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Dear Rolf:

Your paper entitled "Color-tolerance data and the tentative CIE 1976 L\*a\*b\* formula" is very good. I think it will be quite appropriate as a JOSA Letter. Because Figs. 2 and 3b are your own and have not appeared where many JOSA readers would see them, I am sure they may be included.

I have indicated a number of alterations of details on your manuscript. Please spell out "tentative" (or perhaps substitute "proposed"), everywhere. Please put all reference numbers superscript, without parentheses, and please use all the hyphens I have indicated. My other changes improve the clarity of your presentation, in my opinion.

Please correct your first copy as indicated and send me two clean copies, including one set of glossy prints of your figures, ready for submission to the editor. I will forward them immediately to him with my favorable recommendation.

Please include a very short, simple covering letter of submittal, that I can forward with the manuscript to the Editor.

Sincerely,

David L. MacAdam

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