

Table 1. Itinerary of the February 2019 field study conducted in Myanmar

| day | YY/MM/DD | date | root and places | transportation | stay | note | waypoint |
|-----|------------|------|---------------------------|----------------|----------|--|----------------------|
| 1 | 2019/02/11 | MON | TN & MK arrived at Yangon | flight | Yangon | | |
| 2 | 2019/02/12 | TUE | Yangon - Yezin | vehicle | Yezin | TN, OMS, MK joined; Visit to DOA Director General | |
| 3 | 2019/02/13 | WED | Yezin - Nyaung-U | vehicle | Nyaung-U | Visit to DAR | |
| 4 | 2019/02/14 | THU | Nyaung-U - Mindat | vehicle | Mindat | Visit to DOA District Office | |
| 5 | 2019/02/15 | FRI | Mindat - Madupi | vehicle | Mindat | | 1 & 2 |
| 6 | 2019/02/16 | SAT | Madupi - Rezua | vehicle | Rezua | | 3, 4, 5 & 6 |
| 7 | 2019/02/17 | SUN | around Rezua | vehicle | Rezua | | 7. 8. 9. 10, 11 & 12 |
| 8 | 2019/02/18 | MON | Rezua - Hakha | vehicle | Hakha | | 13 & 14 |
| 9 | 2019/02/19 | TUE | around Hakha | vehicle | Hakha | | 15, 16, 17, 18 & 19 |
| 10 | 2019/02/20 | WED | Hakha - Monywa | vehicle | Monywa | | 20 & 21 |
| 11 | 2019/02/21 | THU | Monywa - Yezin | vehicle | Yezin | Processing collected materials | |
| 12 | 2019/02/22 | FRI | Yezin | vehicle | Yezin | Processing collected materials | 22 |
| 13 | 2019/02/23 | SAT | Yezin | vehicle | Yezin | | |
| 14 | 2019/02/24 | SUN | Yezin - Yangon | vehicle | Yangon | | |
| 15 | 2019/02/25 | MON | Yangon | vehicle | Yangon | Visit to PPD for plant quarantine; Visit to JICA Seed Project site; Visit to PBC | |
| 16 | 2019/02/26 | TUE | Yangon | vehicle | Yangon | Phytosanitary certificate granted | |
| 17 | 2019/02/27 | WED | TN & MK leave Yangon | flight | on board | Visit to EOJ | |
| 18 | 2019/02/28 | THU | TN & MK returned to Japan | flight | | | |

Note:

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DOA: Department of Agriculture; DAR Department of Agricultural Research; PPD: Plant Protection Department

JICA Seed Project: Japan International Cooperation Agency “The Project for Improvement on Accessibility of Rice Certified Seed”

PBC: Plant Biotechnology Center of DOA

EOJ: Embassy of Japan