RICE TRAITS FOR VARIETAL TRIALS

1. Days to 50% flowering

DAY_FLW

To be recorded as the number of days from planting to the day when 50% of the plants in a row have flowered.

Quantitative

2. Number of effective tillers

TILL EFF

To be recorded as number of panicle bearing tillers.

Quantitative

3. Plant height (cm)

PLT HGT

To be recorded from the base of the Plant above the group up to the tip of the topmost spikelet (average of 5 plants).

Quantitative

4. Panicle length (cm)

PAN_LT

To be measured from the neck to the tip of the mother tiller (average of 5 random plants).

Quantitative

5. Days to maturity

DAY_MAT

To be recorded on 80% maturity.

Quantitative

6. Seed coat colour (Kernel colour)

SED_CLR

To be recorded when the seed is fully dried.

White	1
Light brown	2
Speckled brown	3
Brown	4
Red	5
Variable purple	6
Purple	7
Others (Specify in the REMARKS descriptor)	99

7. Grain length width ratio

GRN SIZ

To be recorded as ratio of length to breadth computed from 10 measurements.

Quantitative

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9.	Aroma	AROMA	
	To be recorded after hulling. Absent		(
	Present		1
10	. Grain yield per 10 meter² (g)	GRN_YLD	

To be recorded as weight of hundred random seeds in grams (average

SED_WT

8. 100 grain weight (g)

of 5 random plants).