

1 **Appendix:** Evaluated morphological characters

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| <b>No.</b> | <b>Characters</b>                                   |
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| 1          | Plant length (mm)                                   |
| 2          | Leaf length of stem (mm)                            |
| 3          | Leaf width of stem (mm)                             |
| 4          | Leaf length of stem/ leaf length of stem            |
| 5          | Petiole length (mm)                                 |
| 6          | Inflorescence leaf length (mm)                      |
| 7          | Inflorescence leaf width (mm)                       |
| 8          | Inflorescence leaf length/ Inflorescence leaf width |
| 9          | Pedicle length (mm)                                 |
| 10         | Calyx length (mm)                                   |
| 11         | Calyx width (mm)                                    |
| 12         | Calyx length/Calyx width                            |
| 13         | Calyx teeth length (mm)                             |
| 14         | Calyx teeth width (mm)                              |
| 15         | Calyx teeth length/ Calyx teeth width               |
| 16         | Inflorescence length (mm)                           |
| 17         | Inflorescence width (mm)                            |
| 18         | Inflorescence length/ inflorescence width           |
| 19         | Corolla length (mm)                                 |
| 20         | Corolla tube length (mm)                            |
|            | Stipules length (mm)                                |
|            | Stipules width (mm)                                 |
|            | Stipules length/ width (mm)                         |
|            | Bract length (mm)                                   |
|            | Bract width (mm)                                    |
|            | Bract length / width (mm)                           |
|            | Pedicel length (mm)                                 |
|            | Peduncle length (mm)                                |

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