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Improved cotyledonary node method using an alternative explant derived from mature seed for efficient *Agrobacterium*-mediated soybean transformation

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Materials and methods, subsection *Agrobacterium* culture and infection medium, the fourth sentence should read:

On the day of infection, a bacterial pellet was obtained by spinning the overnight culture at 3500 rpm for 10 min and resuspended in infection medium containing 1/10 strength Gamborg's B5 salts (Gamborg et al. 1968), B5 vitamins, and 1/5 strength MSIII iron stock (Murashige and Skoog 1962), with 7.5 μM 6-benzylaminopurine (BAP), 0.7 μM gibberellic acid (GA_3), 20 mM MES [2-(*N*-morpholino) ethanesulfonic acid], 3% sucrose and 200 μM acetosyringone, pH 5.4.

Materials and methods, subsection **Explant preparation and infection**, the seventh sentence should read:

The cocultivation medium is infection medium with 100–400 mg l^{-1} cysteine and 154 mg l^{-1} dithiothreitol, pH 5.4, and solidified with 0.425% Noble agar (Fisher Scientific, USA).

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