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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

%	=	percentage
°C	=	degree Celsius
µg	=	microgram
µl	=	microliter
ABA	=	abscisic acids
BA	=	6-benzyladenine
CPPU	=	N-(2-chloro - 4- pyridyl)-N- phenylurea
DMSO	=	dimethyl sulfoxide
dry wt	=	dry weight
DW	=	dry weight
ELISA	=	enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay
g	=	gram
HPLC	=	high performance chromatography
kg	=	kilogram
l	=	liter
m	=	meter
mg	=	milligram
min	=	minute
mm	=	millimeter
mM	=	milimolar
MS medium	=	Murashige and Skoog medium
NAA	=	α-naphthaleneacetic acid
nm	=	nanometer
PAb	=	polyclonal antibody
pH	=	The negative logarithm of the concentration of hydrogen ions
SD	=	standard deviation

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS (Cont.)

TDZ	=	thiazuron
TPBS	=	0.05% tween 20 in phosphate buffered saline
UV	=	ultraviolet
w/v	=	weight / volume