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Matters to be resolved concerning Test Guidelines adopted by the Technical Committee: Brown Mustard (*Brassica juncea* (L.) Czern.)

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The purpose of this document is to present matters to be resolved concerning the Test Guidelines for Brown Mustard (*Brassica juncea* (L.) Czern.), adopted by the Technical Committee (TC) in 2018.

The TC, at its fifty-fourth session, held in Geneva on October 29 and 30, 2018, adopted the Test Guidelines for Brown Mustard (*Brassica juncea* (L.) Czern.) on the basis of document TG/BRASS\_JUN(proj.6) and TC‑EDC/Oct18/3, subject to the amendments specified in document TC/54/31 Corr. “Report”, Annex II, and the linguistic changes recommended by the TC‑EDC (see document TC/54/31 Corr. “Report”, paragraph 349).

On the above basis, the Technical Working Party for Vegetables (TWV), at its fifty-fourth session[[1]](#footnote-2), considered documents TWV/54/4 and [TG/BRASS\_JUN(proj.7)](https://www.upov.int/edocs/mdocs/upov/en/twv_54/tg_brass_jun_proj_7.pdf), incorporating the amendments agreed by the TC, to address the outstanding matters to be resolved on the draft Test Guidelines for Brown Mustard. The TWV agreed the following amendments to document [TG/BRASS\_JUN(proj.7)](https://www.upov.int/edocs/mdocs/upov/en/twv_54/tg_brass_jun_proj_7.pdf) (see document TWV/54/9 “Report”, paragraph 84):

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| Chars. 6, 7, 20 | to add (\*) |
| Char. 17 | to delete from TQ 5 |

A new draft, TG/BRASS\_JUN(proj.8), incorporating the amendments set out in paragraph 3 of this document is available on the TC/56 webpage.

The TC is invited to adopt the Test Guidelines for Brown Mustard on the basis of document TG/BRASS\_JUN(proj.8).

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1. hosted by Brazil and organized by electronic means, from May 11 to 15, 2020 [↑](#footnote-ref-2)