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| **For Office Use Only**  **Disclosure #:**  **Received:** |

**This form is used to disclose new plant varieties/germplasm and to meet obligations of disclosure as required under The Texas A&M University System Policy 17.01.**

**Submit the completed, signed Plant Variety/Germplasm Disclosure form, Breeder/Contributor Data Sheet(s), Agreement for the Distribution of Licensing Income for Plant Variety/Germplasm form, and any additional documentation to** [invent@tamus.edu](mailto:invent@tamus.edu).

**1. Plant Variety or Germplasm Name and Experimental Number/Designation\*:**

***\*If disclosing multiple plant varieties/germplasm, enter a title for this disclosure above (e.g. multiple sorghum lines) and see instructions on page 3 of this form.***

**2. Key Words:**

**3. Crop Type:**

**4. Genus/species:**

**5. Primary Breeder:**

**6. List Additional Contributors (Breeder/Contributor Data Sheet required for each contributor):**

**7. Has the plant variety/germplasm been sold or offered for sale to a third party?**

Yes No

If “Yes”, specify the date and circumstances:

**8. Is Foundation Seed being produced by Texas A&M AgriLife Foundation Seed?** Yes No

**9. Is any component of the plant variety/germplasm owned by a third party?**  Yes No

If “Yes”, identify the third party and describe the circumstances and agreements the third party’s material was used under:

**10. Is this plant variety/germplasm a genetically modified plant?** Yes No

If “Yes”, please provide further detail:

**11.** **Has this plant variety/germplasm been approved for release by the Plant Review Committee?** Yes No

If “No”, please explain:

**12.****Funding. Rights in plant varieties/germplasm may be impacted by, or obligated under, the terms of agreements with entities that provided the funding that led to its development. Examples of entities that provide funding under agreements include, but are not limited to, federal agencies, state agencies, non-profit research foundations, commodity boards, private companies, and providers of gift contributions. Please list all funding sources.**

(a) Describe the **internal** resources that were used in the development of this plant variety/germplasm:

(b) Which A&M System member(s) funds were used in the creation of the plant variety/germplasm (e.g. AgriLife, TAMU, etc.):

(c) Identify all **external** sources of funding used in the creation of the disclosed plant variety/germplasm; include grant numbers or other unique, assigned identifiers for each in the table below:

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| **Name of Funding Agency/Entity** | **Federal Grant/Agreement/ Contract/Other Type of Award No.** | **MAESTRO Project ID No. (M######)**  **(other Internal Acct. or Reference No. if no MAESTRO Project ID)** | **Office managing award**  **(AgriLife, TAMU, SRS, etc.)** |
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**13. Attach a complete written description of the plant variety/germplasm (including origin and breeding history, objective description, and trial data). If available, please attach a copy of your Plant Release Proposal to meet this requirement. If in preliminary stages, provide brief description and summary of your research results to date.**

*Primary Breeder/Contributor Signature*

I certify that the information in this Plant Variety/Germplasm Disclosure is complete and accurate.

Date

Printed Name:

Submit this completed Plant Variety/Germplasm Disclosure form, including all Breeder/Contributor Data Sheet(s), and Breeder/Contributor signatures where applicable, to invent@tamus.edu or mail to:

**Texas A&M Innovation, Attn: Plant Variety/Germplasm Disclosure, 3369 TAMU, College Station, TX 77843-3369**

**\* Use this page only if disclosing multiple Plant Varieties/Germplasm under this disclosure, and only if the following conditions are met:**

* **The breeders/contributors, including the descriptions of their contribution to each plant variety/germplasm line, must be applicable to all plant varieties/germplasm lines included in this disclosure;**
* **The funding sources identified in Question 12 must be applicable equally to all plant varieties/germplasm lines being disclosed; and**
* **The Breeder/Contributor royalty sharing percentages under the AGREEMENT FOR DISTRIBUTION OF LICENSING INCOME FOR PLANT VARIETY/GERMPLASM will be applicable for each plant variety/germplasm line being disclosed.**

**Please use the table below or attach a separate spreadsheet or document to individually list your varieties or germplasm**

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***Complete a Data Sheet for each named contributor including non-A&M System contributors and submit all Data Sheets with the Plant Variety/Germplasm Disclosure[[1]](#footnote-2).***

**Plant Variety/Germplasm Experimental Number (or title of disclosure if disclosing multiple plant varieties/germplasm under this disclosure):**

**Contribution:Briefly describe your contribution to the disclosed plant variety/germplasm.**

**Breeder/Contributor Full Name (first middle last):**

**Preferred Salutation**:       **Degree**:

(e.g. Ms., Mrs., Mr., Dr., Other (identify)) (e.g. PhD, DVM, MD, MS, BS, Other (identify))

**University ID Number (UIN)**:       **Country of Citizenship**:

**A&M SYSTEM Employment Title**:

(e.g. Professor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, Employed Student, Other (identify))

**Identify any joint appointments and/or affiliation that you have with another institution, including but not limited to joint appointments within the A&M System (if any)**:

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***If you are completing this form as a former Texas A&M University System Employee, which A&M System member were you employed by at the time of developing the plant variety/germplasm* (e.g. AgriLife, TAMU, TEES, TTI, TAMU-Kingsville, TAMU-Corpus Christi, etc.):**

**Former Position/Title:**

**Department/Division:**

**Laboratory or Center:**

**AGREEMENT FOR DISTRIBUTION OF LICENSING INCOME FOR**

**PLANT VARIETY/GERMPLASM**

**To be completed by A&M System-employed contributors only (currently employed or employed by the A&M System at the time of the breeder’s/contributor’s contribution to the plant variety/germplasm).**

I/We, the undersigned, as named A&M System breeders/contributors for the subject plant variety/germplasm, agree and acknowledge that:

(i) licensing income generated by this plant variety/germplasm which accrues to named breeders/contributors under The Texas A&M University System (System) Policy 17.01, *Intellectual Property Management and Commercialization*, should be distributed to the named breeders/contributors in the proportions (percentages) designated below;

(ii) breeders/contributors must notify Texas A&M Innovation if their address changes; and

(iii) in the event the breeders/contributors are unable to agree upon an appropriate sharing arrangement amongst themselves, the sharing portions will be decided by the breeders’/contributors’ member CEO and this decision will be binding on the breeders/contributors.

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| Agreement for Distribution of Licensing Income for  **Plant Variety/Germplasm Experimental Number (or title of disclosure if disclosing multiple under this disclosure):** | | | | |
| Breeder/Contributor Name (printed) | Breeder/Contributor  Signature | Percentage[[2]](#footnote-3) | Date |
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1. Additional Breeder/Contributor Data Sheets may be found at http://innovation.tamus.edu. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
2. Percentages must total to 100% [↑](#footnote-ref-3)