

VERSION: 1.3 **DATE:** 3/1/2024

PATHOGEN: Melon Necrotic Spot Virus (MNSV)

HOST: Cucurbits

COMMON NAME:

METHOD: Cb 4.1 ISTA Assay 7-026: ver 1.5 (2024)

METHOD CLASS: TEMPORARY STANDARD (B)

SAMPLE: Minimum sample size is 2,000 seeds; maximum subsample is 100 seeds.

REVISION HISTORY:

• NSHS Version 1.2: Clarifications and not changes to procedure:

o ISTA Method 7-026 ver 1.4, 2021-01-01: Sample size revised.

• NSHS Version 1.3: Clarifications and not changes to procedure:

o ISTA Method 7-026 ver 1.5, 2024-01-01: Sample size revised.

PROCEDURE:

ISTA 2024 7-026: ver 1.5

REFERENCES:

International Rules for Seed Testing. Annexe to Chapter 7: Seed Health Testing Methods. 2024. 7-026: ver 1.5 Detection of Squash Mosaic Virus, Cucumber Green Mottle Mosaic Virus and Melon Necrotic Spot Virus in cucurbits.