

<b>Certificate of Analysis</b>			
<b>AOCS 1116-A, Ms11 canola leaf tissue genomic DNA</b>			
<b>Certified Presence</b>	<b>Certified Value</b>	<b>Measurement Uncertainty</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
Hemizygous Ms11 DNA present	>999.99 ng/ug Ms11 DNA	0	event-specific real-time PCR
<p><b>Description:</b> This is the first batch of Ms11 canola CRM prepared by AOCS for BASF Agricultural Solutions Seed US LLC. This material is for limited purposes only: see "Intended Use" and "Terms and Conditions."</p>			
<p align="center"><b>This certificate is valid through: March 2025</b></p> <p>This validity may be extended when further evidence of stability becomes available. Customers will be notified by AOCS if a stability issue arises at AOCS Headquarters.</p> <p><b>Introduced:</b> 2 December 2019</p> <p><b>Revised :</b> 17 December 2019, 13 January 2020, 17 March 2020, 5 March 2021, 14 March 2022, 1 March 2023, 11 March 2024</p>			
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<p>AOCS Mission: AOCS advances the science and technology of oils, fats, surfactants and related materials, enriching the lives of people everywhere.</p>			

## Characterization

**Product Description** AOCS 1116-A has been prepared by AOCS from hemizygous canola genomic DNA extracted from clean leaves. AOCS 1116-A is available in sterile, 0.5ml skirted screw-cap self-sealing tubes. Each sample contains approximately 36.9 µL at a concentration of 271.1 ng/µL. Users are informed that this reference material has been produced from genomic DNA extracted from clean leaves of Ms11 canola breeding line: N90-740 delivered by BASF Agricultural Solutions Seed US LLC.

**Homogeneity** Ten packaged samples, 10 µg each, were tested using event-specific qualitative PCR methods developed and validated by BASF Agricultural Solutions Seed US LLC. Test results received from Eurofins-GeneScan, New Orleans, LA (an ISO 17025 accredited laboratory) for qualitative, event-specific analysis were all consistent with the reported presence of the Ms11 trait.

**Stability** AOCS Certified Reference Materials are tested for stability on an annual basis and certificates may be extended based on the outcome of this testing. Customers may request extended certificates, but they are informed that results are based on samples that are obtained from AOCS' inventory. AOCS cannot guarantee the integrity of samples outside of our control.

## Analytical Method Used for Certification

Eurofins-GeneScan, New Orleans, LA (an ISO 17025 accredited laboratory) performed event-specific real-time PCR for Ms11 to validate the presence of the Ms11 trait.

## Warnings and Precautions

This product is for laboratory use only and is not for consumption. The user of this CRM should follow safety requirements and rules issued by voluntary organizations and government agencies expert in the field of laboratory safety.

## Intended Use

This CRM, AOCS 1116-A, is intended for use as quality control material or calibrant in methods for the detection, identification, and/or quantification of biotechnology-derived events.

## Instructions for Use



Upon receipt the product should be stored in a sealed container at +4° C in the dark. The product may have redistributed during shipment, therefore, centrifuge the vial to aggregate the sample at the bottom of the vial before use.

Product opening date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Completed by customer)

Recommended test portion: minimum of 200 ng or the test portion recommended in your validated method

Protocols have been followed to ensure that the certified presence represents the true presence. AOCS cannot be held responsible for changes that happen during storage of the product at the buyer's location.

Note: The AOCS 1116-A certification report is available online and a paper copy will be supplied upon request.

#### **Terms and Conditions (i– ix)**

- i. The CRM AOCS 1116-A shall be used solely 1) in assays for (a) detecting the presence of Ms11, or (b) quantification of Ms11; or 2) for determining whether an assay cross-reacts with CRM AOCS 1116-A. CRM AOCS 1116-A shall be used for no other purpose. Specifically, the CRM may not be used to develop a detection method for Ms11 nor trait(s) present therein. No other rights are conveyed by the sale of the CRM 1116-A to any purchaser, including any rights to any pending or granted BASF Agricultural Solutions Seed US LLC Patents or other BASF Agricultural Solutions Seed US LLC Intellectual Property that may protect the CRM or Ms11 or trait(s) present therein or a detection method for Ms11.
- ii. Neither the CRM AOCS 1116-A nor any extract or portion thereof shall be re-sold or redistributed by any purchaser, unless the resale or redistribution is required by national law in force in the purchaser's country.
- iii. Neither the CRM AOCS 1116-A, nor any extract or portion thereof, shall be used for human or animal consumption or human or animal trials.
- iv. Neither the CRM AOCS 1116-A nor Ms11 DNA, nor any part of either of these, shall be used for transformation or breeding.
- v. No characterization or derivation of Ms11, of the trait or traits present in CRM AOCS 1116-A shall be performed, except as allowed for in section (i).



- vi. All assay activities undertaken using the CRM AOCS 1116-A shall be conducted in strict compliance with all Applicable Laws governing such activities, and shall comply with conditions of all permits and authorizations which may be required for such activities; and such activities shall be strictly limited to assays in contained facilities, for example, laboratories.
- vii. Prior to disposal of any used or excess CRM AOCS 1116-A or residues thereof, such material or residue must be treated in a manner that degrades Ms11 in the CRM material, such as by autoclaving.
- viii. CRM AOCS 1116-A shall not be exported nor re-exported in violation of any Applicable Laws or without securing any necessary export or import clearances or permits.
- ix. THE CRM 1116-A IS PROVIDED FOR THE PURPOSE OF IDENTIFYING, DETECTING AND QUANTIFYING Ms11 AND FOR NO OTHER PURPOSE. AOCS HAS TESTED CRM 1116-A WITHIN THE PAST 12 MONTHS AND STATES THAT IT HAS DETERMINED IT TO BE OF SUFFICIENT QUALITY AND FIT FOR THE PURPOSES STATED HEREIN. NO BASF AGRICULTURAL SOLUTIONS SEED US LLC WARRANTY IS PROVIDED WHETHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, IN RELATION TO THE CRM AOCS 1116-A AND BASF AGRICULTURAL SOLUTIONS SEED US LLC MATERIALS. BASF AGRICULTURAL SOLUTIONS SEED US LLC MAKES NO REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY THAT THE USE OF THE CRM AOCS 1116-A, WHETHER BEFORE, OR AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE APPLICABLE CERTIFICATE, WILL NOT INFRINGE ANY PATENT OR OTHER PROPERTY RIGHTS.

