

Table 5 Main morphological characters of t clustering weedy rice populations from different regions

Categories	Clustering weedy rice populations from different regions	Morphological characteristics
Group 1	North China and South Korea	long and brown awn, red pericarp, and very short grain and flag leaf
Group 2	South China and Southeast Asia	tall plant, strong shattering, long flag leaf and grain
Group 3	East China	morphological similarities to local indica cultivars or japonica cultivars