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Title: Gibberellic Acid-Mediated transcriptional divergence underlies cold stress adaptation in two diploid cotton species

Wang *et al.* addressed reviewer comments and suggestions, including revising the title.

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Experimental design

The submission addresses the research question.

Validity of the findings

The Gibberellic Acid signaling pathway plays a key role in cold-stress adaptation in *G. thurberi* and *G. trilobum*. The finding of the research contributes to adaptive evolution in cotton under cold stress.