



# INTERNATIONAL SEED TESTING ASSOCIATION (ISTA)

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## Scope of ISTA Accreditation

### Annex to the Accreditation Certificate - ISTA Standard Methods

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<b>Test: Object - Sampling/Testing principle</b>	<b>Specific field of application includes species of:</b>	<b>ISTA Rules Chapter</b>
Sampling from the lot: Obtain a representative sample - Manual sampling	Grasses Cereals Small legumes Pulses Other agricultural crops Vegetables	2
Sampling from the lot of coated seeds: Obtain a representative sample - Manual sampling	Of species mentioned under manual sampling	2/11
Purity and identification of other seeds: Determine the percentage composition and identity of species - Separation and weighing of fractions, determination of other seeds	Grasses  Poa pratensis, Poa trivialis and Dactylis glomerata Cereals Small legumes Pulses Other agricultural crops Vegetables	3/4
Purity and identification of other seeds on coated seeds: Determine the percentage composition and identity of species - Separation and weighing of fractions, determination of other seeds	On species mentioned under Purity	3/11
Germination: Determine the germination potential - Germination on 400 seeds	Grasses  Cereals Small legumes Pulses Other agricultural crops Vegetables	5
Germination on coated seeds: Determine the germination potential - Germination on 400 seeds	On species mentioned under Germination	5/11
Moisture content: Determine moisture content - Constant temperature oven method: fine grinding	Species of Table 9A Part 1 as applicable	9

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Moisture content: Determine moisture content - Constant temperature oven method: no grinding	Species of Table 9A Part 1 and 2 as applicable	9
Moisture content: Determine moisture content - Constant temperature oven method: coarse grinding	Species of Table 9A Part 1 and 2 as applicable	
Moisture content: Determine moisture content - Constant temperature oven method: cutting	Species of Table 9A Part 1 and 2 as applicable	
Thousand seed weight: Determine weight per 1000 seeds - Counting and weighing	Grasses	10
	Cereals	
	Small legumes	
	Pulses	
	Other agricultural crops	
	Vegetables	

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