      | $9.2 \pm 2.1$ bc              | $2.8 \pm 0.1 \ d$  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 4  | $20.9 \pm 2.6 \; a\text{-d}$ |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 5  | $24.4 \pm 2.2 \ abc$         | $9.9\pm2.3\;bc$               | $3.2\pm0.2\ d$   |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 9  | $26.3 \pm 0.2 \ ab$          |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 10 | $27.1\pm0.9~a$               | $15.5\pm0.4\;ab$              | $3.3 \pm 0.2 \; cd$                                      |  |  |
| Riesling (RL)            | Leaf 1  |                              |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 2  |                              |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 3  | $13.0\pm2.7~d\text{-g}$      | $5.3\pm0.3\ c$                | $7.8\pm1.0\;a$   |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 4  | $18.7\pm1.7\;b\text{-}f$     |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 5  | $21.0\pm1.3~\text{a-d}$      | $6.3 \pm 0.6 c$               | $5.7\pm0.7~a\text{-d}$                                   |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 9  | $20.8 \pm 1.1 \text{ a-d}$   |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 10 | $20.4 \pm 1.9 \text{ a-e}$   | $12.6\pm2.5~abc$              | $3.7 \pm 0.2 \; cd$                                      |  |  |
| Chardonnay (CH)          | Leaf 1  |                              |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 2  |                              |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 3  | $17.0 \pm 1.5 \text{ c-g}$   | $5.4 \pm 1.1 \text{ c}$       | $6.4 \pm 1.6$ abc  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 4  | $15.0 \pm 1.9 \text{ d-g}$   |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 5  | $20.4 \pm 0.6$ a-e           | $9.3 \pm 2.5 \text{ bc}$      | $4.3\pm0.3\;bcd$   |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 9  | $24.6 \pm 1.5 \text{ abc}$   |                               |  |  |  |
|                          | Leaf 10 | $24.1 \pm 1.1$ abc           | $15.0 \pm 1.$ ab              | $3.0 \pm 0.2 \; d$                                       |  |  |

### Supplementary Table S3

Summary of multi-factor ANOVA for stomatal density and stomatal index of mature leaves (10th leaf) of grape cultivars 'Riesling', 'Chardonnay', 'Sauvignon blanc' (SB) and 'Merlot' grown on different rootstocks and sites, when the data for three different times (July, August and September) were combined. These grape cultivars were grown on rootstock 3309, Riparia Gloire (RipG) or SO4 in the vineyards of Chateau des Charmes (CDC) and Stratus.

Summary of Multi-factor ANOVA for stomatal density and stomatal index

| Source                     | Stomatal density (stomata·mm <sup>-2</sup> ) |         |        |                   |    | Stomatal index (×100) |       |                          |  |  |
|----------------------------|--|---------|--------|-------------------|----|-----------------------|-------|--------------------------|--|--|
| Source                     | df   | df MS F |        | p                 | df | MS                    | F     | p                        |  |  |
| Cultivar                   | 3  | 42782   | 35.405 | 4.90e-14 ***      | 3  | 4.974                 | 6.251 | 0.000803 ***             |  |  |
| Time                       | 2  | 17367   | 14.372 | 5.89e-06 ***      | 2  | 2.771                 | 3.482 | 0.036179 *               |  |  |
| Vineyard                   | 1  | 3655    | 3.025  | $0.0864^{\rm NS}$ | 1  | 7.007                 | 8.806 | 0.004106 **              |  |  |
| Rootstock                  | 2  | 3953    | 3.271  | 0.0438 *          | 2  | 0.721                 | 0.906 | $0.408913^{ m NS}$       |  |  |
| Interactions               |  |         |        |                   |    |                       |       |                          |  |  |
| Cultivar x Vineyard        | 3  | 1223    | 1.012  | $0.3926^{\rm NS}$ | 3  | 3.137                 | 3.943 | 0.011696 *               |  |  |
| Time x Vineyard            | 2  | 3915    | 3.240  | 0.0451 *          | 2  | 2.199                 | 2.763 | $0.069983^{\mathrm{NS}}$ |  |  |
| Cultivar x Time x Vineyard | 6  | 3054    | 2.528  | 0.0284 *          | 6  | 2.735                 | 3.437 | 0.004947 **              |  |  |

Level of significance: \*\*\* 0.001, \*\* 0.01, \* 0.05; df = degrees of freedom; MS = mean square and NS = not significant.

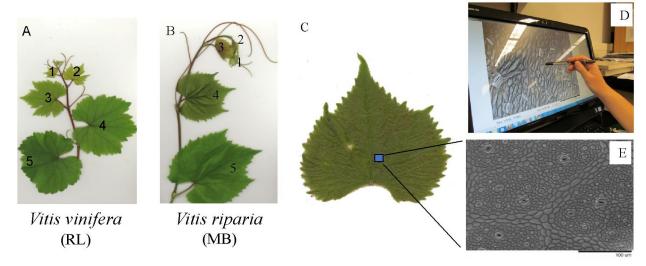
### Supplementary Table S4

Summary of post-hoc Tukey HSD test for multiple comparison of means for stomatal density and stomatal index of mature leaves (10<sup>th</sup> leaf) of grape cultivars 'Riesling', 'Chardonnay', 'Sauvignon blanc' (SB) and 'Merlot' at 95 % family-wise confidence level, when the data for three different times (July, August and September) were combined. These grape cultivars were grown on different rootstocks (3309, Riparia Gloire (RipG) or SO4) in the vineyards of Chateau des Charmes (CDC) and Stratus

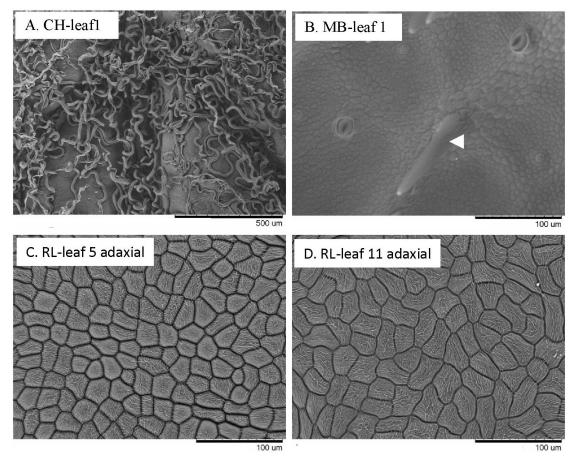
Summary of Tukey HSD test for stomatal density and stomatal index

| Source    | Multiple comparisons       | Stomatal density<br>(stomata·mm <sup>-2</sup> ) | Stomatal index (×100) Adjusted p value |  |  |
|-----------|----------------------------|---|--|--|--|
|           | _                          | Adjusted p value                                |  |  |  |
| Cultivar  | Merlot-Chardonnay          | 0.0000680 ***                                   | 0.0010585 **                           |  |  |
|           | Riesling-Chardonnay        | 0.0121405 *                                     | 0.3614432                              |  |  |
|           | Sauvignon Blanc-Chardonnay | 0.0028371 **                                    | 0.7660088                              |  |  |
|           | Riesling-Merlot            | 0.0000000 ***                                   | 0.0395294 *                            |  |  |
|           | Sauvignon Blanc-Merlot     | $0.9550581^{\rm NS}$                            | 0.0308629                              |  |  |
|           | Sauvignon Blanc-Riesling   | 0.0000000 ***                                   | 0.9494106                              |  |  |
| Time      | July-August                | 0.0000280 ***                                   | 0.5949632                              |  |  |
|           | September-August           | 0.0000646 ***                                   | 0.0303411 *                            |  |  |
|           | September-July             | $0.9708286^{\mathrm{NS}}$                       | 0.2280985                              |  |  |
| Vineyard  | CDC-Stratus                | NS  | 0.0078931 **                           |  |  |
| Rootstock | 3309-RipG                  | NS  | NS                                     |  |  |
|           | SO4-RipG                   | NS  | NS                                     |  |  |
|           | SO4-3309                   | NS  | NS                                     |  |  |

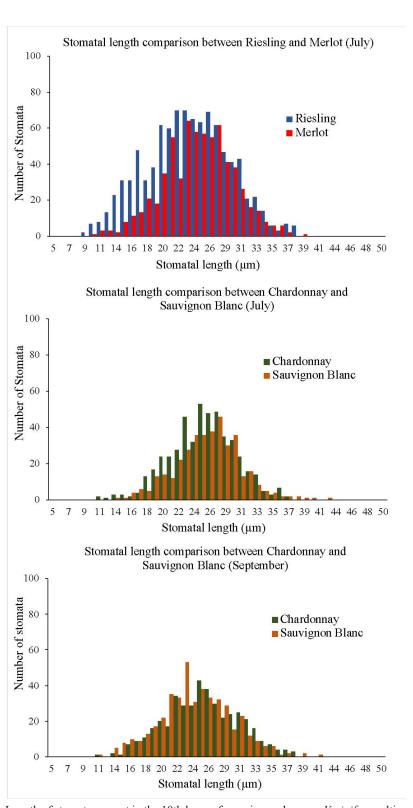
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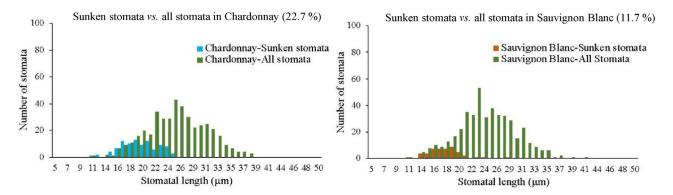


Supplementary Fig. S1: Procedure followed for the examination of grape leaves. *V. vinifera* (**A**) and *V. riparia* (**B**) leaves were collected from different nodes, a sample was cut out from the indicated area, and SEM pictures from that area were analyzed on the computer. RL = 'Riesling', MB = Manitoba Note that the leaves are numbered from young to more mature (1-5 in this figure).



Supplementary Fig. S2: SEM pictures of grape leaves. The pictures illustrate the presence on the abaxial surface of young grape leaves of long coiled prostate hairs in the case of *V. vinifera* 'Chardonnay' (**A**), and of trichomes (erect hairs) in the case of *V. riparia* Manitoba (**B**), and the absence of stomata on the adaxial surfaces of younger or older leaves (**C** and **D**). CH = 'Chardonnay', MB = Manitoba, RL = 'Riesling'.





Supplementary Fig. S4: Sunken stomata are small. The length of sunken stomata was determined by an independent re-analysis of the September pictures used for Fig. S3 and the results were superimposed on the initial data for all stomata.