

Regulation of early endosomes across eukaryotes: Evolution and functional homology of Vps9 proteins

Running Title: Vps9 evolution in eukaryotes

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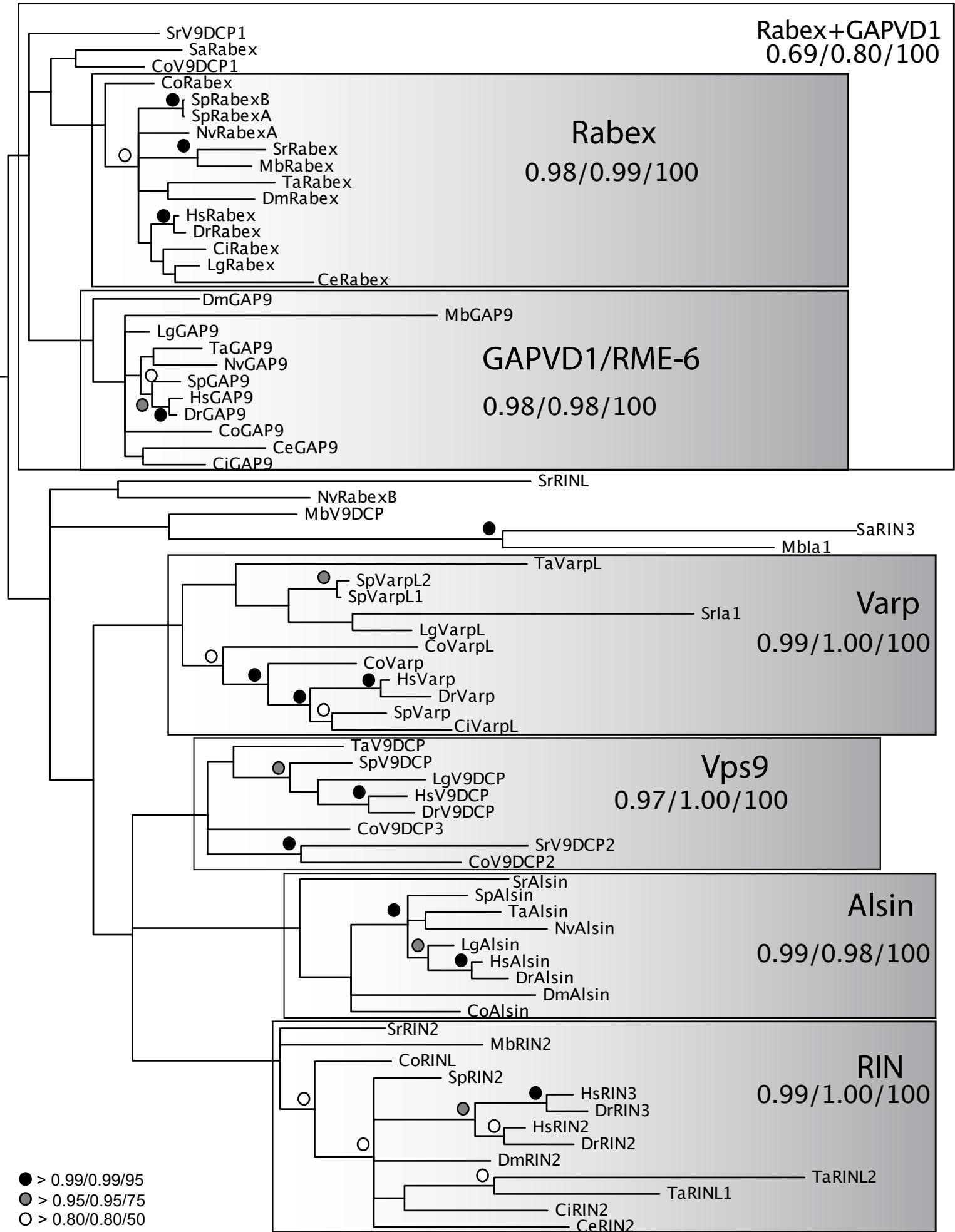
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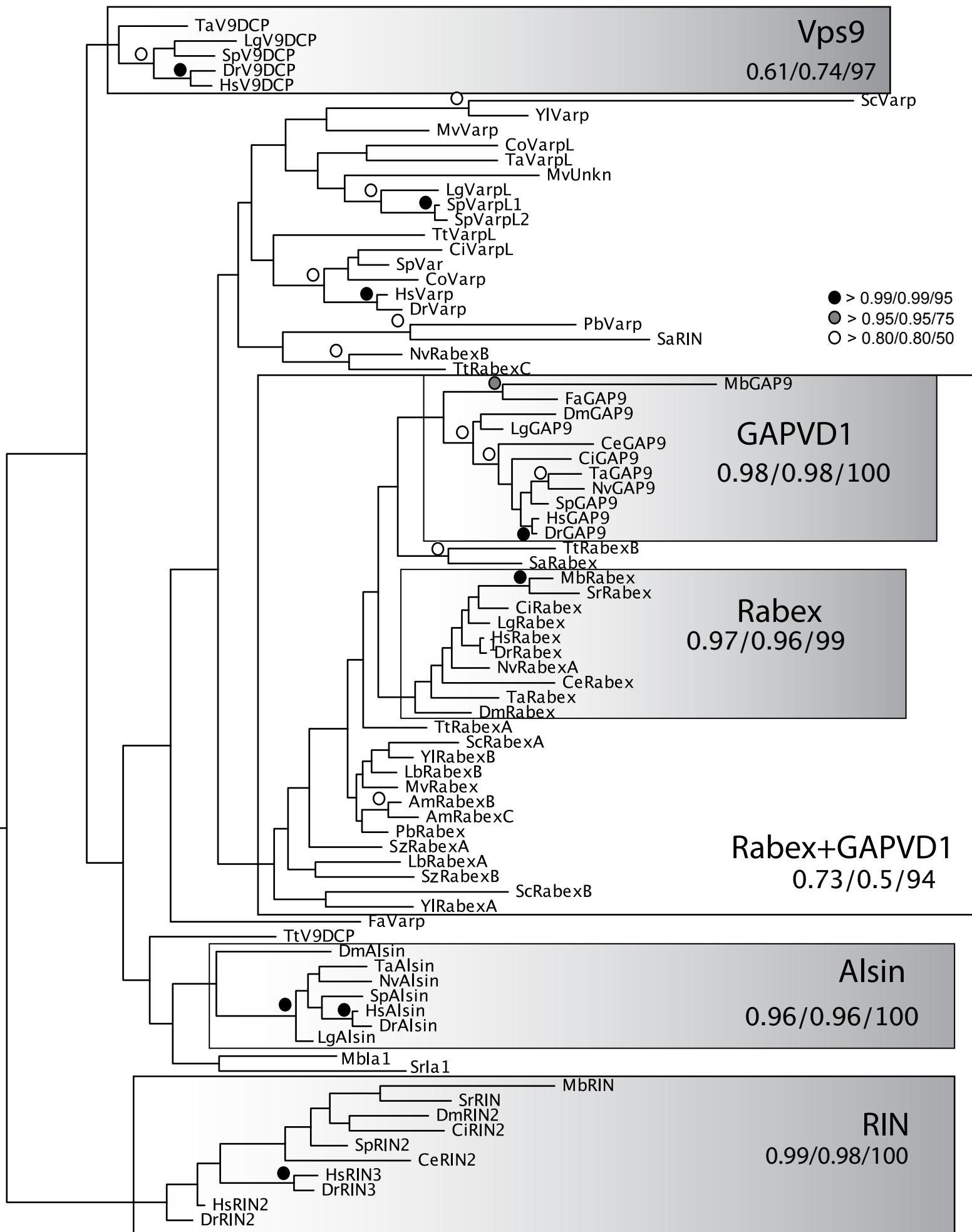
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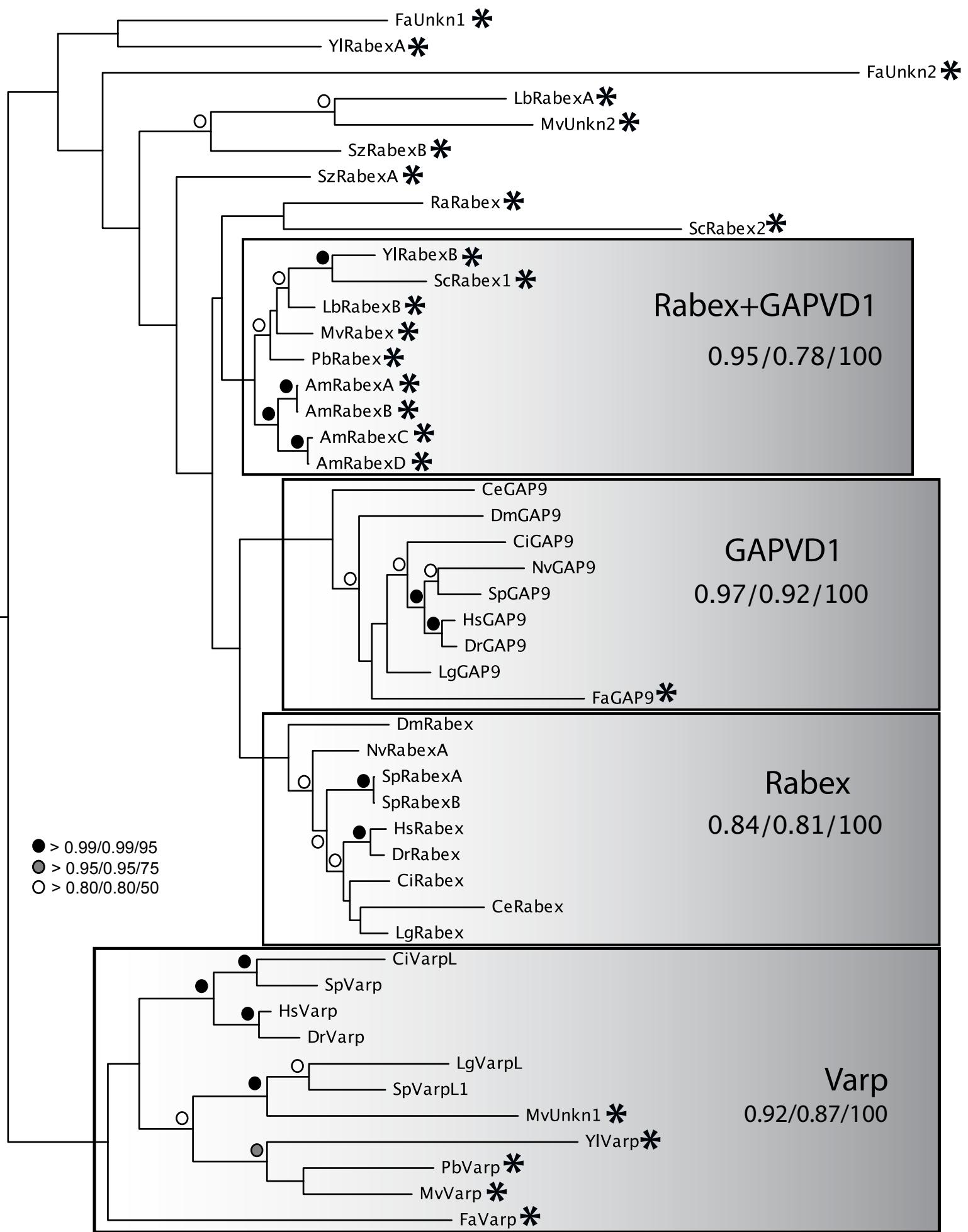
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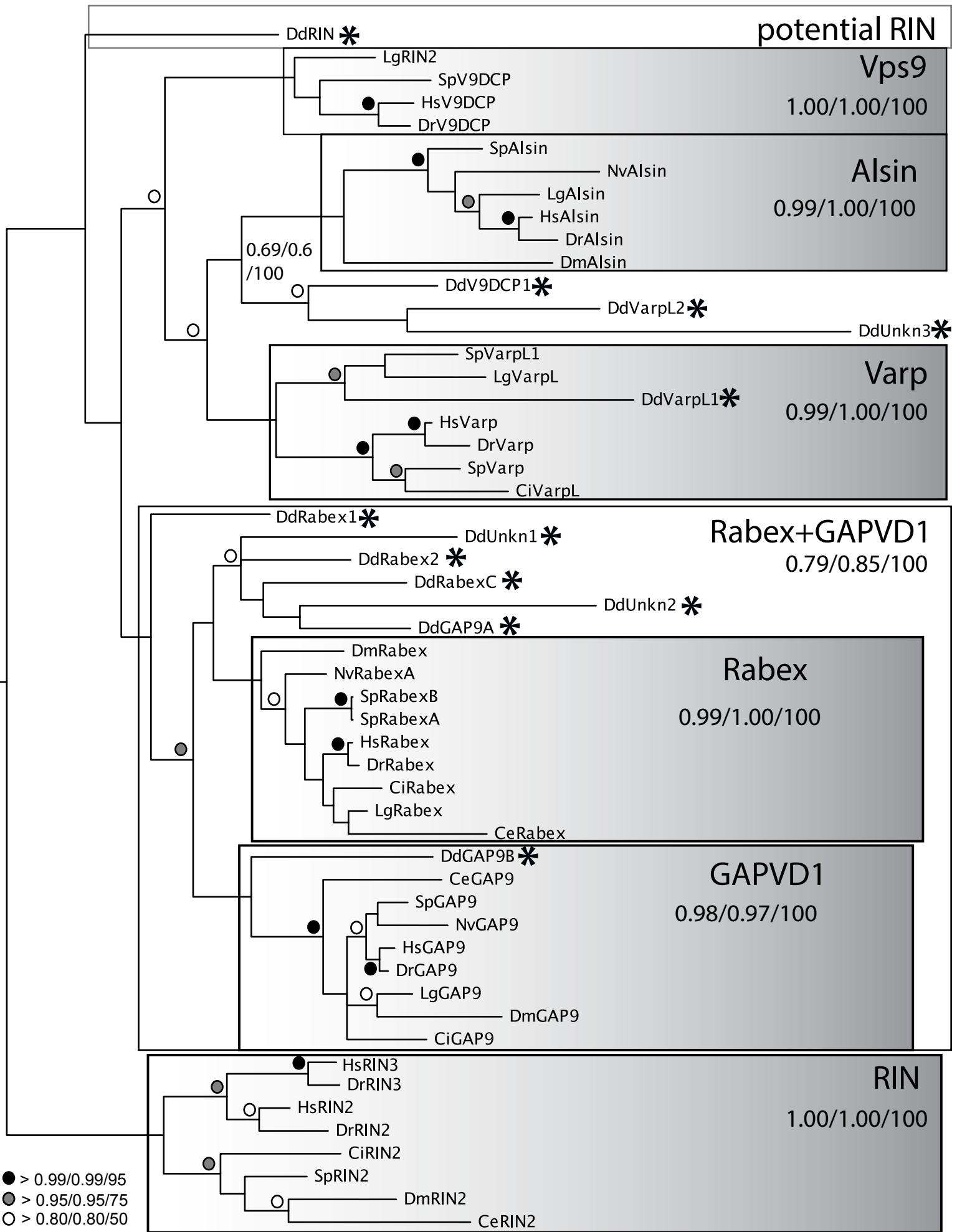


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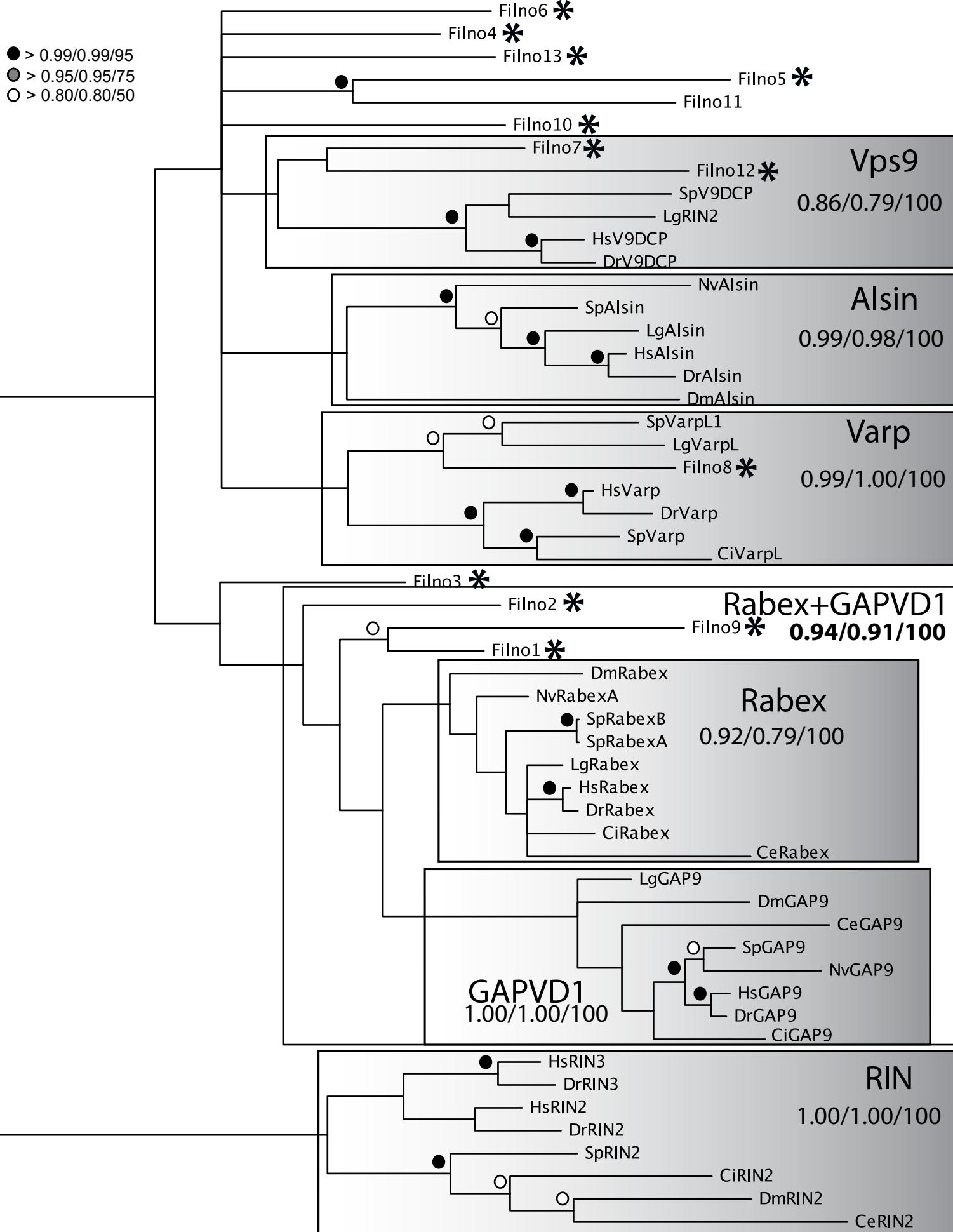


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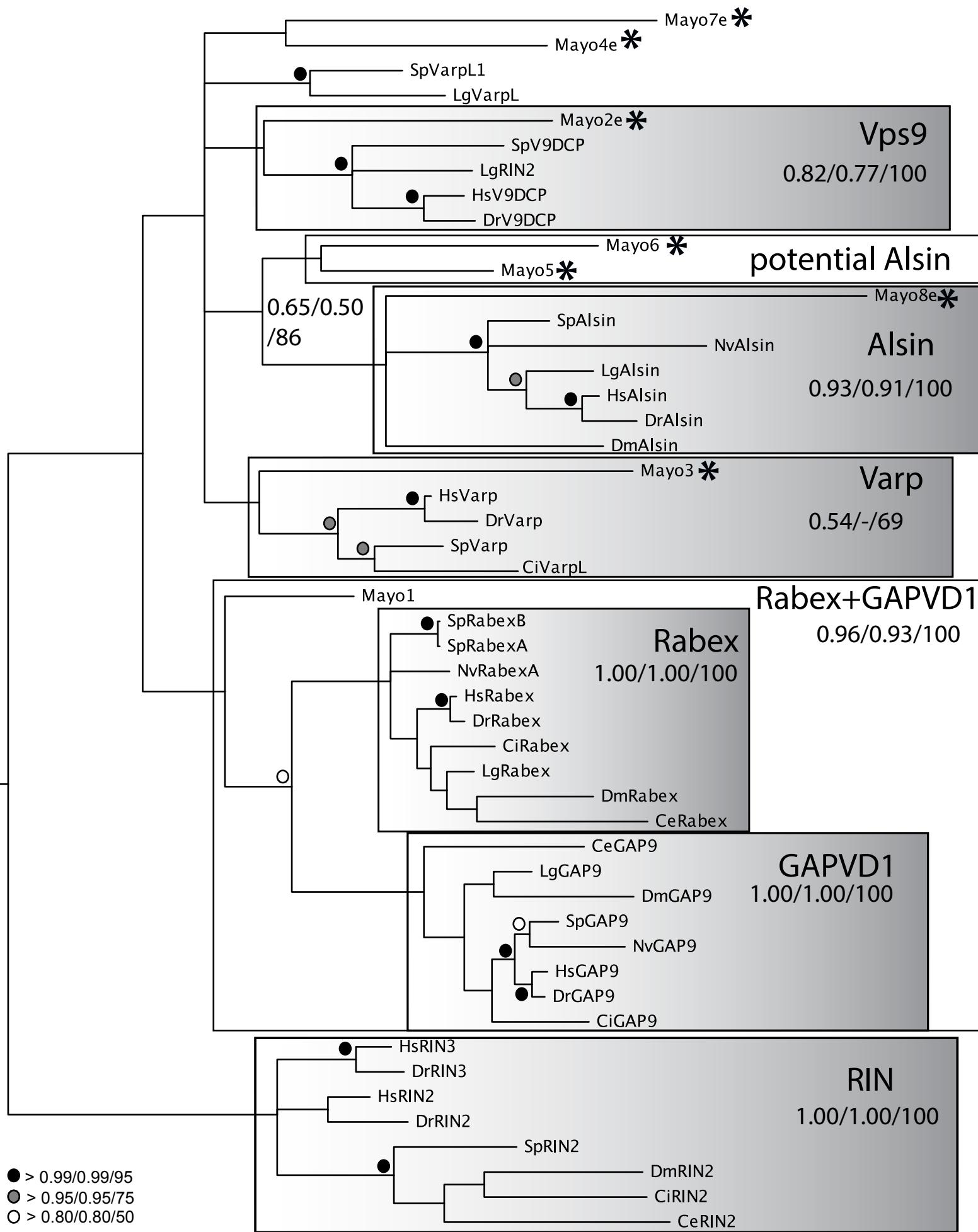
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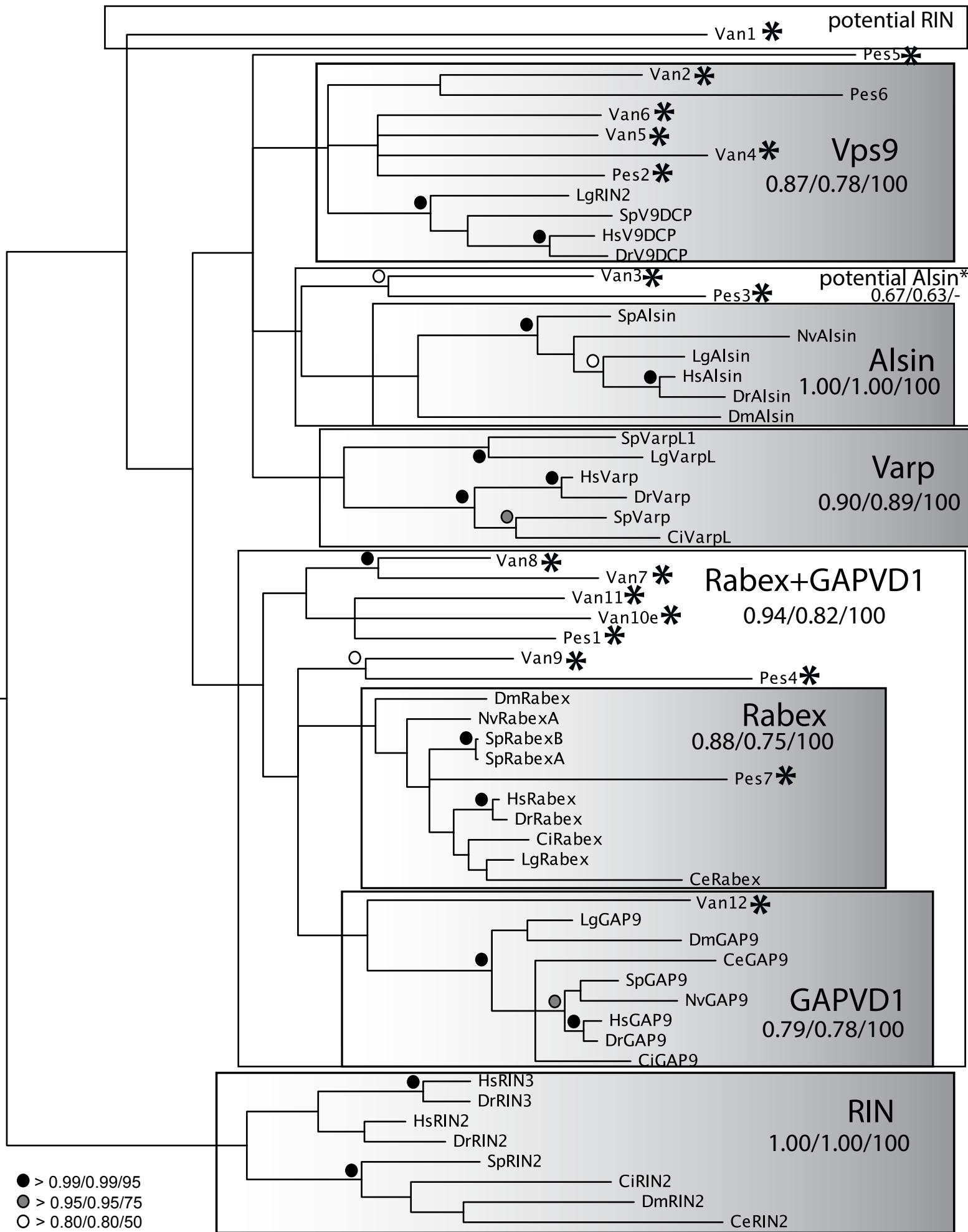
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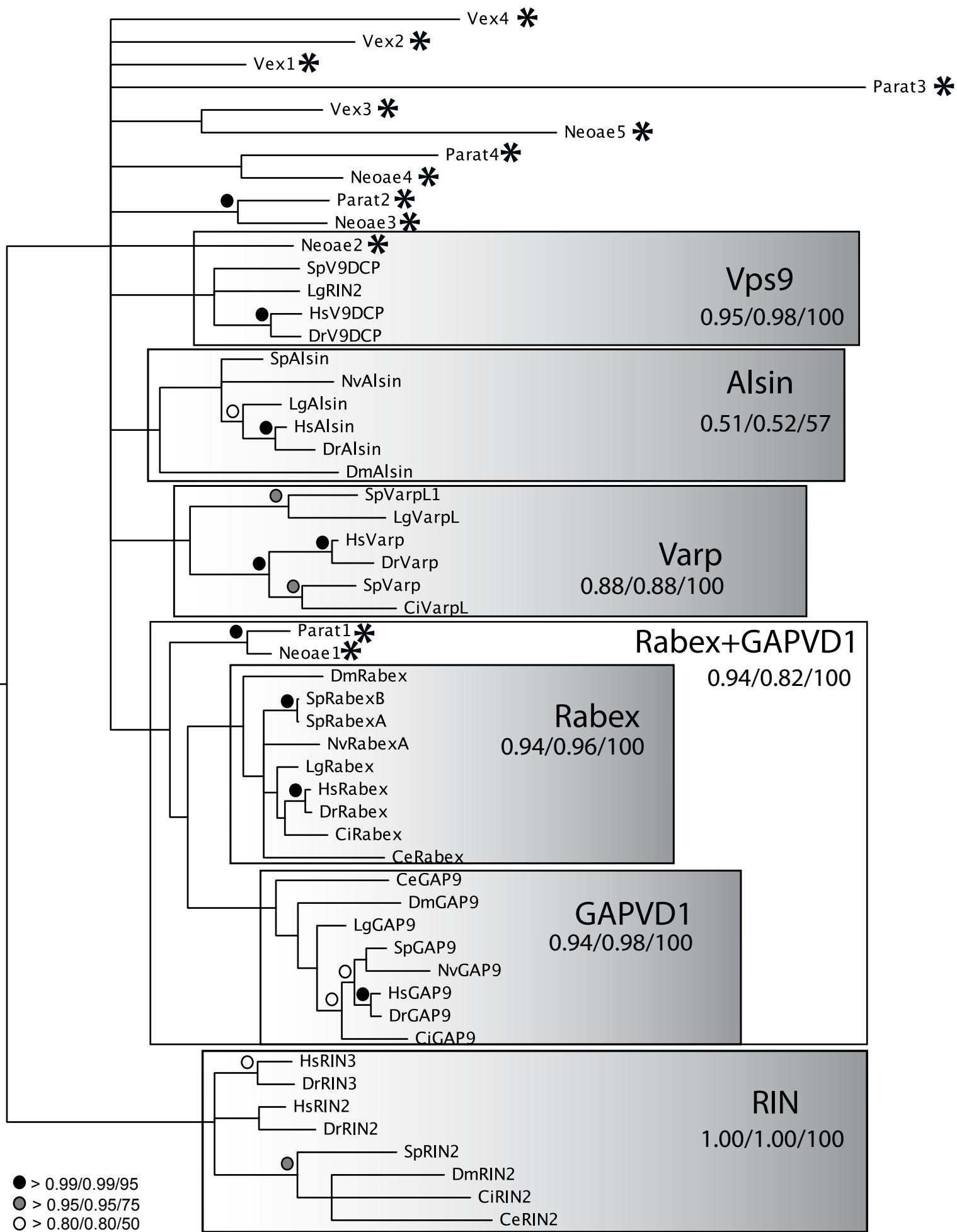
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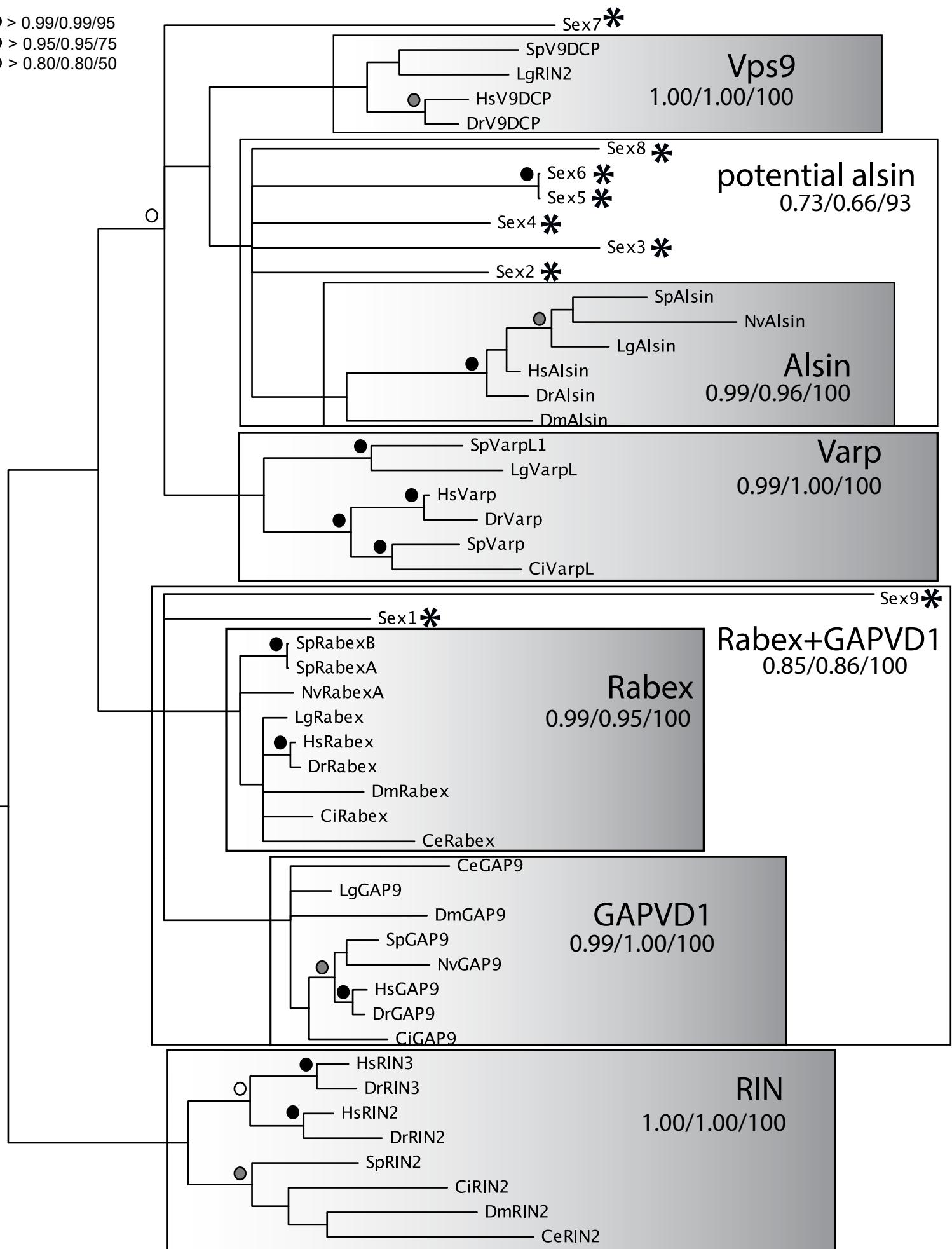


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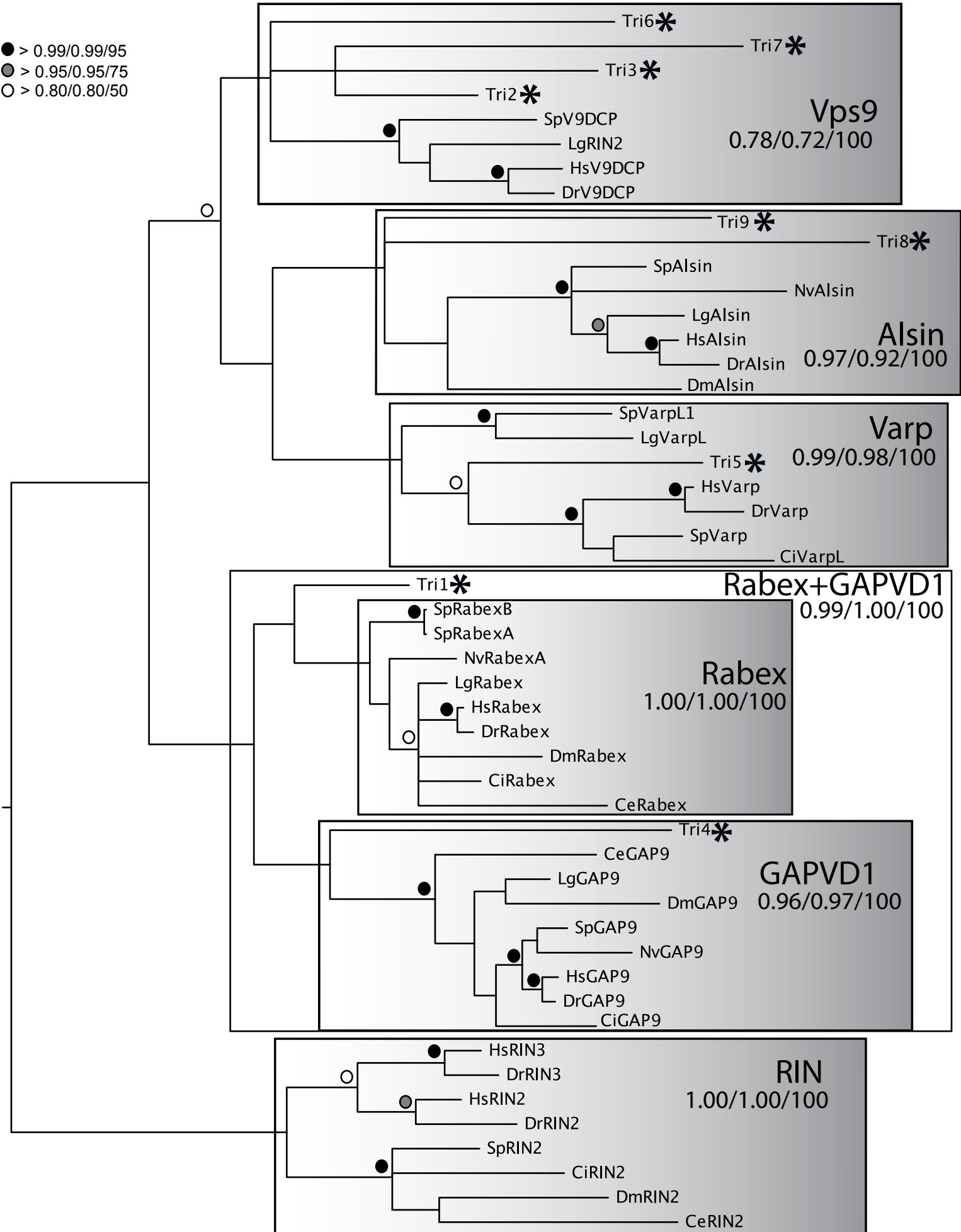
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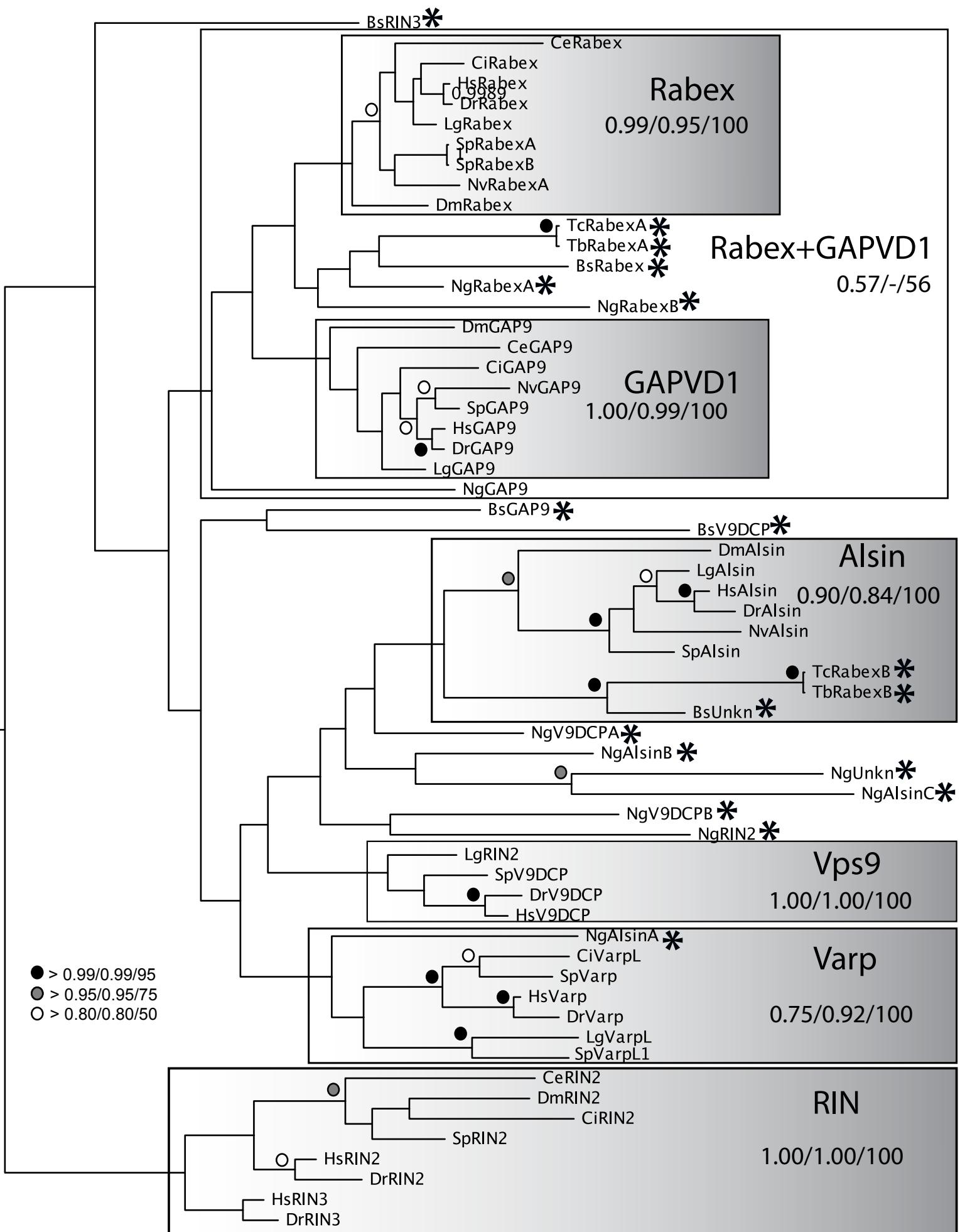


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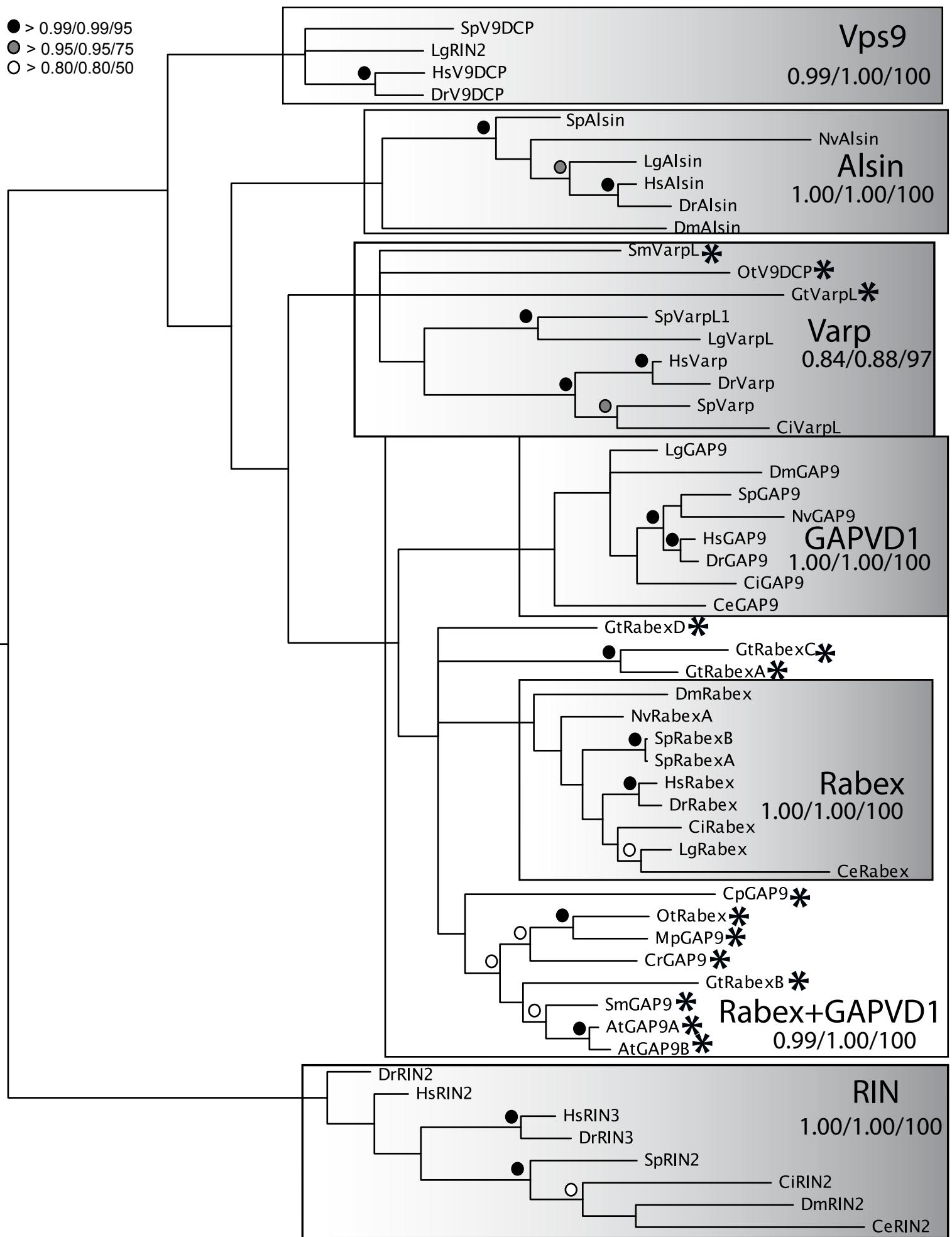
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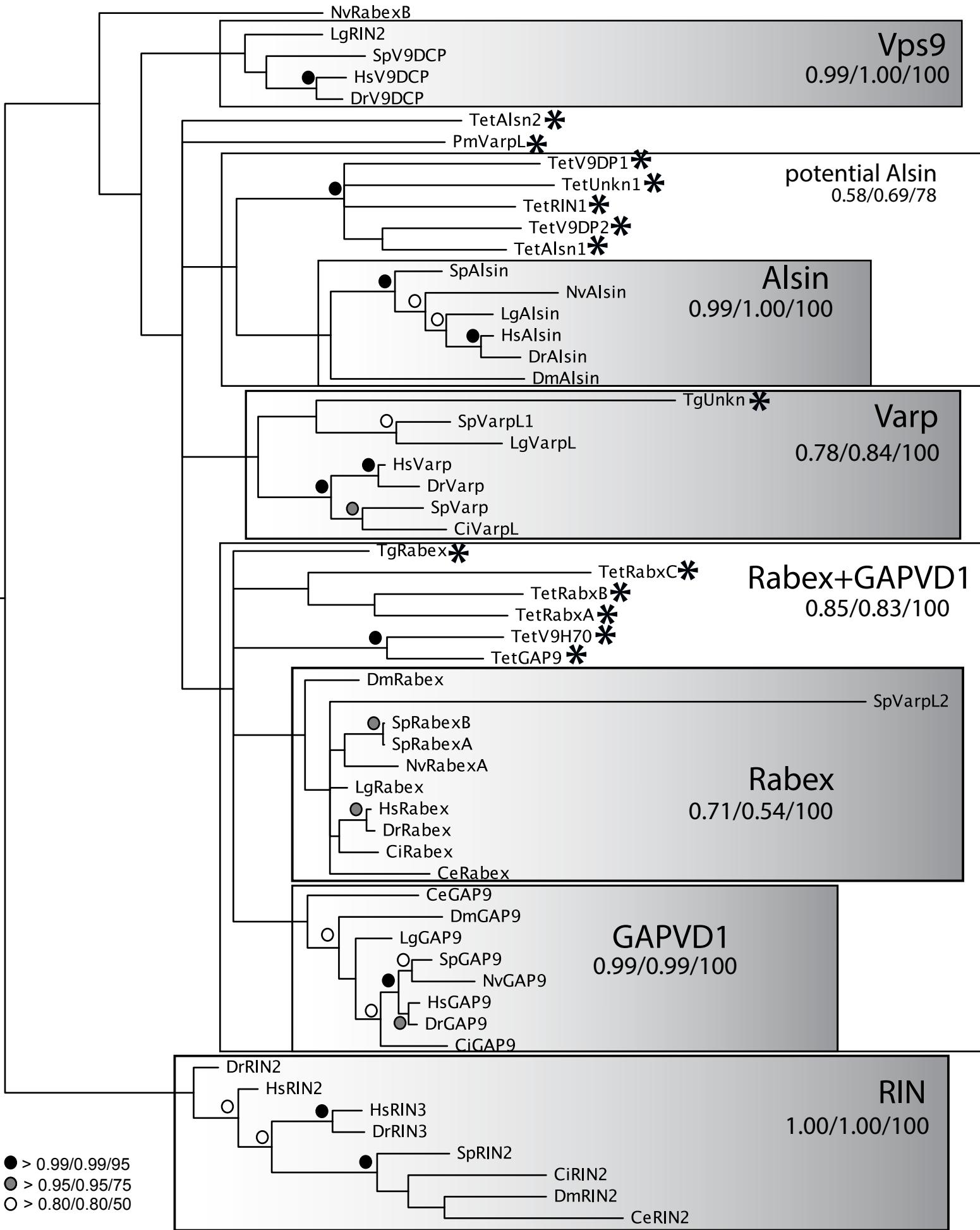
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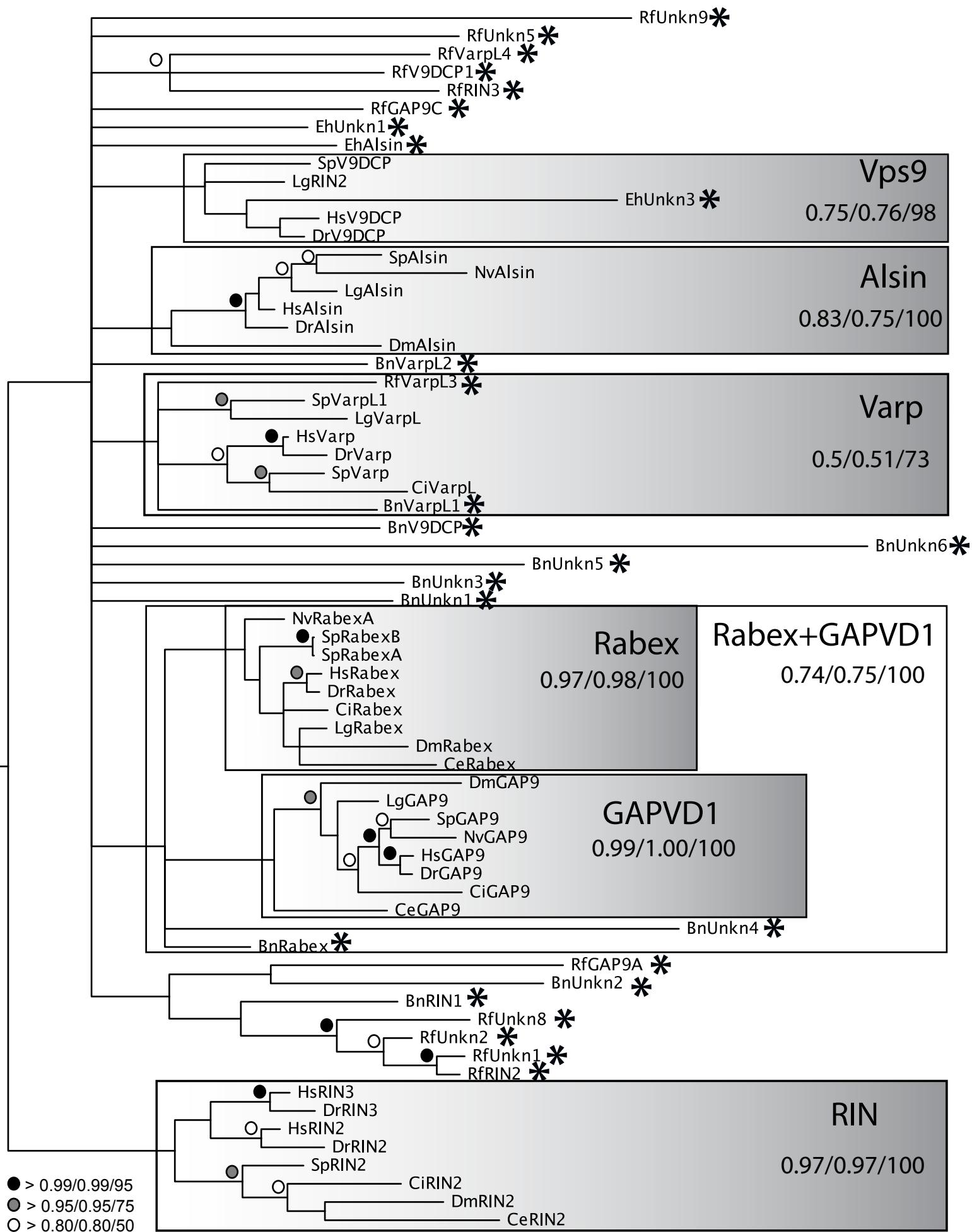
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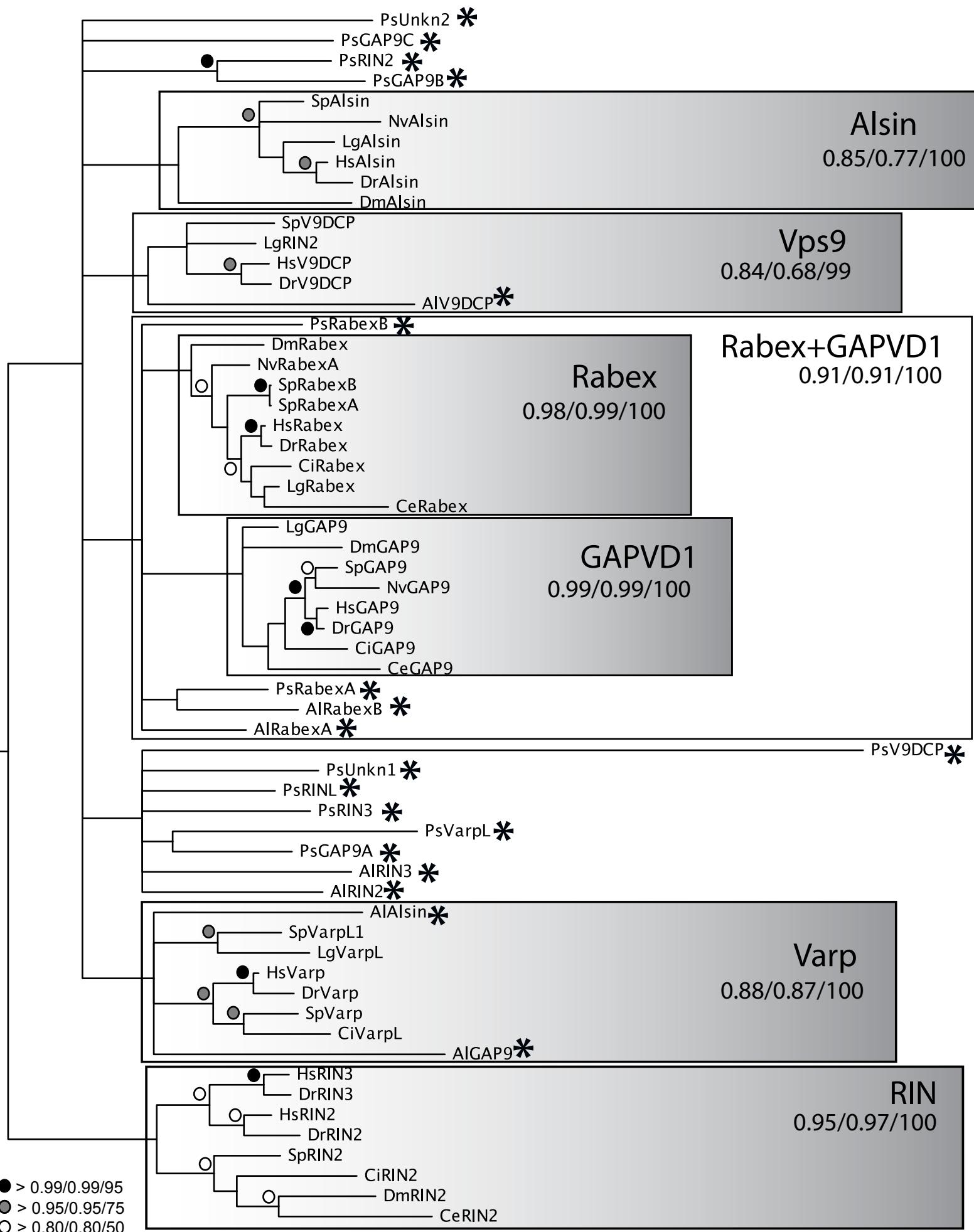
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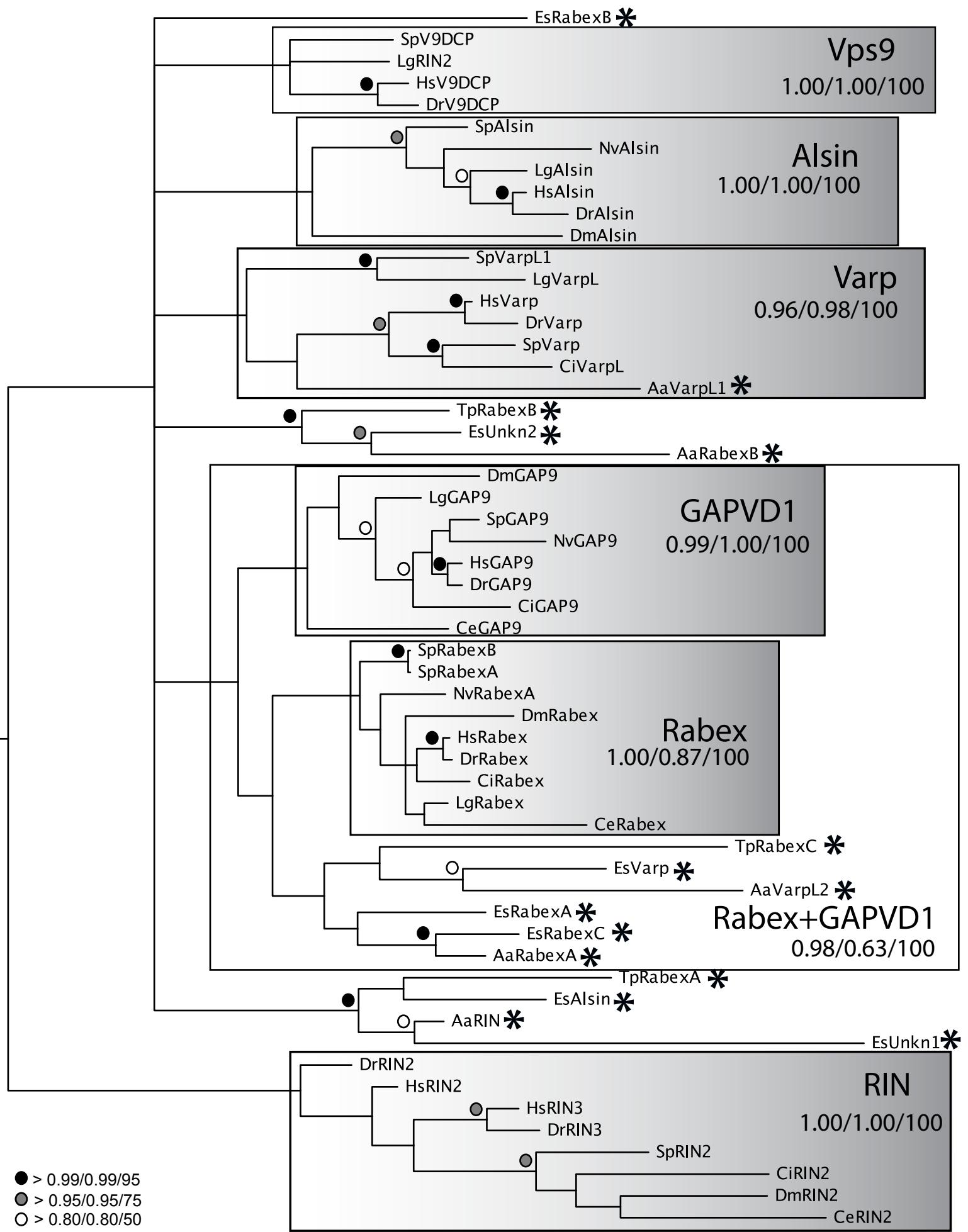
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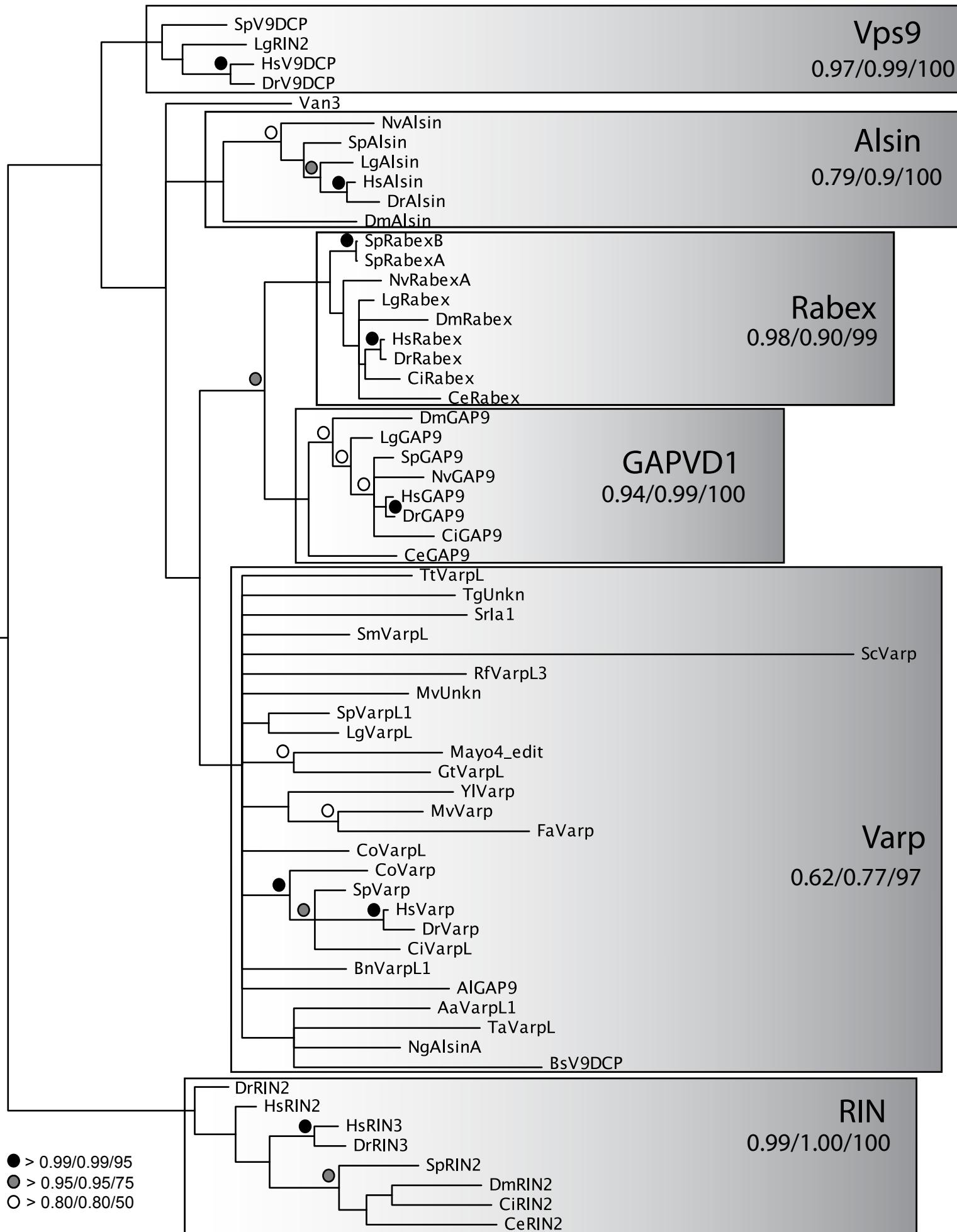
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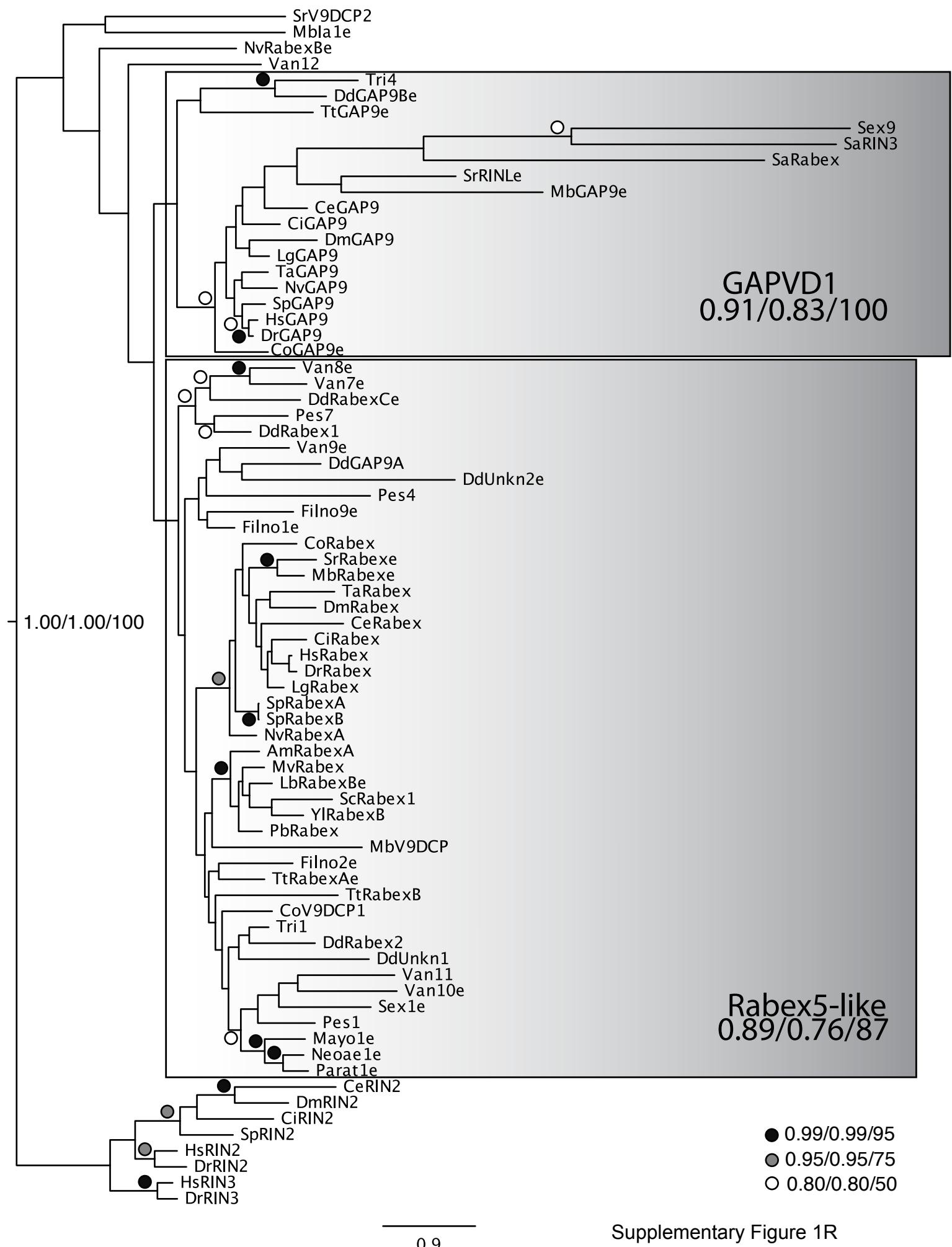
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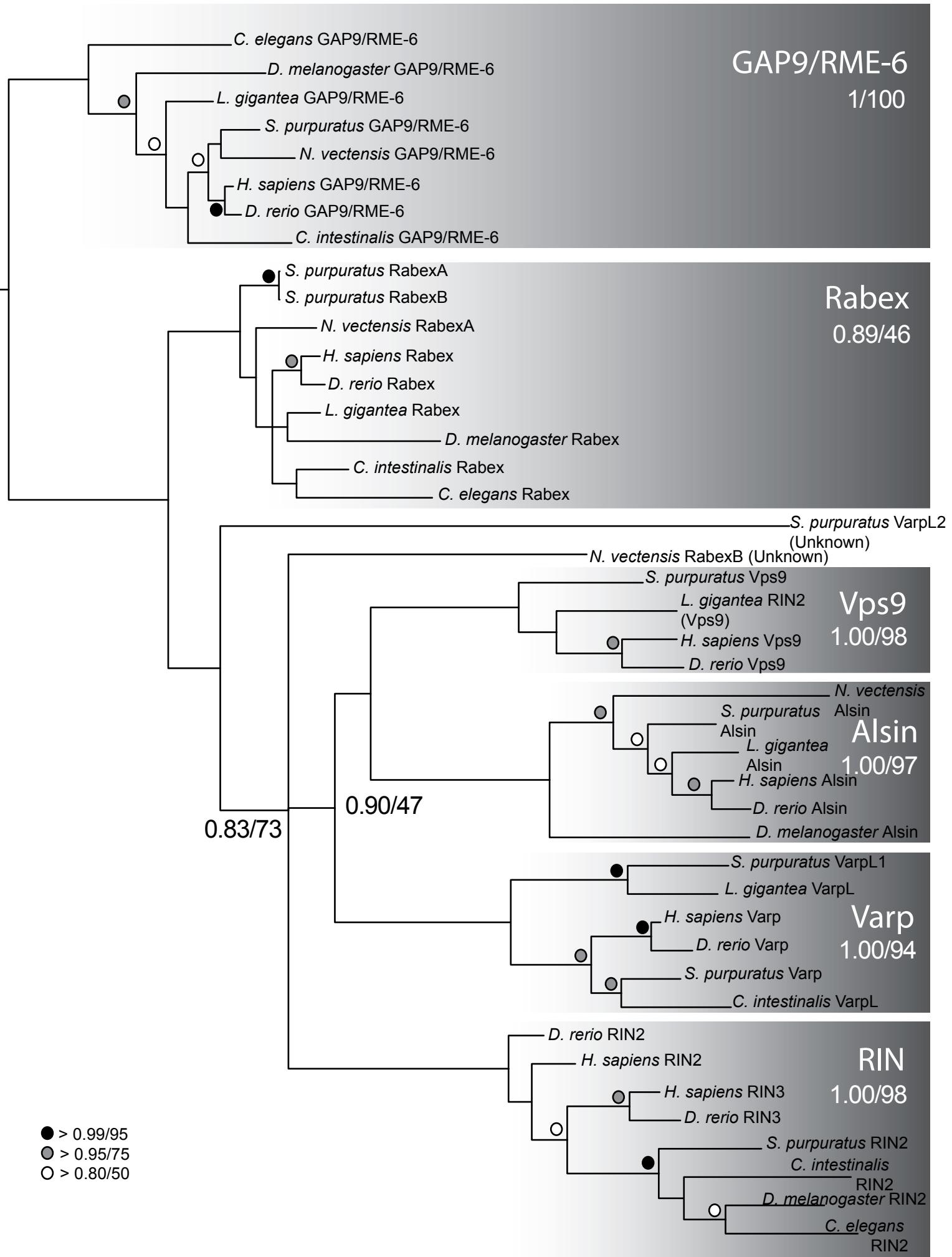
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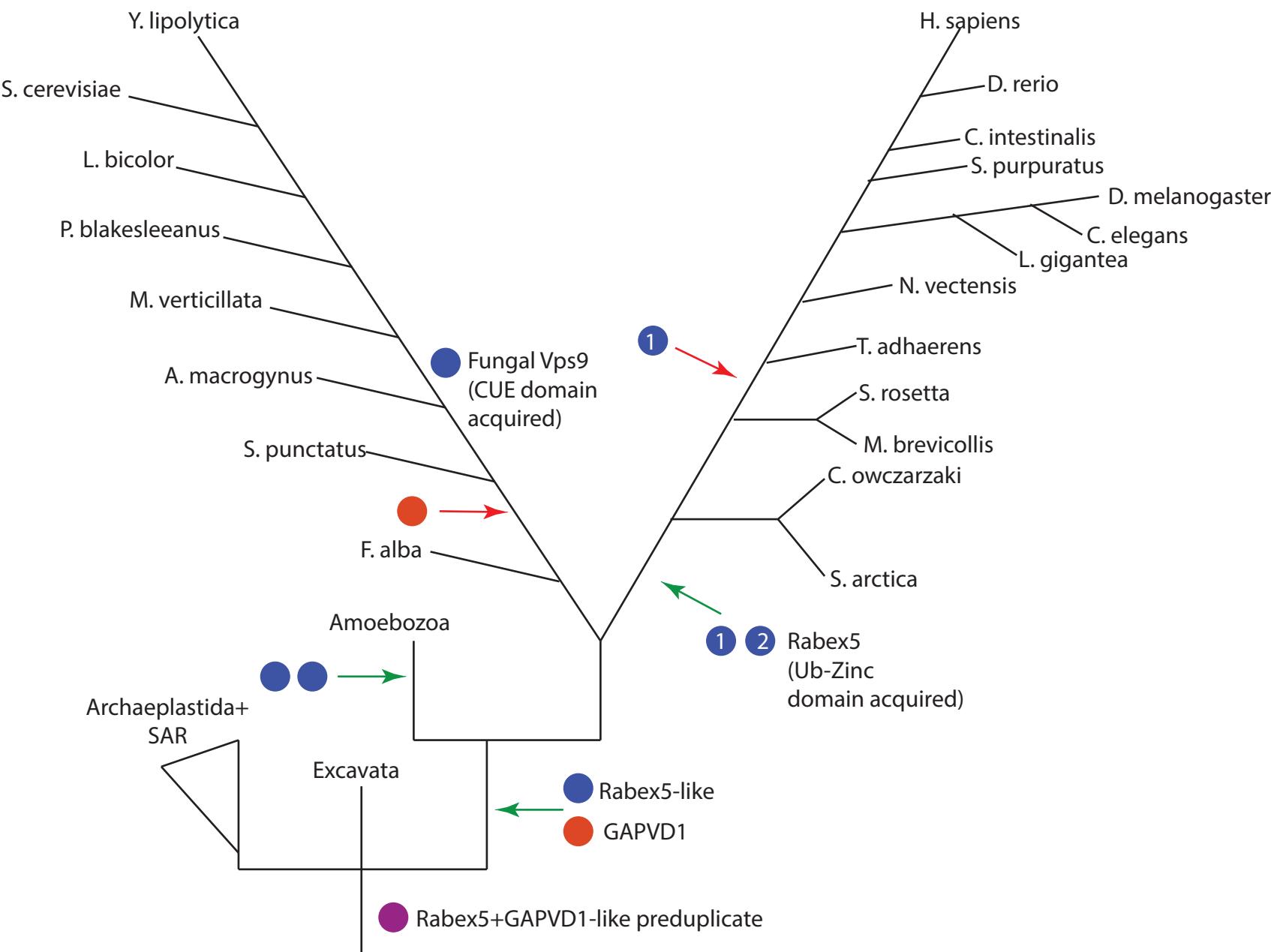
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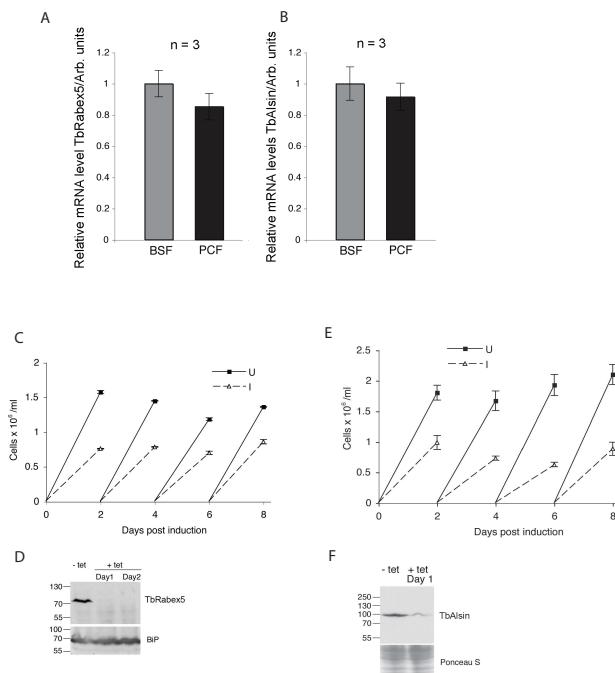


Supplementary Figure 1T

Supplementary Figure 1. Classification of eukaryotic Vps9 domain-containing proteins.

Sequences from different taxonomic clades are incorporated into the metazoa backbone tree (Supplementary Figure 1S) for classification. In most phylogenies in A-R, node support values for critical nodes are Phylobayes posterior probability/MrBAYES posterior probability/RAXML bootstrap, shown on the Phylobayes topology (unless otherwise noted). For all other nodes, support values are symbolized as inset. Taxon labels are defined in Supplementary Table 1. The phylogenies are arbitrarily rooted on the RIN clade. Clades are marked by shaded boxes, or open boxes in the case of mega-clades (e.g. Rabex+GAPVD1). The following figures were generated to classify (A) holozoan sequences, (B) obazoan sequences, (C) fungal sequences, (D) *Dictyostelium* sequences, (E) *Filamoeba nolandii* sequences, (F) *Mayorella* sp. sequences, (G) *Pessonella* sp. and *Vannella* sp. sequences, (H) *Vexillifera* sp., *Paramoeba atlantica*, and *Neoparamoeba aestuarina* sequences, (I) *Sexangularia* sp. sequences, (J) *Trichosphaerium* sp. sequences, (K) excavate sequences, (L) archaeoplastid sequences, (M) alveolate sequences, (N) rhizarian and haptophyte sequences, (O) *Phytophthora sojae* and *Aurantiochytrium limacinum* sequences, and (P) *Ectocarpus siliculosus*, *Thalassiosira pseudonana*, and *Aureococcus anophagefferens* sequences. (Q) shows all eukaryotic Varp sequences within the metazoan backbone tree. Sequences classified as Varp orthologues based on Supplementary Figures 1A-P were added to the metazoan backbone tree. Asterisks denote clade-specific sequences added to the metazoan backbone tree. (R) Phylogeny of all Rabex5 and GAPVD1 in the Amorphea, with metazoan RIN clade sequences as an outgroup. This tree investigates the evolution of the Rabex5-like and GAPVD1 sequences in the Amoebozoa and Opisthokonta. (S) Metazoa backbone tree containing all six Vps9 subfamilies. Supplementary Figures 1B, 1C, 1K, and 1R show the MrBAYES topology for readability, as MrBAYES does not allow polytomies. (T) Rabex5+GAPVD1 protein evolution in the Amorphea. Each circle represents a homologue within the Rabex5+GAPVD1 clade. The ancestral Rabex5+GAPVD1 preduplicate is shown in purple, which duplicated at the base of the Amorphea (red and blue circles). Green arrows denote duplication events, while red arrows denote apparent gene loss events. Numbers within circles are to distinguish gene duplication products, where in the case of the Holozoa, one product acquires a ubiquitin-binding zinc finger and is maintained throughout holozoan evolution, the other duplicate

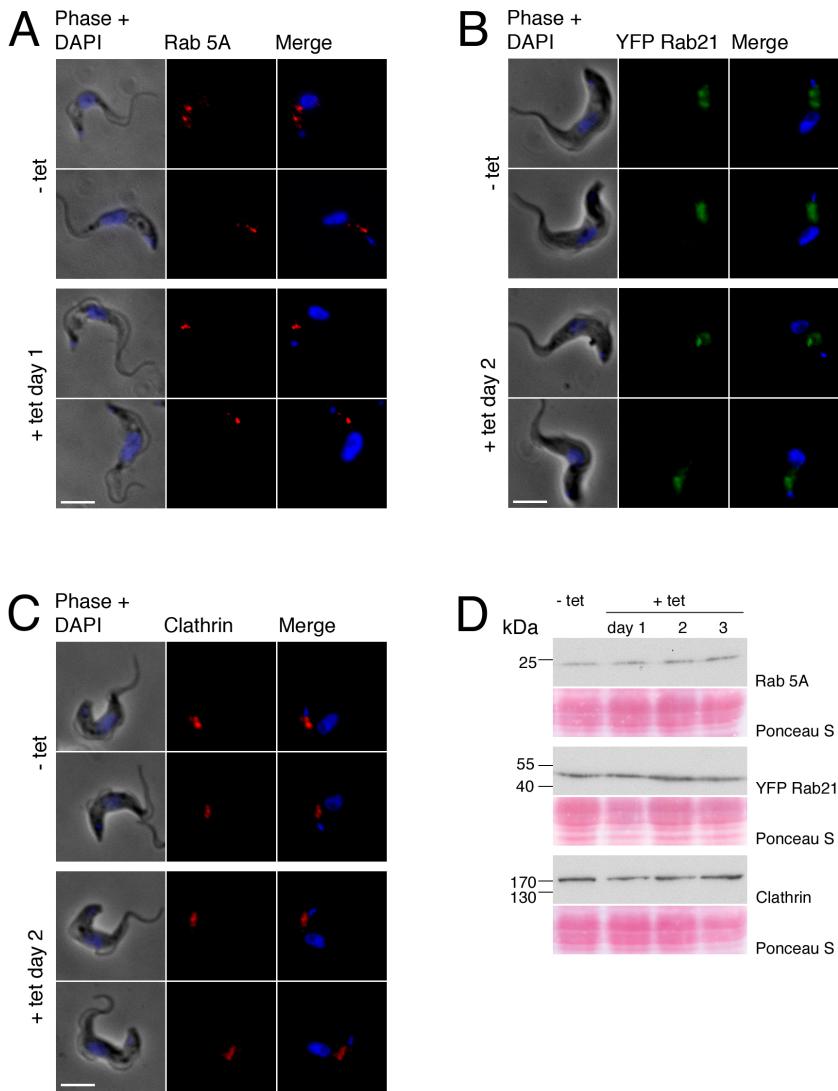
is lost at the base of multicellular animals (*T. adhaerens*). Domain gain events are indicated. Archaeplastida and SAR clades are collapsed for clarity.



Supplementary Figure 2

Supplementary Figure 2. TbRabex5 and TbAlsin expression in BSF and PCF cells, and the effects of their depletion on BSF proliferation. (A,B) The abundance of Vps9 domain guanine nucleotide exchange factor mRNA in BSF and PCF cells was determined by qRT-PCR. Results were normalized to telomerase reverse transcriptase. qRT-PCR was performed on three separate RNA samples each and expression in PCF calibrated against BSF as 1.0. Error bars shows standard error of mean. Grey bars represent mRNA level in BSF, black in PCF cells. (A) TbRabex5 (Tb927.10.10020) and (B) TbAlsin Vps9 (Tb927.3.2430). (C) Growth curve of TbRabex5 depleted BSF parasites. SMB cells were transfected with the RNAi plasmid p2T7 containing TbRabex5 fragment and cells were grown in the presence (open triangles) or absence (closed squares) of 1 µg/ml tetracycline for 8 days. Cells were counted every 48 hours and kept in logarithmic phase by dilution. Error bars represent standard error for duplicate induction. (D) Validation of TbRabex5 knockdown by Western blot using anti-HA antibody in induced and uninduced cells. To confirm equal loading in all lanes, the blot was stripped and re-probed using anti BiP antibody. (E) Growth curve of TbAlsin depleted BSF parasites, experiment performed as

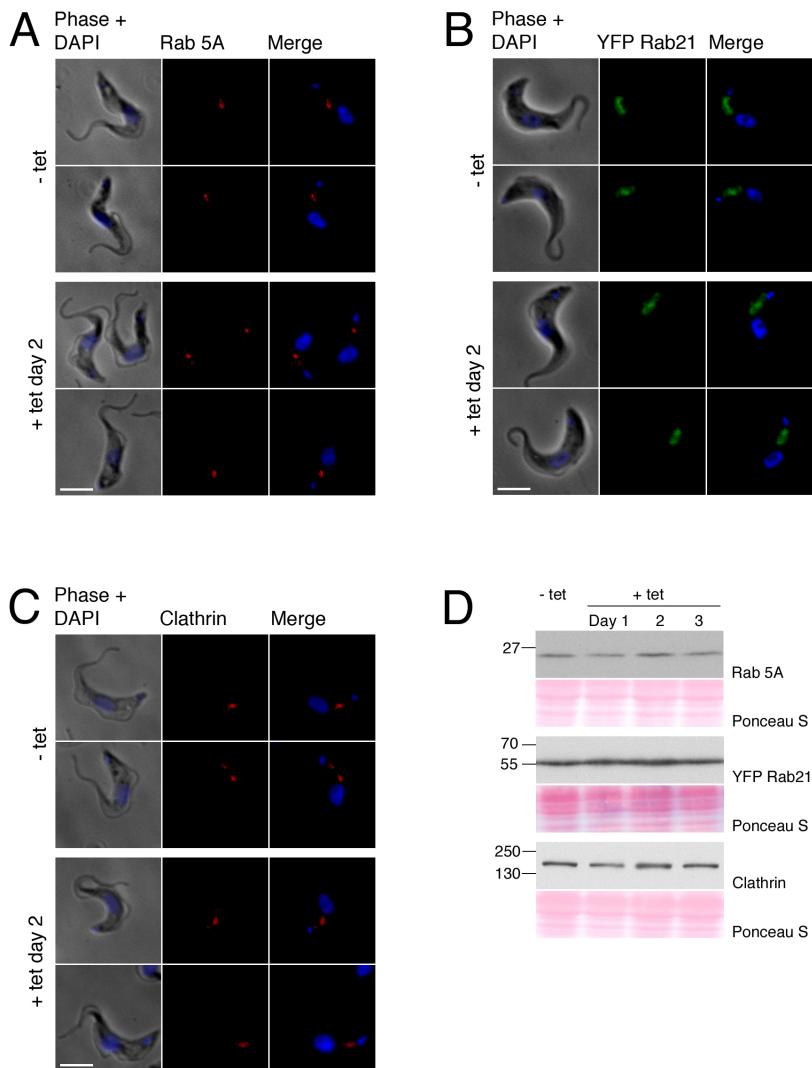
in (C). (F) Validation of TbAlsin knockdown by Western blot of induced and uninduced cells. Ponceau S staining of total protein is shown.



Supplementary Figure 3

Supplementary Figure 3. Knockdown of TbRabex5 protein does not affect the expression or location of endosomal Rabs. (A) Immunofluorescence analysis of TbRab5A in TbRabex5 depleted SMB BSF cells. Uninduced (-tet) and induced (+tet) cells were fixed and stained with polyclonal antibodies against TbRab5A. Alexa Fluor 568 labelled antibodies were used to visualize Rab5A and DAPI was used to visualize the nucleus and kinetoplast. Scale bar 5 μ m. (B) Analysis of TbRab21 in TbRabex5 depleted cells. BSF TbRabex5 knockdown cells were transfected with N-terminal YFP-TbRab21. -tet and +tet cells were fixed and analysed for YFP

native fluorescence while DNA was counterstained using DAPI. (C) IFA of clathrin in TbRabex5 depleted cells. Induced and uninduced RNAi cells were stained with polyclonal antibodies against trypanosome clathrin heavy chain and visualized using Alexa Fluor 568 antibodies. (D) Western Blots and Ponceau S staining showing Rab5A, Rab21, and clathrin heavy chain expression in uninduced and induced cells.



Supplementary Figure 4

Supplementary Figure 4. Knockdown of TbAlsin protein does not affect the expression or location of endosomal Rabs. (A) Immunofluorescence analysis of TbRab5A in TbAlsin depleted SMB BSF cells. Uninduced (-tet) and induced (+tet) cells were fixed and stained with polyclonal antibodies against TbRab5A. Alexa Flour 568 labelled antibodies were used to visualize Rab5A and DAPI was used to visualize nucleus and kinetoplast. Scale bar 5 μ m. (B) Analysis of TbRab21

in TbAlsin depleted cells. BSF TbAlsin knockdown cells were transfected with N-terminal YFP-TbRab21. -tet and +tet cells were fixed and analysed for YFP native fluorescence while DNA was counterstained using DAPI. (C) IFA of clathrin in TbAlsin depleted cells. Induced and uninduced RNAi cells were stained with polyclonal antibodies against trypanosome clathrin heavy chain and visualized using Alexa Fluor 568 antibodies. (D) Western Blots and Ponceau S staining showing Rab5A, Rab21, and clathrin heavy chain expression in uninduced and induced cells.

Supplementary Table 1. Classification of eukaryotic Vps9 domain-containing proteins

Holozoa

Preliminary annotation	Organism	Accession	Tree name	Domain structure (CDD)	Actual identity
Varp	H. sapiens	NP_115515	HsVarp	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Varp
Rabex5	H. sapiens	NP_055319	HsRabex	Ub-binding zinc finger, Vps9	Rabex
GAP/Vps9	H. sapiens	NP_056450	HsGAPVD1	RasGAP, Vps9	GAPVD1
RIN3	H. sapiens	NP_079108	HsRIN3	SH2, Vps9, RA	RIN3
RIN2	H. sapiens	NP_061866	HsRIN2	SH2, Vps9, RA	RIN2
RIN1	H. sapiens	NP_004283.2	HsRIN1	SH2, Vps9, RA	RIN1
Vps9 DCP	H. sapiens	NP_004904	HsV9DCP	Vps9	Vps9
Alsin	H. sapiens	NP_065970	HsAlsin	RCC, RhogEF, PH, MORN, Vps9	Alsin
Varp	D. rerio	XP_005163257	DrVarp	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Varp
Rabex5	D. rerio	XP_005172703	DrRabex	Vps9	Rabex
GAP/Vps9	D. rerio	NP_001002420	DrGAPVD1	RasGAP, Vps9	GAPVD1
Vps9 DCP	D. rerio	XP_005169989	DrV9DCP	Vps9	Vps9
RIN2	D. rerio	XP_693977	DrRIN2	SH2, Vps9, RA	RIN2
RIN3	D. rerio	XP_001339622	DrRIN3	SH2, Vps9, RA	RIN3
Alsin	D. rerio	XP_685064	DrAlsin	RCC, RhogEF, PH, MORN, Vps9	Alsin
VarpL	C. intestinalis	XP_002123303	CiVarpL	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Varp
Rabex5	C. intestinalis	XP_002130783	CiRabex	Ub-binding zinc finger, Vps9	Rabex
GAP/Vps9	C. intestinalis	XP_009859738	CiGAPVD1	Vps9	GAPVD1
RIN2	C. intestinalis	XP_002126494	CiRIN2	Vps9, RA	RIN
Varp	S. purpuratus	XP_003727786	SpVarp	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Varp
VarpL	S. purpuratus	XP_795324	SpVarpL1	Vps9	Varp
Rabex5	S. purpuratus	XP_787397	SpRabexA	Ub-binding zinc finger, Vps9	Rabex
Rabex5	S. purpuratus	XP_003726521	SpRabexB	Ub-binding zinc finger, Vps9	Rabex
GAP/Vps9	S. purpuratus	XP_782192	SpGAPVD1	RasGAP, Vps9	GAPVD1
Vps9 DCP	S. purpuratus	XP_003724404	SpV9DCP	Vps9	Vps9
RIN2	S. purpuratus	XP_003727186	SpRIN2	SH2, Vps9, RA	RIN
VarpL	S. purpuratus	XP_003725563	SpVarpL2	Vps9 (fragment)	Varp? unclear
Alsin	S. purpuratus	XP_785995	SpAlsin	PH, MORN, Vps9	Alsin
Rabex5	D. melanogaster	FBpp0072557	DmRabex	Ub-binding zinc finger, Vps9	Rabex
GAP/Vps9	D. melanogaster	FBpp0073304	DmGAPVD1	RasGAP, Vps9	GAPVD1

Alsin	<i>D. melanogaster</i>	FBpp0078116	DmAlsin	RCC, PH, MORN, Vps9	Alsin
RIN2	<i>D. melanogaster</i>	FBpp0111602	DmRIN2	Vps9, RA	RIN
Rabex5	<i>C. elegans</i>	Y39A1A.5	CeRabex	Ub-binding zinc finger, Vps9	Rabex
GAP/Vps9	<i>C. elegans</i>	F49E7.1a	CeGAPVD1	RasGAP, Vps9	GAPVD1
RIN2	<i>C. elegans</i>	C48G7.3e	CeRIN2	Vps9, RA	RIN
VarpL	<i>L. gigantea</i>	237017	LgVarpL	Vps9	Varp
GAP/Vps9	<i>L. gigantea</i>	130207	LgGAPVD1	Vps9	GAPVD1
Rabex5	<i>L. gigantea</i>	140110	LgRabex	Ub-binding zinc finger, Vps9	Rabex
RIN2=>V9DCP	<i>L. gigantea</i>	233615	LgRIN2/V9DCP	Vps9	V9DCP
Alsin	<i>L. gigantea</i>	145057	LgAlsin	PH, MORN, Vps9	Alsin
GAP/Vps9	<i>N. vectensis</i>	183502	NvGAPVD1	Vps9	GAPVD1
Rabex5	<i>N. vectensis</i>	183590	NvRabexA	Ub-binding zinc finger, Vps9	Rabex
Rabex5	<i>N. vectensis</i>	217703	NvRabexB	Vps9	unclear
Alsin	<i>N. vectensis</i>	164111	NvAlsin	MORN, Vps9	Alsin
VarpL	<i>T. adhaerens</i>	59078	TaVarpL	Vps9	Varp
Vps9 DCP	<i>T. adhaerens</i>	55790	TaV9DCP	Vps9	Vps9
GAP/Vps9	<i>T. adhaerens</i>	20735	TaGAPVD1	Vps9	GAPVD1
Rabex5	<i>T. adhaerens</i>	21521	TaRabex	Vps9	Rabex
Alsin	<i>T. adhaerens</i>	60444	TaAlsin	RCC, RhoGEF, MORN, Vps9	Alsin
RINL	<i>T. adhaerens</i>	64219	TaRINL1	SH2, Vps9	RIN
RINL	<i>T. adhaerens</i>	62061	TaRINL2	SH2, Vps9	RIN
Rabex5	<i>M. brevicollis</i>	MONBRDRAFT_34581	MbRabex	Epimerase/aldehyde reductase, Vps9	Rabex
Ia1	<i>M. brevicollis</i>	MONBRDRAFT_33028	Mbla1	Vps9	unclear
RIN2	<i>M. brevicollis</i>	MONBRDRAFT_23795	MbRIN2	SH2, Vps9, RA	RIN
GAP/Vps9	<i>M. brevicollis</i>	MONBRDRAFT_28498	MbGAPVD1	Vps9	GAPVD1
V9DCP	<i>M. brevicollis</i>	MONBRDRAFT_30406	MbV9DCP	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Varp	<i>S. rosetta</i>	PTSG_12563	SrVarp	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Varp
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V9DCP	<i>S. rosetta</i>	PTSG_04215	SrV9DCP1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1**
RINL	<i>S. rosetta</i>	PTSG_06144	SrRINL	SH2, SH2, Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Alsin	<i>S. rosetta</i>	PTSG_07928	SrAlsin	RCC, PH, MORN, Vps9	Alsin
V9DCP	<i>S. rosetta</i>	PTSG_11691	SrV9DCP2	Vps9	unclear

Ia1	S. rosetta	PTSG_02578	Srla1	Vps9	Varp? unclear
Varp	C. owczarzaki	CAOG_02852	CoVarp	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Varp
VarpL	C. owczarzaki	CAOG_07170	CoVarpL	Vps9	Varp
V9DCP	C. owczarzaki	CAOG_04920	CoV9DCP1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Rabex5	C. owczarzaki	CAOG_06854	CoRabex	Ub-binding zinc finger, Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
GAP/Vps9	C. owczarzaki	CAOG_01708	CoGAPVD1	RasGAP, Vps9	GAPVD1
RINL	C. owczarzaki	CAOG_02871	CoRINL	Vps9, RA	RIN
Alsin	C. owczarzaki	CAOG_01016	CoAlsin	RCC, PH, MORN, Vps9	Alsin
V9DCP	C. owczarzaki	CAOG_04207	CoV9DCP2	Vps9	Vps9
V9DCP	C. owczarzaki	CAOG_03201	CoV9DCP3	Vps9	Vps9
Rabex5	S. arctica	SARC_00646	SaRabex	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
RIN3	S. arctica	SARC_13584	SaRIN3	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1

** (in holozoa tree, Supplementary Figure 1A)

Fungi

Preliminary annotation	Organism	Accession	Tree name	Domain structure (CDD)	Actual identity
Varp	F. alba	H696_05968	FaVarp	Vps9, Ank	Varp
GAP/Vps9	F. alba	H696_00539	FaGAPVD1	RasGAP, Vps9	GAPVD1? unclear
Unknown	F. alba	H696_06297	FaUnkn1	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	F. alba	H696_04226	FaUnkn2	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	R. allomycis	3581	RaRabex	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	Y. lipolytica	70744	YIRabexA	RhoGEF, Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	Y. lipolytica	69486	YIRabexB	Vps9, CUE domain	Fungal Rabex-GAPVD1-like clade
Varp	Y. lipolytica	68897	YIVarp	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Varp clade
Rabex5	S. cerevisiae	YML097C	ScRabex1/A	Vps9, CUE domain	Fungal Rabex-GAPVD1-like clade
Varp	S. cerevisiae	YML002W	ScVarp	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Varp**
Rabex5	S. cerevisiae	YPL070W	ScRabex2/B	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	L. bicolor	303581	LbRabexA	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	L. bicolor	305240	LbRabexB	Vps9, CUE domain	Fungal Rabex-GAPVD1-like clade
Varp	P. blakesleeanus	71663	PbVarp	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Varp
Rabex5	P. blakesleeanus	181154	PbRabex	Vps9, CUE domain	Fungal Rabex-GAPVD1-like clade

Varp	<i>M. verticillata</i>	MVEG_04782	MvVarp	Vps9, Ank, Ank, PX	Varp
Rabex5	<i>M. verticillata</i>	MVEG_04758	MvRabex	Vps9, Ubiquitin domain superfamily	Fungal Rabex-GAPVD1-like clade
Unknown	<i>M. verticillata</i>	MVEG_00996	MvUnkn1	Vps9	Varp
Unknown	<i>M. verticillata</i>	MVEG_09186	MvUnkn2	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	<i>A. macrogynus</i>	AMAG_03935	AmRabexA	Vps9	Fungal Rabex-GAPVD1-like clade
Rabex5	<i>A. macrogynus</i>	AMAG_17146	AmRabexB	Vps9	Fungal Rabex-GAPVD1-like clade
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Rabex5	<i>A. macrogynus</i>	AMAG_12631	AmRabexD	Vps9	Fungal Rabex-GAPVD1-like clade
Rabex5	<i>S. punctatus</i>	SPPG_02656	SzRabexA	Vps9	Unknown
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VarpL	<i>T. trahens</i>	AMSG_07173	TtVarpL	Vps9	Varp
Rabex5	<i>T. trahens</i>	AMSG_02562	TtRabexA	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
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Rabex5	<i>T. trahens</i>	AMSG_00807	TtRabexC	Vps9, peptidoglycan-binding domain	Unknown
Vps9 DCP	<i>T. trahens</i>	AMSG_08742	TtV9DCP	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	<i>T. trahens</i>	AMSG_04366	TtUnkn1	syntaxin-like domain, MORN, Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	<i>T. trahens</i>	AMSG_04707	TtUnkn2	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	<i>T. trahens</i>	AMSG_11767	TtUnkn3	Rab GTPase domain, Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	<i>T. trahens</i>	AMSG_05365	TtUnkn4	Zn-finger domain, Vps9, bZIP, FYVE	Unknown
GAP/Vps9	<i>T. trahens</i>	AMSG_04382	TtGAPVD1	RasGAP, Vps9	Unknown

**Not in Fungi+metazoa tree: removed as a long branch (Supplementary Figure 1C)

Amoebozoa

Preliminary annotation	Organism	Accession	Tree name	Domain structure (CDD)	Actual identity
VarpL	<i>D. discoideum</i>	DDB0348261	DdVarpL1	Vps9	Varp
Rabex5	<i>D. discoideum</i>	DDB0233291	DdRabexA	PX, P-loop NTPase, Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
GAP/Vps9	<i>D. discoideum</i>	DDB0234180	DdGAPVD1A	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Rabex5	<i>D. discoideum</i>	DDB0234179	DdRabexB	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
VarpL	<i>D. discoideum</i>	DDB0305990	DdVarpL2	Ank, Ank, Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	<i>D. discoideum</i>	DDB0234182	DdUnkn1	Vps9, alpha/beta-hydrolase family	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	<i>D. discoideum</i>	DDB0306965	DdV9DCP1	Vps9	Unknown

Unknown	D. discoideum	DDB0234181	DdRabexC	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	D. discoideum	DDB0233768	DdGAPVD1B	RasGAP, Vps9	GAPVD1
Unknown	D. discoideum	DDB0234183	DdRIN	Vps9	potential RIN
Unknown	D. discoideum	DDB0234184	DdUnkn2	Vps9, alpha/beta-hydrolase family	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	D. discoideum	DDB0307572	DdUnkn3	Vps9	Unknown
GAP/9	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168576556	Filno1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Vps9	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168550092	Filno2	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Rabex5	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168540520	Filno3	Vps9	Potential Rabex+GAPVD1
Unkn	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168569582	Filno4	Vps9, PH-like, FERM-B, PH-like	Unknown
RIN	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168546012	Filno5	Vps9	Unknown
V9DCP	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168542822	Filno6	Vps9	Unknown
V9DCP	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168540146	Filno7	Vps9	Vps9
Varp	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168567090	Filno8	Vps9	Varp
Varp	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168556614	Filno9	Vps9, Ank, LysM	Rabex+GAPVD1
Alsin	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168540604	Filno10	MORN, Vps9	Unknown
V9DCP	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168540338	Filno11	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168554466	Filno12	SH2, CUE/Ub, Vps9, chitin synth., TPR	Vps9
Alsin	Filamoeba nolandi	CAMPEP_0168545716	Filno13	PH, MORN, Vps9	Unknown
Vps9	Sexangularia sp.	CAMPEP_0170733176	Sex1	Vps9, ubiquitin-like	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Sexangularia sp.	CAMPEP_0170739412	Sex2	MORN, SH3, Vps9	Potential Alsin
Unknown	Sexangularia sp.	CAMPEP_0170749886	Sex3	Vps9	Potential Alsin
Vps9	Sexangularia sp.	CAMPEP_0170757612	Sex4	Vps9, RhoGEF	Potential Alsin
Unknown	Sexangularia sp.	CAMPEP_0170755466	Sex5	Vps9	Potential Alsin
Unknown	Sexangularia sp.	CAMPEP_0170731982	Sex6	Vps9, SH2	Potential Alsin
Unknown	Sexangularia sp.	CAMPEP_0170730656	Sex7	Vps9, SH2	Unknonw
Unknown	Sexangularia sp.	CAMPEP_0170733518	Sex8	Vps9	Potential Alsin
Unknown	Sexangularia sp.	CAMPEP_0170746722	Sex9	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Mayorella sp.	CAMPEP_0174231770	Mayo1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Mayorella sp.	CAMPEP_0174246948	Mayo2	Rilp domain, Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Mayorella sp.	CAMPEP_0174231768	Mayo3	Vps9	Unknown
Alsin?	Mayorella sp.	CAMPEP_0174231688	Mayo4	Vps9, RCC	Unknown
Unknown	Mayorella sp.	CAMPEP_0174248598	Mayo5	Vps9	Potential Alsin
Unknown	Mayorella sp.	CAMPEP_0174233898	Mayo6	MORN, MORN, Vps9	Potential Alsin

Unknown	Mayorella sp.	CAMPEP_0174229322	Mayo7	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Mayorella sp.	CAMPEP_0174232008	Mayo8	P-loop NTPase, Vps9	Alsin
Unknown	Trichosphaerium sp.	CAMPEP_0168524954	Tri1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Trichosphaerium sp.	CAMPEP_0168511098	Tri2	RhoGEF, Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Trichosphaerium sp.	CAMPEP_0168517238	Tri3	Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Trichosphaerium sp.	CAMPEP_0168513960	Tri4	Vps9	GAPVD1
VarpL	Trichosphaerium sp.	CAMPEP_0168514830	Tri5	Vps9	Varp
Unknown	Trichosphaerium sp.	CAMPEP_0168523160	Tri6	Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Trichosphaerium sp.	CAMPEP_0168516324	Tri7	DEP, Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Trichosphaerium sp.	CAMPEP_0168522850	Tri8	Vps9	Alsin
Alsin?	Trichosphaerium sp.	CAMPEP_0168514184	Tri9	Vps9	Alsin
Unknown	Pessonella sp.	CAMPEP_0168595804	Pes1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Pessonella sp.	CAMPEP_0168597104	Pes2	Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Pessonella sp.	CAMPEP_0168587842	Pes3	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Pessonella sp.	CAMPEP_0168584954	Pes4	PH, Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Pessonella sp.	CAMPEP_0168591660	Pes5	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Pessonella sp.	CAMPEP_0168582688	Pes6	MORN, Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Pessonella sp.	CAMPEP_0168600460	Pes7	Vps9	Rabex
Unknown	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114604624	Van1	P-loop ATPase, Vps9	Unknown
Alsin?	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114614540	Van2	MORN, MORN, Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114618492	Van3	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114610138	Van4	Kelch, Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114612628	Van5	Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114608820	Van6	Vps9	Vps9
Unknown	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114628764	Van7	TPR, Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114609996	Van8	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Rabex5?	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114608898	Van9	Vps9, PH	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114607094	Van10	CRP, PH, Vps9, Sh3, CRP	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114619210	Van11	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Rabex5?	Vannella sp.	CAMPEP_0114619588	Van12	Vps9	unclear
Unknown	Paramoeba atlantica	CAMPEP_0201478894	Parat1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Paramoeba atlantica	CAMPEP_0201500068	Parat2	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Paramoeba atlantica	CAMPEP_0201483932	Parat3	Vps9	Unknown

Unknown	Paramoeba atlantica	CAMPEP_0201502036	Parat4	Zn-finger, Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Vexillifera sp.	CAMPEP_0201563168	Vex1	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Vexillifera sp.	CAMPEP_0201559588	Vex2	Vps9	Unknown
Alsin?	Vexillifera sp.	CAMPEP_0201549744	Vex3	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Vexillifera sp.	CAMPEP_0201561904	Vex4	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Neoparamoeba aestuarina	CAMPEP_0201515200	Neoae1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	Neoparamoeba aestuarina	CAMPEP_0201529844	Neoae2	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Neoparamoeba aestuarina	CAMPEP_0201519786	Neoae3	SAP, Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Neoparamoeba aestuarina	CAMPEP_0201514824	Neoae4	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	Neoparamoeba aestuarina	CAMPEP_0201540294	Neoae5	Vps9	Unknown

Excavata

Preliminary annotation	Organism	Accession	Tree name	Domain structure (CDD)	Actual identity
Rabex5	<i>T. cruzi</i>	Tbg972.10.12220	TcRabexA	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Rabex5	<i>T. cruzi</i>	Tbg972.3.2410	TcRabexB	MORN, Vps9	Alsin
Rabex5	<i>T. brucei</i>	Tb927.10.10020	TbRabexA	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Rabex5	<i>T. brucei</i>	Tb927.3.2430	TbRabexB	MORN, Vps9	Alsin
GAP/Vps9	<i>B. saltans</i>	BS52770	BsGAPVD1	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	<i>B. saltans</i>	BS29355	BsRabex	NLBH, Vps9	Unknown
RIN3	<i>B. saltans</i>	BS53520	BsRIN3	Vps9	potential RIN
Vps9 DCP	<i>B. saltans</i>	BS00290	BsV9DCP	Vps9	Unknown
Unkn	<i>B. saltans</i>	BS79490	BsUnkn	MORN, Vps9	Alsin
Alsin	<i>N. gruberi</i>	57768	NgAlsinA	Vps9	Varp
Rabex5	<i>N. gruberi</i>	51184	NgRabexA	Vps9	Unknown
Vps9 DCP	<i>N. gruberi</i>	80473	NgV9DCPA	PH, Rossman fold, Vps9, DUF547	Unknown
Rabex5	<i>N. gruberi</i>	80732	NgRabexB	TMPIT superfamily, Vps9	Unknown
Alsin	<i>N. gruberi</i>	79768	NgAlsinB	MORN, MORN, Vps9	Unknown
GAP/Vps9	<i>N. gruberi</i>	70809	NgGAPVD1	RasGAP, Vps9	potential GAPVD1
Vps9 DCP	<i>N. gruberi</i>	79743	NgV9DCPB	Vps9	Unknown
RIN2	<i>N. gruberi</i>	69961	NgRIN2	Fam196 superfamily, Cgr1 family, Vps9	Unknown
Unkn	<i>N. gruberi</i>	66586	NgUnkn	Vps9	Unknown
Alsin	<i>N. gruberi</i>	77717	NgAlsinC	MORN, MORN; no clear Vps9 domain	Unknown

Archaeplastida

Preliminary annotation	Organism	Accession	Tree name	Domain structure (CDD)	Actual identity
Rabex5	O. tauri	36941	OtRabex	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
Vps9 DCP	O. tauri	36050	OtV9DCP	Vps9	Varp
GAP/Vps9	M. pusilla	34555	MpGAPVD1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
GAP/Vps9	C. reinhardtii	173295	CrGAPVD1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
VarpL	S. moellendorffii	444026	SmVarpL	Vps9	Varp
GAP/Vps9	S. moellendorffii	81029	SmGAPVD1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
GAP/Vps9	A. thaliana	AT3G19770.1	AtGAPVD1A	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
GAP/Vps9	A. thaliana	AT5G09320.1	AtGAPVD1B	Vps9, PPR repeat	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
GAP/Vps9	C. paradoxa	**	CpGAPVD1	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
VarpL	G. theta	102431	GtVarpL	Vps9	Varp
Rabex5	G. theta	152908	GtRabexA	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
Rabex5	G. theta	40600	GtRabexB	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
Rabex5	G. theta	151319	GtRabexC	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade
Rabex5	G. theta	101593	GtRabexD	Vps9, M domain of GW182	Rabex+GAPVD1 clade

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Alveolata

Preliminary annotation	Organism	Accession	Tree name	Domain structure (CDD)	Actual identity
VarpL	P. marinus	XP_002780998	PmVarpL	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	T. gondii	TGGT1_117760	TgRabex	Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1 clade
Unknown	T. gondii	TGGT1_005790	TgUnkn	Vps9	Varp
Vps9/HSP70	T. thermophila	159.m00052	TetV9H70	Vps9, Hsp70	Rabex-GAPVD1 clade
Alsin	T. thermophila	3717.m00021	TetAlsn1	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	T. thermophila	1.m00854	TetRabxA	RasGAP, Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1 clade
Vps9 DCP	T. thermophila	232.m00051	TetV9DP1	Vps9	Unknown
Vps9 DCP	T. thermophila	3738.m00037	TetV9DP2	Vps9	Unknown
Alsin	T. thermophila	17.m00275	TetAlsn2	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	T. thermophila	3824.m03090	TetRabxB	RasGAP, Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1 clade
GAP/Vps9	T. thermophila	119.m00124	TetGAPVD1	Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1 clade
Unknown	T. thermophila	3818.m00655	TetUnkn1	Vps9	Unknown

RIN1	T. thermophila	315.m00019	TetRIN1	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	T. thermophila	16.m00334	TetRabxC	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	T. thermophila	3728.m00081	TetUnkn2	Vps9	Unknown

Stramenopiles

Preliminary annotation	Organism	Accession	Tree name	Domain structure (CDD)	Actual identity
VarpL	A. anophagefferens	72474	AaVarpL1	Vps9	Varp
Rabex5	A. anophagefferens	17718	AaRabexA	Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1
Rabex5	A. anophagefferens	71564	AaRabexB	Vps9	TEA-specific
RIN3	A. anophagefferens	70742	AaRIN	PDZ, PX, Vps9	Stramenopile- or TEA-specific sequence
VarpL	A. anophagefferens	70964	AaVarpL2	Vps9, Ank, Ank	Rabex-GAPVD1
Rabex5	E. siliculosus	Esi0321_0027	EsRabexA	Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1
Varp	E. siliculosus	Esi0135_0039	EsVarp	DUF47, Vps9, Ank, Ank	Rabex-GAPVD1
Alsin	E. siliculosus	Esi0008_0117	EsAlsin	PDZ, PX, Vps9	Stramenopile- or TEA-specific sequence
Rabex5	E. siliculosus	Esi0227_0037	EsRabexB	Vps9, PX, Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	E. siliculosus	Esi0306_0023	EsRabexC	Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1
Unknown	E. siliculosus	Esi0314_0013	EsUnkn1	PDZ, Vps9	Stramenopile- or TEA-specific sequence
Unknown	E. siliculosus	Esi0018_0145	EsUnkn2	C1, DUF456, Vps9	TEA-specific
Rabex5	T. pseudonana	22869	TpRabexC	RRP14, SURF6, B-propeller, Rad1, Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1
Rabex5	T. pseudonana	11750	TpRabexA	PDZ, PX, Vps9	Stramenopile- or TEA-specific sequence
Rabex5	T. pseudonana	22297	TpRabexB	Vps9	TEA-specific
Rabex5	P. sojae	138309	PsRabexA	RmuC family protein, Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1
RIN2	P. sojae	142782	PsRIN2	Vps9	Unknown
GAP/Vps9	P. sojae	141276	PsGAPVD1A	Vps9	Unknown
Rabex5	P. sojae	138892	PsRabexB	Vps9	Rabex-GAPVD1
VarpL	P. sojae	128587	PsVarpL	PH, Vps9, Ank, RasGEF	Unknown
Vps9 DCP	P. sojae	158240	PsV9DCP	PX, Vps9	Unknown
GAP/Vps9	P. sojae	131887	PsGAPVD1B	Vps9	Unknown
GAP/Vps9	P. sojae	142773	PsGAPVD1C	GATase1-like domain, Vps9	Unknown
RINL	P. sojae	136726	PsRINL	Ub/CUE domain, Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	P. sojae	138708	PsUnkn1	PH, PH, Vps9, PDZ	Unknown
RIN3	P. sojae	136111	PsRIN3	PH, Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	P. sojae	138321	PsUnkn2	Vps9	potential Vps9

Alsin	<i>A. limacinum</i>	132195	AlAlsin	SH3, Vps9, RCC1	Varp
Rabex5	<i>A. limacinum</i>	100340	AlRabexA	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Rabex5	<i>A. limacinum</i>	139971	AlRabexB	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
RIN2	<i>A. limacinum</i>	136168	AIRIN2	RasGEF, Vps9	Unknown
Vps9 DCP	<i>A. limacinum</i>	145430	AlV9DCP	Metal-dependent hydrolase, Vps9	Vps9
GAP/Vps9	<i>A. limacinum</i>	42534	AlGAPVD1	No clear Vps9 domain	Varp
RIN	<i>A. limacinum</i>	33039	AIRIN3	PX, P-loop ATPase, Vps9	Unknown

Rhizaria+Haptophyta

Preliminary annotation	Organism	Accession	Tree name	Domain structure (CDD)	Actual identity
Alsin	<i>E. huxleyi</i>	218203	EhAlsin	Vps9	Unclear
Unknown	<i>E. huxleyi</i>	247265	EhUnkn1	Vps9	Unclear
Unknown	<i>E. huxleyi</i>	239650	EhUnkn2	Vps9	Unclear (highly similar to EhUnkn1)
Unknown	<i>E. huxleyi</i>	354427	EhUnkn3	Vps9	Vps9
VarpL	<i>B. natans</i>	86030	BnVarpL1	Vps9	Varp
Rabex5	<i>B. natans</i>	48825	BnRabex	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
RIN1	<i>B. natans</i>	80631	BnRIN1	Vps9	Rhizaria-specific clade 1
Vps9 DCP	<i>B. natans</i>	74481	BnV9DCP	WWE, Vps9	Unclear
VarpL	<i>B. natans</i>	81278	BnVarpL2	Vps9	potentially Varp
Unknown	<i>B. natans</i>	67055	BnUnkn1	Vps9	potentially Varp
Unknown	<i>B. natans</i>	69446	BnUnkn2	Vps9	Unclear
Unknown	<i>B. natans</i>	68567	BnUnkn3	DEP/PH, Vps9	Unclear
Unknown	<i>B. natans</i>	74004	BnUnkn4	Vps9	Rabex+GAPVD1
Unknown	<i>B. natans</i>	68971	BnUnkn5	Vps9	Unclear
Unknown	<i>B. natans</i>	76472	BnUnkn6	Vps9	unclear (potential Varp)
Unknown	<i>B. natans</i>	75886	BnUnkn7	Vps9	Unclear (Same as BnUnkn1)
VarpL	<i>R. filosa</i>	ETO30791	RfVarpL1	Vps9	Unknown
VarpL	<i>R. filosa</i>	ETO16813	RfVarpL2	No clear vps9 domain	Rhizaria-specific clade 1
VarpL	<i>R. filosa</i>	ETO11205	RfVarpL3	Vps9	Varp
Vps9 DCP	<i>R. filosa</i>	ETO22898	RfV9DCP1	Vps9	Reticulomyxa-specific clade 1
RIN2	<i>R. filosa</i>	ETO29831	RfRIN2	Vps9	Rhizaria-specific clade 1
Vps9 DCP	<i>R. filosa</i>	ETO21800	RfV9DCP2	Vps9	Reticulomyxa-specific clade 1
VarpL	<i>R. filosa</i>	ETO16140	RfVarpL4	Vps9	Reticulomyxa-specific clade 1

RIN3	R. filosa	ETO21187	RfRIN3	Vps9	Reticulomyxa-specific clade 1
Unknown	R. filosa	ETO19750	RfUnkn1	CAP-Gly, Vps9	Rhizaria-specific clade 1
GAP/Vps9	R. filosa	ETO21137	RfGAPVD1A	Vps9	Unclear
Unknown	R. filosa	ETO26643	RfUnkn2	CAP-Gly, Vps9	Rhizaria-specific clade 1
GAP/Vps9	R. filosa	ETO18729	RfGAPVD1B	Vps9	Rhizaria-specific clade 1
Unknown	R. filosa	ETO19346	RfUnkn3	Vps9	Reticulomyxa-specific clade 1
GAP/Vps9	R. filosa	ETO08105	RfGAPVD1C	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	R. filosa	ETO36899	RfUnkn4	Vps9	Unknown**
Unknown	R. filosa	ETO26884	RfUnkn5	Vps9	Unknown
Unknown	R. filosa	ETO19808	RfUnkn6	Vps9	Unknown**
Unknown	R. filosa	ETO13085	RfUnkn7	Vps9	Rhizaria-specific clade 1
Unknown	R. filosa	ETO20382	RfUnkn8	Vps9	Rhizaria-specific clade 1
Unknown	R. filosa	ETO28139	RfUnkn9	Vps9	Unknown

**assignment based on phylogenetic affinity to RfGAPVD1C; not in Supplementary Figure 1N

Phylogenetics parameters

Figure	Model	alpha (+G)	Invariant sites (+I)
Figure 2	LG+G+F	2.721	
Figure 3	LG+G+F	1.703	
Supp. Figure 1A	LG+G+F	2.513	
Supp. Figure 1B	LG+I+G	2.464	0
Supp. Figure 1C	LG+G	1.918	
Supp. Figure 1D	LG+G+F	1.922	
Supp. Figure 1E	LG+G+F	1.726	
Supp. Figure 1F	LG+I+G+F	1.935	0.008
Supp. Figure 1G	LG+G+F	1.992	
Supp. Figure 1H	LG+I+G+F	1.93	0.009
Supp. Figure 1I	LG+G+F	1.965	
Supp. Figure 1J	LG+G+F	2.108	
Supp. Figure 1K	LG+G+F	2.375	
Supp. Figure 1L	LG+G+F	1.805	
Supp. Figure 1M	LG+G+F	2.183	

Supp. Figure 1N	LG+G+F	2.343
Supp. Figure 1O	LG+G+F	1.845
Supp. Figure 1P	LG+I+G+F	1.874
Supp. Figure 1Q	LG+G+F	2.166
Supp. Figure 1R	LG+G	1.489
Supp. Figure 1S	LG+G+F	1