

Table S3. Daily data of *Tylosema esculentum* germination percentage

Data in the paper			Expected data				
Day	%G	%G/day	Day	%G	%(G1-G2)/day	%G/day	
2	15	7.5	2	15	15	7.5	
4	25	6.25	4	25	10	2.5	
6	33	5.5	6	33	8	1.333	
8	38	4.75	8	38	5	0.625	
10	38	3.8	10	38	0	0	
12	39	3.25	12	39	1	0.833	
14	50	3.571	14	50	11	0.786	
16	63	3.938	16	63	13	0.813	
GR		38.559					13.640
GR/63		61.21					21.65

Readings of germinated seeds already recorded in previous readings. In each reading, the authors inappropriately used the total percentage of germination instead of the partial percentage (expected data), as a consequence of not having discarded the seedlings of the previous measurements. GR is the summation %G/day, and the corrected GR is obtained by dividing GR by 63 (the maximum %G). If we use as reference the germination rate of the control, the germination rate shown is 61.21 instead of the expected 21.65.

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