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SALVIA 'ROSE RHAPSODY'

NEW!



LINARIA 'DARTMOOR SUNSET'

**PLANT WORLD
SEEDS
2014**

NEW!



MECONOPSIS 'KEILLOUR VIOLET'

NEW!



SILENE ATROPURPUREA

NEW!



PHACELIA BOLANDERI

NEW!



AQUILEGIA KURDISTANICA

NEW!



PRIMULA GOLD LACED RED JACK IN THE GREEN

NEW!



MECONOPSIS WILSONII SSP ORIENTALIS



Welcome!

Possibly the world's only catalogue selling this year's fresh seeds!

One of the coldest Marches on record saw the delicate, just-opening buds on beds of oriental hellebores turn into tiny, crispy, pendulous sea-urchins, as they sprouted sparkling, deadly crystals of ice, ensuring that they would never ripen into flowers. Luckily we had just a few sheltered plants to give us an acceptable seed crop. This was followed by one of the hottest and driest summers in living memory, giving us one of the best seed-ripenings we have ever experienced, what a change from the floods of 2012.

In September and October 2014 we are undertaking a 5 week expedition to unexplored parts of the Himalayan foothills in Nepal. Contact us if you would like a share of the seeds collected.



Some of our new discoveries...

- ❖ **Meconopsis wilsonii orientalis** – One of the world's newest and most desirable plants with exciting spectacular head of closely-packed, golden-eyed, blue-purple flowers.
- ❖ **Phacelia bolanderii** – Loved by bees and butterflies, this new hardy plant has flared lavender-blue trumpet flowers with bright blue pollen!
- ❖ **Salvia 'Rose Rhapsody'** - Another butterfly plant with enchanting, rose-pink hooded blooms massed on densely-packed flower heads.
- ❖ **Aquilegia kurdistanica** - A delightful columbine from Eastern Europe with violet petals delicately brushed with pale mauve.
- ❖ **Meconopsis 'Keillour Violet'** - This unique poppy opens large floppy petals in a delightful shade of violet-purple.
- ❖ **Tomato - Indigo Rose** – Jet black! The blackest tomato ever seen!

'Children With Cancer' was the chosen charity for our (now annual!) London Marathon on Sunday 21st April. This year, a young running friend from Torbay Athletic Club, Anita, helped Ray-the-pensioner stagger round in just over 4 hours. Not a bad time we reckoned, especially considering that Anita was 'running in' her recently modified hip! And once again, a sincere thanks to everyone who sent us donations to this worthy cause which finally totalled £3,120.





*Plant World Gardens,
Newton Abbot, Devon*

A perfect day out for Garden Clubs and Plant Societies.

Plant World, situated between Torquay and Newton Abbot in beautiful South Devon, offers an outstanding collection of rare and exotic plants from around the world. Indeed, the four acres of landscaped gardens, the first ever planted and constructed as the five continents, has been called 'Devon's Little Outdoor Eden'. We are a popular destination for visiting groups and offer a cordial welcome so please get in touch!

Established in 1985, Plant World is the culmination of a plantsman's vision and has been featured several times on BBC's Gardeners' World as well as on other TV programmes. The extensive collection of rare and unusual plants is complemented by the mature cottage and Mediterranean gardens.

Rare Plant Nursery

Inspirational 'gardens from around the world' contain a selection of rare and exotic plants rarely seen outside their native lands. Choice specimens seen in the gardens are sold in the Plantsman's Nursery, a treasure trove of sought-after plants. So if you are passionate about plants and gardens, Plant World is a definite 'must-see' during your visit to beautiful South Devon.



Viewpoint Café

Our modern hilltop shop and café provide light lunches, cream teas and delicious home-made cakes. Visitors can enjoy one of the best views in the West Country with unforgettable views over the Teign Valley from Dartmoor to the sea. We provide free parking and entry into the plant nursery and also have a scenic picnic area. A modest entrance charge is made for adults visiting the gardens whilst children are free.

Nursery & Gardens Opening Times

**9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 7 days a week. From mid-March to early-October.
Please ring before visiting early or late in the season to check on opening times**



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Abbreviations Key

- A - Annual**
- Bi - Biennial**
- Bb - Bulb**
- Cl - Climber**
- H - Hardy**
- HH - Half Hardy**
- P - Perennial**
- Sh - Shrub**
- T - Tree**

How To Sow Your Seeds

- ❖ Sow all seeds as soon as you receive them unless otherwise advised on the packet.
- ❖ Use sterile compost. We recommend John Innes.
- ❖ Sow seed thinly and cover to about twice the depth of the seed size with fine grit or coarse sand.
- ❖ Do remember mousetraps and slug pellets. (Note: Please be careful if you have children or pets).
- ❖ Sow cold-germinating seeds in a cold frame or unheated greenhouse.
- ❖ Do be patient. Some seedlings appear in a few days whilst others may take several months, or even a year or more. DO NOT throw the seed tray away!
- ❖ Store warm-germinating seed in a fridge and sow in March or April in a heated greenhouse or propagator or in a well-lit spot on a window sill.
- ❖ Do not leave seedlings in a seed tray for too long. They often simply stop growing.

Have you discovered something new? A new Meconopsis perhaps?!

Please let us know if anything new, unusual or variegated appears in your garden. And do keep writing to us if you have any suggestions or advice, as we are always pleased to hear how you are doing. And thanks for buying and growing our seeds!



Ray Brown





Great Value! Save up to £9 with our collections.

HOT COLLECTION Total Value £23.30 You pay £14.95
 Our fire collection will brighten up your garden

Aquilegia 'Double Rubies'	Moraea huttonii
Centaurea macrocephala	Oenothera 'Sunset Boulevard'
Dierama igneum	Potentilla 'Monarch's Velvet'
Ligularia clivorum 'Desdemona'	Sisyrinchium palmifolium
Meconopsis cambrica 'Frances Perry'	Scabiosa rumellica



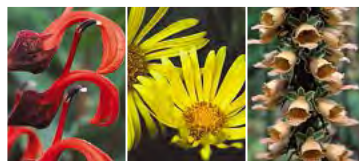
COOL COLLECTION Total Value £24.45 You pay £14.95
 Always the most popular colours

Campanula lactiflora 'Prichard's Variety'	Lobelia 'Blue Cardinal'
Echium 'Blue Steeple'	Meconopsis 'Lingholm'
Geranium 'Purple-Haze'	Nepeta clarkei
Agapanthus 'Headbourne Hybrids'	Veronica grandis
Libertia caerulea	Veronica kiusiana



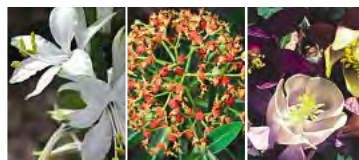
GIANT COLLECTION Total Value £23.85 You pay £14.95
 Land of the Giants for spectacular effects

Alcea ficifolia	Nepeta parnassica
Datisca cannabina	Peltiphyllum peltatum
Digitalis ferruginea gigantea	Rheum palmatum tanguticum
Echium 'Blue Steeple'	Rudbeckia grandiflora
Lobelia tupa	Vernonia gigantea



FRAGRANT COLLECTION Total Value £23.65 You pay £14.95
 To please you and the bees

Agastache 'Golden Jubilee'	Lavandula angustifolia
Aquilegia 'Fragrant Fantasy'	Nepeta clarkei
Aquilegia 'Perfumed Garden'	Oenothera 'Apricot Delight'
Camassia leichtlinii	Paradisea lusitanica
Euphorbia mellifera	Viola 'Blueberry Cream'



COLOURED FOLIAGE Total Value £23.75 You pay £14.95
 Bring colour to your winter garden

Ligularia clivorum 'Desdemona'	Lavatera arborea variegata
Agastache 'Golden Jubilee'	Nandina 'Splash of Cream'
Geranium 'Purple-Haze'	Penstemon 'Husker Red'
Haloragis 'Wellington Bronze'	Phormium mixed
Heuchera 'Metallica'	Plantago major rubrifolia



SWEET PEA COLLECTION Total Value £14.00 You pay £11.95
 For perfume all summer

Sweet pea 'Black Knight'	Sweet pea 'Painted Lady'
Sweet pea 'Stylish'	Sweet pea 'Pastel Sunset'
Sweet pea 'Oxford Blue'	Sweet pea 'Ripple Mixed'
Sweet pea 'Cupid Mixed'	Sweet pea 'Royal Wedding'
Sweet pea 'Henry Eckford'	Sweet pea 'Spencer Mixed'



Ornamentals

ABUTILON X SUNTENSE

£2.35 Malvaceae HSH

1.8m

This frost hardy plant is surely the most desirable of all mallow relatives. Large, bowl-shaped pale to deep purple flowers, with the occasional white flowered form, from late spring to summer over a foil of felted grey-green leaves.



AGAPANTHUS LILLIPUT

£2.70 Liliaceae HP

38-45cm

Above neat tufts of narrow leaves stand rounded heads of rich-blue, star-shaped flowers, showing dark central veins, and blue stemmed stamens. Seedlings grown from seeds collected from this diminutive "African Lily" may vary a little but will all be lovely.



ACONITUM NAPELLUS

£2.45 Ranunculaceae HP

90cm

The true "Monkshood" flowers from earliest spring, producing indigo-blue hooded flowers on strong stems clad in shiny green leaves. This is one of the earliest, easiest and most rewarding flowers you can grow in the garden and is totally trouble-free.



AGASTACHE AURANTIACA

£2.30 Labiatae HP

38-45cm

Massed sprays of flaming orange tubular flowers arise above fragrant leaves for a very long period, right into late autumn. These delightful flowers will excel for many years in a well-drained position.



ACONITUM VULPARIA

£2.20 Ranunculaceae HP

60cm-1.2m

Long-lived clumps produce very dense sprays of pale sulphur yellow hooded flowers in spring and early summer, above attractive, bright green shiny foliage. If dead-headed flowering will continue into the autumn.

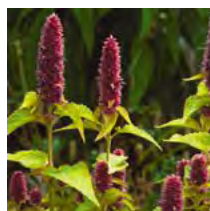


AGASTACHE 'GOLDEN JUBILEE'

£2.45 Labiatae HP

60cm

Discovered here and given the 'All America Award'. Early spring crowns of purplish, crinkled leaves transform into sweetly aromatic golden rosettes, with tubby terminal spikes of fluffy lavender flowers. Superb in a well-drained spot.



AGAPANTHUS 'HEADBOURNE HYBRIDS'

£2.65 Liliaceae HP

60cm

Huge true blue globular heads flower freely on stout stems above strap-shaped leaves. This seemingly completely hardy variety forms thick established clumps which improve over the years.



AGASTACHE 'GREEN CANDLES'

£2.25 Scrophulariaceae HP

60-90cm

Closed ranks of long green pokers bearing pale yellow flowers will make a striking feature in any border. This unusual, fragrant-leaved "bubble mint" will produce a truly dramatic effect when grown as a solitary clump.



AGASTACHE 'LIQUORICE BLUE'

£2.15 Labiatae HP 60-75cm

Blue flower spikes, adored by bees and butterflies, arise in profusion above aromatic, aniseed and liquorice-scented leaves. In a well-drained and preferably sheltered spot this gorgeous plant is soundly perennial.

**ALLIUM CHRISTOPHII**

£2.50 Alliaceae HB 45cm

Magnificent, ten inch, spherical heads composed of glossy amethystine violet stars (which can be dried to give pleasure all year) will turn heads for years to come. Undoubtedly one of the most flamboyant members of this enormous family of plants.

**AGROSTEMMA GITHAGO**

£1.75 Caryophyllaceae HA 60-90cm

"Corn Cockle". Large purple-red flowers on tall branching stems adorn this ancient cottage garden plant which was once a welcome sight in cornfields, but is now very rare in the wild. Allow it to naturalise in your garden for a never-ending display year after year.

**ALSTROEMERIA AURANTIACA**

£2.55 Alstroemeriaceae HP 60-90cm

A generous bag from our sizeable stock beds of "Peruvian Lilies". Spectacular orchid-like orange and yellow blooms in clumps which improve unattended over the years.

**ALCEA FICIFOLIA YELLOW**

£2.35 Malvaceae HP 1.5-1.8m

"Antwerp" or "Fig-leaved Hollyhock". This plant, which has deeply lobed fig-like leaves, produces more branching stems than the common hollyhock and is relatively rust resistant, so if you've failed with the normal one give this a try.

**ALSTROEMERIA MEDIUM VARIETIES**

£2.55 Alstroemeriaceae HP 38-90cm (15 seeds)

A generous packet of medium height forms of these lovely varieties. This selection will include seeds of about 15 different varieties including Alstroemeria garaventae, huemulina, magnifica maxima, pelegrina, philippii and zoellneri.

**ALCHEMILLA EPIPSILA**

£2.55 Rosaceae HP 23-30cm

This new compact, clump-forming species, has rounded, shallowly-lobed, softly hairy, grey-green leaves, and loose clusters of tiny, yellow-green flowers from June-September. It is noticeably smaller and less vigorous than Alchemilla mollis, rather like a large A. alpina.

**ALTHAEA CANNABINA**

£2.75 Malvaceae HP 1.8-2.4m (10 seeds)

Flowering in September and October when most other flowers have finished, cupped, dark eyed, rosy pink flowers open on long stalks, clad in small, soft cannabis-like (so we are told) leaves. Sumptuous, and always coveted by late season visitors.

**ALLIUM CHOICE MIXTURE**

£2.30 Alliaceae HB 23-45cm

A bumper bag of these trouble free ornamental plants. Displaying a range of colours including white, yellow, pink and purple. Includes Allium aflatanense, cyaneum, carolinianum, farreri, flavum, fragrans, karataviense and other rarities.

**ANDEAN CHOICE HERBACEOUS**

£2.45 Various HP 15-90cm

Wild collected plants from the foothills of the Central and Southern Chilean Andes, many not identified by the botanist who collected them. Some may flower the first year, but all will prefer a well-drained position in the garden. A comprehensive list is included.



ANEMONE BARBULATA

£2.30 Ranunculaceae HP

60cm

China is the home of this delicate new discovery. Repeatedly branching thin stems carry clusters of numerous fragile, blue-backed pure white flowers. Superficially like *Anemone leveillei*, but bearing smaller and many, many more flowers.

**ANEMONE CANADENSIS**

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HP

30-45cm

This outstandingly attractive introduction bears large ivory waxy petalled flowers, which have both blue backs to the petals and blue anthers. A delightful combination.

**ANEMONE LEVEILLEI**

£2.45 Ranunculaceae HP

45cm

This one of the easiest and long-lived of the clump-forming anemonies which improves with age, bearing dense sprays of white waxy-petalled flowers with a blue reverse. An exceptionally beautiful flower from China.

**ANEMONE TOMENTOSA**

£2.40 Ranunculaceae HP

90cm-1.5m

This lovely Chinese species gives a valuable late summer and autumn display of large rose pink flowers in profuse clusters on long stalks, which make perfect cut flowers. Clouds of decorative woolly seed pods remain on the plant until shredded by the winter storms.

**ANGELICA GIGAS**

£2.45 Apiaceae HP

90cm-1.2m

This magnificent angelica bearing thick shiny leaves has rapidly become a cult plant. In midsummer globular, almost solid heads, of dark crimson florets erupt on strong stems from inflated purple sheaths, providing a feast for pollinating insects.

**ANGELICA HISPANICA**

£1.95 Apiaceae HP

45cm

Customers unbelievably touch the shining leaves of polished wax to see if they are real on this valuable dwarf introduction. Plants sell out on foliage alone! Only later do the plates of yellow flowers appear.

**ANGELICA URSINA**

£2.65 Apiaceae HP

1.8-2.7m

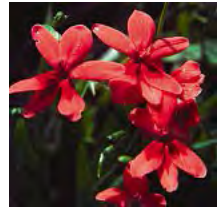
Collected on our 2002 expedition to Sakhalin (RBS0205) where bears eat the roots during the Arctic winters. Massive stems hold spreading umbels of white flowers, later a second, truly spectacular flush of radiating florets curls downwards.

**ANOMATHECA LAXA (FREESIA/LAPEIROUSIA)**

£2.65 Iridaceae HP

10-20cm

From a flat fan of tiny iris-like leaves arise thin stems carrying large, brilliant carmine star-shaped flowers. These lovely flowers are very long lived and hardy in a sheltered spot. In a well-drained rockery these will self-seed and make fabulous drifts.

**ANTHRISCUS SYLVESTRIS 'RAVENSING'**

£2.35 Apiaceae HP

90cm (30+ seeds)

This exciting recent discovery produces basal sprays of darkest mahogany-bronze, finely divided ferny foliage, making a perfect foil for the airy umbels of white heads. Ever since being revealed at Chelsea this has been an essential plant in modern gardens.

**ANTIRRHINUM BRAUN-BLANQUETII**

£2.20 Scrophulariaceae HP

45-60cm

Numerous spikes of yellow-throated, pale lemon snapdragons which will gently self-seed wherever they are happy. A trouble free plant from Northern Spain with a very long flowering period.



AQUILEGIA 'ALCHEMIST'S GOLD'

£2.65 Ranunculaceae HP 23-38cm (20+ seeds)

The distilled essence from our beds of Aquilegia 'Alchemist's Mix' with the most impressive of the dwarf golden and variegated leaf forms, some of which have pom-pom flowers and are fragrant. These new plants are the pot of gold at the end of this line of breeding.



AQUILEGIA COTTAGE GARDEN MIX

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HP 45-90cm

A selection from the range in our catalogue plus other colours and forms collected from our cottage garden. This well-filled generous packet must surely be the biggest ever offered by any seed company.



AQUILEGIA 'BURNISHED ROSE'

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HP 60cm

Selected here many years ago, sprays of icing pink pom-poms hover gracefully above the burnished, bright golden foliage. This lovely form looks fabulous as a massed planting and is completely trouble-free, improving yearly.



AQUILEGIA DISCOLOR

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HP 10-15cm

One of the dwarfest of all aquilegias with elegant blue and cream flowers on tiny stems above delicate rosettes of finely cut leaves.



AQUILEGIA CLEMATIFLORA

£2.25 Ranunculaceae HP 45cm

Large, flared, outward-facing pink flowers, almost identical to those of a clematis, are held proudly facing outwards on our most admired aquilegia. We have heard visitors disputing that these lovely plants were in fact aquilegias.



AQUILEGIA 'DOUBLE RUBIES'

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HP 60cm

Dense sprays of quilled, fully double, deepest ruby red flowers, creating spectacular large groups. This is one of the really exceptional doubles.



AQUILEGIA CLEMATIFLORA BLUE

£2.45 Ranunculaceae HP 60-90cm

Dividing sprays of bright blue, centred by bunches of golden anthers, resemble nothing so much as flared clematis flowers! These lovely plants improve yearly, dying down underground safely each autumn.



AQUILEGIA 'FRAGRANT FANTASY'

£2.85 Ranunculaceae HP 60-75cm

A new and lovely range of columbines bred from some of the most fragrant species in cultivation. The perfumed flowers come in all shapes and sizes, from tight pom-poms to long-spurred singles and in a wide variety of colours.



AQUILEGIA CLEMATIFLORA MIX

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HP 60cm

A super spectrum selection in all colours of these desirable clematis-flowered spurless beauties. A few may be slightly or even heavily doubled.



AQUILEGIA KURDISTANICA

£2.45 Ranunculaceae HP 45-60cm

Sprays of dark blue flowers gently brushed paler around the edge of each petal, adorn this rare columbine in spring and early summer, above a compact display of blue-green, basal 'maidenhair' foliage. A beautiful native of high mountain meadows in Kurdistan.



AQUILEGIA 'ORANGES AND LEMONS'

£2.30 Ranunculaceae HP 60-90cm

This completely new colour range has bicoloured flowers in all shade of reds, oranges and yellows. The occasional 'plum' pops up but adds to the colour scheme! Unlike many aquilegias which give a once-off burst of bloom, these will flower on and on.



AQUILEGIA 'WILLIAM GUINNESS DOUBLES'

£2.70 Ranunculaceae HP 60-90cm

We have selected out the attractive doubled and quilled forms that occasionally occur in this lovely white and darkest blue flower, producing even heavier flower-heads to please you.



AQUILEGIA 'PERFUMED GARDEN'

£2.50 Ranunculaceae HP 60-90cm

These are the culmination of our breeding programme using both large flowered and fragrant aquilegias. Amongst these will probably be the largest perfumed columbines ever seen. Our bees are also noticeably disobedient so expect the occasional amazing freak hybrid!



AQUILEGIA YABEANA

£2.65 Ranunculaceae HP 60-75cm

A most amazing and vigorous plant from the mountains of Japan, carrying deepest inky blue, long spurred flowers on long stems. When planted 'en masse' it creates an unforgettable sight.



AQUILEGIA 'POM-POMS MIXED'

£2.25 Ranunculaceae HP 60-90cm

Recovered from past times, these popular Victorian short-spurred or spurless flowers have several tiers of petals producing a unique doubling, tripling or pom-pom effect. A generous packet from palest pinks through bicolours, to deepest crimson and cerise.



ARISAEMA CILIATUM

£3.45 Araceae HP 15-45cm (5 seeds)

Strikingly attractive, long-tailed, neatly pin-striped spathes, open in May and June on 10-15 inch stems, with the spoked leaves piercing like parasols above the flowers. It appears later than most other species and will increase quickly by tuber-bearing stolons and seed.



AQUILEGIA 'ROYAL PURPLE'

£2.30 Ranunculaceae HP 60cm

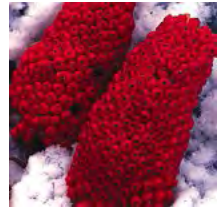
This specially selected spurless form produces flowers almost identical to double clematis and in the most deep and rich royal purple. One of the most outstanding new forms we have recently produced.



ARISAEMA CONSANGUINEUM

£2.35 Araceae HP 30-45cm (10 seeds)

A long-lived attractive tuberous plant with striking, cobra head-like flowers amidst long-stemmed deeply divided leaves. Later appear the large heads of bright red berries which persist throughout the winter being especially attractive when it snows.



AQUILEGIA SAXIMONTANA

£2.85 Ranunculaceae HP 8-10cm (20 seeds)

A choice and absolutely exquisite dwarf columbine bearing disproportionately large blue and white flowers on short stems on very compact, glaucous-leaved plants. Superb on a rockery or in a container.



ASTILBE CHINENSIS 'WHITE CLOUD'

£2.65 Saxifragaceae HP 60-75cm

This beautiful plant produces delicate clouds of soft white flowers that float above lacy, ferny green foliage. These spring-blooming beauties, are ideal for borders, containers, and shady gardens where they can perform of their very best.



ASTRANTIA HADSPEN BLOOD

£2.85 Umbelliferae HP

60cm

Stout stems hold aloft a level sheet of flowers of probably the deepest, darkest, blood-red form of this plant. It makes very long-lived and rewarding clumps which are completely hardy and need no maintenance.

**BUPLEURUM 'BRONZE BEAUTY'**

£2.65 Umbelliferae HP

45-60cm

This attractive dwarf form of the totally perennial Bupleurum longifolium has lacy, divided, yellow, almost astrantia-like seedheads, which transform in early summer into plates of coppery-bronze. Superb in a hot garden where it makes an ideal cut or dried flower.

**ASTRANTIA INVOLUCRATA 'SHAGGY'**

£2.60 Umbelliferae HP

60cm

This most popular and much improved form of Astrantia major has a much larger "collar", with beautifully coloured tips darkly etched in attractive green shades. It is very long lived indeed and ideal as a cut flower too.

**CALENDULA 'KABLOUNA'**

£1.45 Compositae HA

38cm

This remarkable, quite new cottage garden delight has large, strikingly-crested, slowly darkening blooms of gold, lemon, orange and apricot with a dark, contrasting, pin-cushion boss of tightly-quilled petals. Easily grown by simply broadcasting the seeds.

**ASTRANTIA MAJOR**

£2.35 Umbelliferae HP

60cm

This long-flowering and very long-lived plant displays showy star-like heads with radiating bracts in shades of green, pink and white. Excellent cut flowers are a bonus.

**CALENDULA RED BUFF**

£1.95 Compositae HA

30-45cm

These most attractive flowers have pale petals with unique red-tips. Easy to grow plants which make a bright splash all summer long and are perfect as cut flowers.

**ASTRANTIA MAXIMA**

£2.55 Umbelliferae HP

60cm

Exquisite green bracted, pure rose pink flowers above bold tripartite foliage. The most desirable of all astrantias with a rewardingly long flowering period. "A very beautiful plant." (Graham Stuart Thomas)

**CALLISTEPHUS CHINENSIS 'LILLIPUT BLUE MOON'**

£1.60 Compositae HHA

45-60cm

A superb Chinese Aster, much resembling an exotic sunflower, with huge deepest purple discs which are held on 2 foot stems and arise all over the plant. This fabulous flower which is easy and fast to grow is quite irresistible to butterflies and bees.

**BERKHEYA PURPUREA**

£2.25 Compositae HP

60cm

Dark-eyed mauve dahlia-like flowers arise from clumps of prickly thistle leaves. An intriguing introduction from high in the South African mountains. This newcomer demands a hot sunny spot to show its best. We have included seed from a few pure white-flowered seedlings.

**CAMASSIA LEICHTLINII**

£2.30 Liliaceae HP

90cm-1.2m

Imagine an enormous, strong-stemmed, fragrant bluebell with dense, erect spikes of six-petaled, star-shaped violet flowers. Flowering in early summer with the occasional plant giving pure white, green-eyed flowers. A large, reliably perennial lily relative.



CAMPANULA ALLIARIFOLIA

£2.25 Campanulaceae HP

60-75cm

From a clump of hairy, heart-shaped leaves arise many thin stems from the whole length of which, dangle shapely cream bells. "A picture of poise and beauty". (G.S.T.)



CAMPANULA LACTIFLORA 'PRICHARD'S VARIETY'

£2.55 Campanulaceae HP

90cm-1.2m

Seed saved from great branching heads of deep violet blue flowers atop stout stems clad in pointed leaves. Invaluable mid-border plant. Busy bees will ensure you have a quota of pale blue, white or even pink flowers amongst these plants.



CAMPANULA 'CANTERBURY BELLS'

£2.55 Campanulaceae HBi,HA 60-90cm

One of the most typical cottage garden flowers, this has a timeless charm and grace. Masses of bells are produced in an astonishing range of blues, whites and pinks. Flowers appear all summer long and will grow in almost any position whether sun or semi shade.



CAMPANULA LATIFOLIA ALBA

£2.15 Campanulaceae HP

90cm-1.2m

This long lived clump-forming plant bears strong spikes of large, white funnel-shaped bell-flowers in early summer.



CAMPANULA COTTAGE MIXED

£2.45 Campanulaceae HP 45cm-1.5m

A bumper bonus bargain packet of all of the upright forms in our gardens, including some rarities we do not list. You can start your own nursery with this lot!



CAMPANULA MAKASCHVII

£2.60 Campanulaceae HP

45cm

A very rare plant from the Caucasus Mountains. Radiating arching stems clad in smallish heart-shaped leaves, hold pink-edged, white bells along their length. Long lived and desirable.



CAMPANULA 'FAICHEM LILAC'

£2.55 Campanulaceae HP 90cm

This lovely Campanula latifolia hybrid was discovered as a seedling on our first small Scottish nursery near Invergarry in the Scottish Highlands. The spires of large white or cream trumpets all have a most attractive prominent dark eye.



CAMPANULA MOESIACA

£2.35 Campanulaceae HP

38-45cm

A rare and extremely beautiful plant from the Balkans. Bright ice-blue bellflowers are carried in tufts up thick hairy stems. Gently self-seeds producing gorgeous drifts in spring. Greatly admired by an appreciative Roy Lancaster when he visited.



CAMPANULA INCURVA

£2.85 Campanulaceae HBi 23-30cm

Our best selling and most spectacular bellflower. Enormous inflated ice blue flowers - resembling flared ended wine glasses - in profusion all summer, upturned on branching prostrate stems. Surprisingly perennial in a suitable well-drained position.



CAMPANULA PERSICIFOLIA

£2.35 Campanulaceae HP

60-90cm

An old-fashioned cottage garden flower making mats of creeping foliage which is evergreen in all but the worst winters. From late spring to autumn appear the cup-shaped, wide-open, lilac-blue or white bell flowers which are very good for cutting.



CAMPANULA PUNCTATA 'BEETROOT'

£2.95 Campanulaceae HP

30-45cm

A real show stopper of a plant. Its very large tubular bells are heavily washed with purple outside and liberally spotted inside with red and purple. "Rare and unusual." (Graham Stuart Thomas).

**CHAEROPHYLLUM HIRSUTUM ROSEUM**

£2.35 Apiaceae HP

60cm

Unbeatable pink heads on this exceptional compact umbellifer. "To be sought, few herbaceous plants can hold a candle to it in early May." (G.S.T.)

**CARDIOCRINUM GIGANTEUM**

£2.90 Liliaceae HB

1.8-2.4m

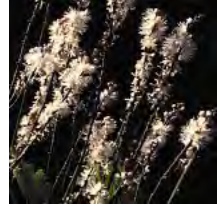
The fantastic "Giant Yunnan Lily" is a stately giant, producing two inch thick stems, with dinner plate sized leaves, above which open numerous eight inch green and white waxy, very fragrant trumpets, followed by enormous "everlasting", toothed seed-pods when dried.

**CIMICIFUGA SIMPLEX**

£2.55 Ranunculaceae HP

1.2m

Purplish stems carrying arching spires of fragrant white flowers in mid-autumn, from September into October, rise above shiny divided leaves. A magnificent and very valuable mid/back of border, late season plant.

**CENTAUREA MACROCEPHALA**

£2.30 Compositae HP

90cm

"Yellow Hardhead" or "Great Golden Knapweed". Too rarely seen in gardens. From robust clumps arise strong stems bearing tennis-ball sized rich yellow blooms enclosed in intriguing silver-brown papery bracts. Perfect for cutting or drying.

**CODONOPSIS CLEMATIDEA**

£2.95 Campanulaceae HCl,HP

45-90cm

This rarely seen scrambling/climbing plant has the the most exquisite, nodding, bell-shaped flowers in palest ice blue, with the bell-shaped blossoms being veined darker blue on the inside, and sumptuous black, orange and maroon-painted centres.

**CEPHALARIA GIGANTEA**

£2.45 Dipsacaceae HP

1.2m

A large, non-spreading clump-forming plant displays long-stemmed sprays of large creamy yellow "pincushion scabious" flowers over an extended period in the summer. This is an exceptional specimen plant either on its own or at the back of the border.

**COMMELINA HOPLEY'S VARIEGATED**

£2.95 Commelinaceae HP

30-45cm (10 seeds)

Above attractive, rather lily-like foliage, arise several thick stems carrying, from summer until late autumn, quite gorgeous, three-cornered, indescribably vivid, sky-blue flowers. Flowers quickly, the first year from seed and makes a hardy perennial tuber. What value!

**CERINTHE MAJOR PURPURASCENS**

£2.85 Boraginaceae HHA

45-60cm (10 seeds)

"Honeywort" or "Wax-Flower". Deep blue pendulous bracts are packed onto stems densely clad with waxy blue-green leaves. This lovely plant is loved by bees, flowering throughout spring and summer.

**CORYDALIS LUTEA**

£2.25 Papaveraceae HP

23-30cm

Spikes of bright yellow flowers above a delicate filigree of tiny green fern-like leaves. Exceptional performance in walls or dry locations, naturalising well and producing a long season of colour from early spring to late summer.



CORYDALIS OCHROLEUCA

£2.30 Papaveraceae HP

23cm

This lovely compact plant is somewhat similar to *Corydalis lutea*, but has greyer foliage in spring and for most of the summer, below a long succession of striking, bicoloured, greenish-yellow and white flowers.

**COSMOS 'ANTIQUITY'**

£2.75 Compositae HHA

30-40cm

A completely new and unique colour in cosmos. Rich burgundy flowers change to an antique bronze-salmon soon after opening creating a gorgeous two-tone effect. Very early flowering and flowers all summer long whether in containers or garden.

**COSMOS 'CANDYSTRIPED'**

£2.45 Compositae HHA

30-40cm

Large, attractive, perfect-cutting, drought-tolerant flowers with a varying pink picotee edge, appear to almost float amongst the ferny, filigree foliage. These easy-to-grow flowers thrive on neglect and are ideal for hot or neglected areas.

**CROCOSMIA LUCIFER**

£2.55 Iridaceae HP

90cm-1.2m

From robust clumps of sword-shaped leaves in spring, thrust up strong, branching spikes of brilliant red, flared, funnel-shaped flowers in mid-summer. A superb and reliable performer that is happy in any position.

**CROCOSMIA NEW HYBRIDS**

£2.75 Iridaceae HP

60-90cm

A superb collection of different forms of this lovely range of plants collected from our large collection, including many colourful and large-flowered cultivars such as 'Jackanapes', 'Emily McEnzie', 'Queen of Spain', 'Moira Reed', and many more.

**CUPHEA 'REGAL PURPLE'**

£2.45 Lythraceae HHA

38-45cm

"Bat Face", (*Cuphea viscosissima*.) Impressive sprays of dark purple, orchid-like flowers open in progression over a long period into the frosts of autumn. Sticky hairs on the leaves can cause plants to clump together, resembling one enormous flowering plant.

**CYCLAMEN HEDERIFOLIUM ALBUM**

£3.30 Primulaceae HP

8-13cm (20 seeds)

This is the lovely pure white form of this hardy species which blooms and sprouts leaves in autumn, grows through the winter, and flowers from August to October. Leaf colour varies from green to all-silver, but most common is the "Christmas tree" pattern.

**CYCLAMEN HEDERIFOLIUM NEAPOLITANUM**

£2.35 Primulaceae HP

8-13cm

Handsome silver-marked foliage supports red, pink or ivory white flowers in August and September. Completely hardy and naturalising by self-seeding, they are very tolerant of dry shade, being summer deciduous, only re-appearing with the late summer rains.

**CYNOGLOSSUM OFFICINALE**

£2.45 Boraginaceae HBI,HA

60-75cm

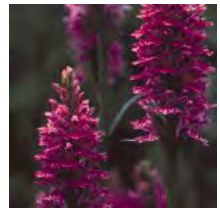
Strong stems carrying rough, hairy, pointed leaves are tipped with clusters of burgundy flowers in spring and midsummer. These vigorous plants are superb for making a quick-growing statement in the garden.

**DACTYLORHIZA MACULATA**

£2.45 Orchidaceae HP

23-30cm

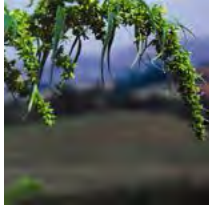
This hardy spectacular British native orchid has exquisite spikes of bright purple and pink flowers above brown-spotted, lance-shaped leaves. Now sadly very rare, tubers double up annually when established. We spread them by shaking dried seed heads around the garden.



DATISCA CANNABINA

£2.40 Datisceae HP 1.8-2.4m

Quite an incredible plant for the back of the border, or as a test to baffle your friends. Tall, strong cane-like stems sprouting large, pendulous, terminal sprays of creamy-yellow flowers, are clad in palmate leaves resembling, er... cannabis.. apparently!



DELPHINIUM COTTAGE GARDEN MIX

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HP 90cm

This generous packet contains all shades, including bicolours, blue, pink and white singles, and doubles from our cottage garden. We have also included a few unusual species so expect the odd surprise.



DIANTHUS BARBATUS 'SOOTY'

£2.20 Caryophyllaceae HP 30-38cm

An astonishing addition to the previously available range. Densely packed heads of darkest chocolate - almost black, fragrant flowers, and foliage in deepest mahogany to match!



DIANTHUS SELECT MIXTURE

£2.65 Caryophyllaceae HP 8-30cm

Seed collected from the named varieties and scarce species in our gardens, few of which individually produce enough to list, so we offer this choice, fragrant mixture and include Dianthus 'Highland Frazer', squarosus, pindicola, pinifolius, 'Fairfolly' and many more.



DIERAMA BLACKBERRY BELLS

£2.65 Iridaceae HP 90cm-1.2m

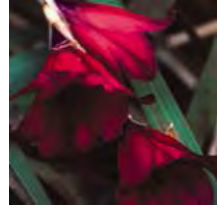
Seed collected from a vigorous hybrid between 'Cosmos' and Dierama robustum, and inheriting some of the darkness from the former flower, but with much larger, deep purple-maroon flared trumpets on very tall, strong springy stems.



DIERAMA 'BLACKBIRD'

£2.35 Iridaceae HP 90cm-1.2m

Seedlings from this famous and darkest of all dieramas will vary, but most plants should produce cascades of pendulous, funnel-shaped claret purple flowers on wiry stems. Seedlings occasionally produce paler flowers but there will be no rejects as all will be superb.



DIERAMA COSMOS

£2.75 Iridaceae HP 90cm-1.2m

This newly discovered plant bears the darkest flowers of any dierama we have ever seen. Pendulous trumpets of deepest burgundy contrast starkly with the white papery enclosing bracts from which they emerged. A superb new colour-break.



DIERAMA ERECTUM

£2.50 Iridaceae HP 90cm-1.2m

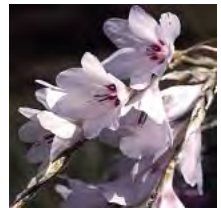
Stiff, not arching wands, sport close-packed clusters of brightest fluorescent pink, outward-facing, not pendant, stary bells. This extremely desirable introduction is the last, and perhaps the most unusual, of all dieramas to flower, giving colour into October.



DIERAMA 'SNOWBELLS'

£2.50 Iridaceae HP 90cm-1.2m

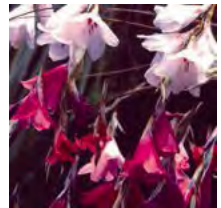
(D. pulcherrimum album). A lovely colour-break in dieramas. Large, flared milky white bells. Seedlings may also produce the odd bicolor or palest pink.



DIERAMA SPECIES MIXED

£2.70 Iridaceae HP 60cm-1.8m

A superb mixture of all the varieties listed here. We are also including some unusual and un-named species and hybrids from our trial grounds. All will be extremely beautiful. Expect some very pleasant surprises, colours and forms never before seen!



DIGITALIS 'ANNE REDETZKY'

£2.95 Scrophulariaceae HP

60-90cm

An intriguing and novel dwarf foxglove. The whole of the creamy trumpet flower is cut in several places along its length, which then reflexes back, producing an almost orchid-like appearance. Possibly the most attractive digitalis of all.

**DIGITALIS MERTONENSIS**

£2.45 Scrophulariaceae HP

60-90cm

Shortish stout spikes of very large flattened trumpets with a distinctive squashed strawberry/coppery colour, open in early summer. This valuable plant with soft hairy leaves and a long-lived habit is one of the most magnificent hybrid foxgloves.

**DIGITALIS FERRUGINEA GIGANTEA**

£2.20 Scrophulariaceae HP

1.2-1.8m

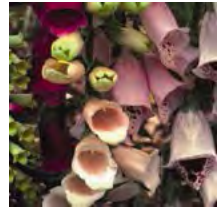
This is a spectacular towering form of this excellent perennial foxglove. Tall slender spikes in close groups bear many distinctive pale orange-brown flowers each with a protruding white lip. Completely hardy and totally perennial

**DIGITALIS MIXED**

£2.35 Scrophulariaceae HP

45cm-1.8m

A well-filled packet of cottage garden forms and species from our gardens in all shapes and colours. A good bet is just to sprinkle these around the garden as they do best when grown without transplanting.

**DIGITALIS 'FLASHING SPIRES'**

£2.25 Scrophulariaceae HP

60-90cm

Plantworld introduced the first ever variegated foxglove from seed. (*Digitalis lutea variegata*). In spring appears a robust rosette of cream-splashed leaves, from which arise spikes of yellow-green flowers.

**DIGITALIS 'PAM'S CHOICE'**

£2.40 Scrophulariaceae HP

90cm-1.5m

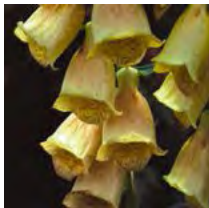
One of the best new foxgloves to be found in recent years. Stout, strong spires of creamy white flowers with their throats almost solidly painted in deepest burgundy. En masse it makes an unforgettable sight.

**DIGITALIS GRANDIFLORA**

£2.20 Scrophulariaceae HP

60-90cm

Spikes of chocolate netted, rather sulphur yellow flowers over rosettes of strongly veined leaves. This is the largest and most spectacular flowered of the yellow foxgloves. Perennial and long lived.

**DIGITALIS PARVIFLORA**

£2.45 Scrophulariaceae HP

90cm

Slender spikes hold numerous densely massed chocolate brown tubular flowers. A distinctive, striking and lovely perennial plant. Also called 'Chocolate Soldier'.

**DIGITALIS LUTEA**

£2.15 Scrophulariaceae HP

60-90cm

A generous packet of this attractive long lived hardy perennial which has greenish-yellow flowers freely borne on slender spikes. A most unusual plant which will naturalise in parts of the garden where other plants may struggle to grow.

**DIGITALIS PURPUREA ALBA**

£2.30 Scrophulariaceae HP

90cm-1.2m

An unusual tight-spiked, white form of the purple foxglove carrying pale purple freckles within the throat. Impressive drifts can be easily established in the garden. The odd purple plant may sometimes occur, but can be easily removed as soon as the coloured buds appear.



DIGITALIS 'RED SKIN'

£2.25 Scrophulariaceae HP

90cm-1.2m

A superb new, fertile hybrid developed here. Soundly perennial clumps produce strong spikes of shiny, waxy-looking, golden flowers, distinctly polished with red on the top, rather like a ripe apple. An excellent addition to the current range of foxgloves.



ECHIUM PININANA 'BLUE STEEPLE'

£2.75 Boraginaceae HHP,H 3.0-4.5m (30+ seeds)

Also known as the 'Tower of Jewels'. Echium pininana initially produces a palm tree-like rosette on a thick woody stem. A year or two later, the centre, holding thousands of flowers, shoots upwards, sometimes to 15-20 feet! Bees love this giant.



DODECATHÉON SPECIES MIXED

£2.95 Primulaceae HP 23-38cm (50+ seeds)

All of these exquisite plants produce heads of attractive pink or red flowers on tall stems, which resemble their cyclamen relatives. They are spring and early summer blooming, after which the leaves die away and the plant retreats underground as a tuber for the summer.



ECHIUM 'PINK FOUNTAIN'

£2.85 Boraginaceae HHP 3.0-4.5m (30 seeds)

The most lusted-after plant in the gardens every June. A cross we made between the fabulous Echium wildpretii with its four foot, fat red spike and the giant blue Echium pininana. The result is a 15 inch wide, tapering tower of delicate pink flowers.



ECHINACEA PURPUREA 'BRILLIANT STAR'

£2.25 Compositae HP 90cm

Very large reddish-purple flowers with pronounced golden-brown cone-centres are produced from July until mid-autumn. Ideal for cutting, these plants will perform best on well-prepared humus-rich soil. (aka 'Ruby Star')



ECHIUM 'SNOW TOWER'

£2.65 Boraginaceae HHP 3.0-4.5m (30 seeds)

A friend on Guernsey sent us some seeds of an absolutely pure white Echium pininana she had discovered. We could barely believe such a plant existed, but were thrilled to finally see an enormous 15 foot high snowy cascade.



ECHINOPS TIENSCHANICUS

£2.30 Compositae HP 1.2-1.8m

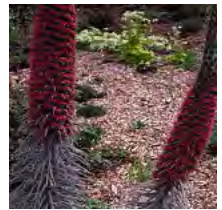
A tall, imposing "Globe Thistle". Impressive, tennis-ball sized, silvery-white, prickly seedheads on strong, stout stems. Constantly covered with bees and butterflies.



ECHIUM WILDPRETII

£3.75 Boraginaceae HHP 90cm-1.2m (10 seeds)

Stout rose-pink spikes of massed flowers with bright blue pollen, arise from prostrate rosettes of furry grey leaves. The most sought-after of all echiums, and indeed one of the most beautiful and dramatic of all flowers. Grown near E. pininanas so odd hybrids may occur.



ECHIUM PININANA 3 COLOURS

£2.65 Boraginaceae HHP 3.0-4.8m

Colour variations are blue, pink and white. Plant young plants out as soon as possible in the season so plants grow large enough to survive the winter in the open ground. To identify them, pale stems have white flowers, darker stems blue, narrow leaf ones are pink fountain!



ERINUS ALPINUS 'DR. HAHNLE'

£2.35 Scrophulariaceae HP 8-10cm

This miniature alpine plant is sometimes called the "Fairy Foxglove" but you would never guess it is in the foxglove family. Dwarf spikes bear clusters of brilliant red flowers over tiny tufts of hairy leaves. These gems will grow anywhere, even in the cracks of a wall.



ERODIUM GRUINUM

£2.40 Geraniaceae HBi

45cm

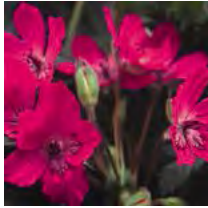
A fascinating plant from Sicily. Large violet blue flowers are produced all summer, followed by remarkable, enormous corkscrew seeds which are commercially used for making hygrometers (to measure dampness) - wet one and watch what slowly happens!

**ERODIUM MANESCAVII**

£2.35 Geraniaceae HP

20-35cm (10 seeds)

Deepest lilac-pink flowers are produced for many months over a cascading clump of lovely feathery leaves. A beautiful, long-flowering, very long-lived plant that will put on a superb show for year after year where others will not survive.

**ERODIUM PELARGONIIFLORUM**

£2.45 Geraniaceae HP

30cm

Large violet-veined white flowers above fragrant crinkly leaves from the end of winter until midsummer and spasmodically thereafter. Much admired in our gardens and bone hardy too, although its exotic appearance does not give this impression.

**ERYNGIUM GIGANTEUM 'MISS WILMOTT'S GHOST'**

£2.45 Umbelliferae HBi

45-60cm

One of the most impressive summer plants you can grow in the UK, with unbelievable metallic silvery-blue leaves, flowers and stems. The word gigantea refers to the flowers, not the plants which are rarely more than 2 feet high.

**ERYNGIUM MIXED**

£2.35 Umbelliferae HP

60cm-1.5m

A large packet taken from all of those described here, as well as some unidentified species in our trial ground. We have also included unidentified new species collected by us on our Expedition to Chile.

**ERYNGIUM PLANUM 'BLAUKAPPE'**

£2.65 Umbelliferae HP

60-90cm

This is the most metallic blue of all "sea holly" flowers. Heart-shaped leathery leaves surround these exotic blooms which make superb cut flowers, and when dried out, retain their colour indefinitely.

**ERYSIMUM 'BOWLES BABIES'**

£3.25 Cruciferae HP

30-60cm (10 seeds)

Erysimum 'Bowles Mauve' has invariably been sterile producing no seeds. We have developed a strain that DOES produce seed, so you can grow new forms for yourself, from tiny to tall, with colour variations including some bi-colours and from pale mauve to deepest purple.

**ERYSIMUM PLANTWORLD RAINBOWS**

£3.50 Cruciferae HP

30-45cm (10 seeds)

Years ago we crossed many perennial erysimums including 'Bowles Mauve', linifolium and scoparium, with dwarf wallflowers. Many of these new plants have been marketed worldwide and these valuable hand-collected seeds will give all colours and habits.

**ERYSIMUM 'RAY'S EARLY GIANTS'**

£2.95 Cruciferae HP

60-90cm (10 seeds)

By crossing very large perennial erysimum species, with some good-coloured, tall and large-flowered annual ones, we have developed some quite enormous hybrids, all carrying differently twin-toned flowers, which will flower before the very earliest commercial varieties,

**ERYTHRONIUM REVOLUTUM**

£2.65 Liliaceae HB

30cm

The fabled "trout lily" is perhaps the choicest of all erythroniums. Lily-like, palest peach, spring flowers open for a long period above leaves beautifully mottled in purple, brown and white. This very long-lived plant will self-seed making splendid drifts over time.



ESCHSCHOLZIA 'THAI SILK'

£1.95 Compositae HHP

23-30cm

The "California Poppy" is best sown where it is to flower, this well-loved flower giving an endless display of double flowers with fluted petals in mixed colours over compact, grey-green glaucous foliage, from June until September.



EUPHORBIA MELLIFERA

£2.65 Euphorbiaceae HP

1.2-1.8m

Large creamy-veined leathery leaves topped by outstanding golden flower heads. Perhaps one of the finest shrubby plants in cultivation. The name 'mellifera' refers to the sweet fragrance of honey produced by the flowers.



EUPHORBIA CHARACIAS CHARACIAS

£2.35 Euphorbiaceae HP 60-90cm (20+ seeds)

Probably the most popular and long-lived of all spurges, producing strong stems of evergreen, blue-green leaves which terminate in extended narrow heads of bright yellow flowers.



EUPHORBIA MIXED

£2.95 Euphorbiaceae HP 45cm-1.2m

A really generous bargain bag of hardy perennial euphorbias from our range, including some unnamed rarities from our trial ground. Exceptional value for money and a good way to start a collection!



EUPHORBIA CHARACIAS WULFENII

£2.55 Euphorbiaceae HP 60-90cm

This outstanding form produces imposing clumps of erect stems clad in narrow grey leaves terminating in large and almost spherical, football-sized heads of yellow-green flowers. These imposing specimen plants will perform reliably where little else will thrive.



FRANCOA 'PINK GIANT'

£2.60 Saxifragaceae HP 60-90cm

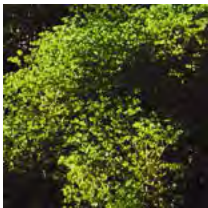
Several years ago a single seedling flowered with huge blossoms and beautifully bi-coloured petals on attractive short, stout stems. From this plant we have established a superb seed strain with larger, more attractive and longer lasting flowers.



EUPHORBIA 'GOLDEN FOAM'

£2.25 Euphorbiaceae HP 60-75cm

Visualise a red-stemmed golden-flowered compact gypsophila and you will be close to describing this outstanding new introduction. This plant has an exciting future - both as a garden plant and cut flower.



FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS

£2.45 Liliaceae HB 38cm (30 seeds)

The nodding bell shaped flowers of Fritillaria meleagris are unmistakable for their nodding heads, sometimes of pure white, or more frequently marked with a delicate chequerboard pattern in shades of purple. This rare British wild flower is now protected by law.



EUPHORBIA LATHYRIS

£2.20 Euphorbiaceae HBI 90cm

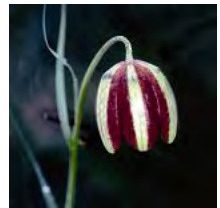
A handsome and extremely rapid-growing plant bearing symmetrical, pointed, blue-green leaves. Umbels of tiny yellow flowers produce large bulbous seed-pods. Also known as "The Mole Plant" as it is reputed to deter moles!



FRITILLARIA MESSANENSIS

£2.85 Liliaceae HB 30-45cm (10 seeds)

This lovely Mediterranean species bears flowers that are borne in groups of one to three at the apex and are flared hanging bells of chequered brown and green with a green stripe down the centre of each petal. It is easily grown outside in a sunny well-drained spot.



FRITILLARIA MIXED

£3.35 Liliaceae HB 15-60cm

A good mixture of seeds from all the varieties we grow, including some rarities. Species include *Fritillaria acmopetala*, *camtschatcensis*, *gracilis*, *graeca* var. *thessalica*, *involutrata*, *pallidiflora*, *pontica* and others, but not including *meleagris*.



FRITILLARIA PERSICA

£3.30 Liliaceae HB 45-90cm (10 seeds)

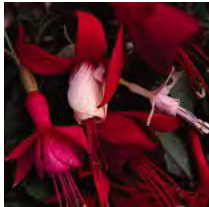
Pendent bells, from chocolate-brown to dark purple-black, tower on tall stalks holding silver-green leaves. This superb late spring flower flourishes in a hot well-drained spot or even in a large container, which it will fill with bulbs to bursting in just a few years.



FUCHSIA ORNAMENTAL MIX

£2.95 Onagraceae HHP 90cm-1.2m

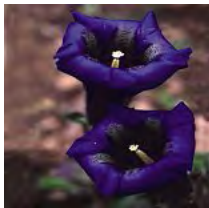
These seeds have been collected from plants, some of which are sizeable bushes and which have actually overwintered outside, here in our gardens in Devon, in all shapes, colours and sizes. You will get a surprising mixture of new forms from these seeds.



GENTIANA ACAULIS

£2.25 Gentianaceae HP 8cm

Seed saved from the darkest blue form we have ever grown. Large upward-facing almost midnight blue trumpets with a piercingly contrasting white throat. Makes a slowly spreading carpet.



GENTIANA LUTEA

£2.25 Gentianaceae HP 90cm

Strong, noble spires of large, golden, star-like flowers open in late spring over clumps of large basal lily-like leaves. A superb gentian and one of the most magnificent, easy-to-grow, and long lived plants you can ever wish to grow.



GENTIANA VERNA

£2.75 Gentianaceae HP 5-8cm

This is the classic alpine with sheets of the most brilliant blue starry flowers in spring. The small clumps of tufted leaves slowly spread to produce a solid cushion. Easy from fresh seed.



GERANIUM ALBANUM

£2.35 Geraniaceae HP 30-45cm (10+ seeds)

Large numbers of magenta-veined, shocking pink flowers on spreading stems are produced over a far longer season than most other geraniums. "A long flowering, underrated plant" ('Hardy Geraniums' - Bath & Jones).



GERANIUM ENDRESSII

£2.75 Geraniaceae HP 30-60cm (10 seeds)

A really attractive, very, very long-flowering plant with icing pink flowers on low, slowly creeping stems. This plant will act as a weed-suppressor and attractive ground cover where few other geraniums will survive, even in deep shade or on a dry bank!



GERANIUM HARDY MIXED

£2.95 Geraniaceae HP 30-90cm (30+ seeds)

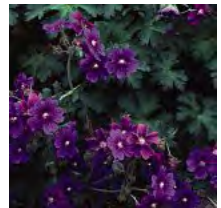
A generous selection taken from our range including items with too few seeds to list. This exceptionally good value mix always contains a few real rarities and could be the cheapest way to start a collection of these long-lasting plants.



GERANIUM IBERICUM

£2.55 Geraniaceae HP 45cm (10+ seeds)

Large, deep violet flowers with notched petals, adorn this handsome, deeply divided leaved plant in midsummer. One of the parents of the old and sterile, but still favourite, *Geranium magnificum* which has always been a solid performer with no vices.



GERANIUM 'JESTER'S JACKET'

£2.75 Geraniaceae HP 15-23cm (10+ seeds)

Small, prostrate leaves are prettily spangled in red and white beneath a constant succession of pink flowers throughout summer and autumn. This valuable form of *Geranium thunbergii* really is the first true-from-seed variegated hardy geranium.

**GERANIUM PALMATUM**

£2.70 Geraniaceae HP 60-90cm (20+ seeds)

This is perhaps the most impressive and spectacular of all hardy geraniums with sprays of deepest pink exotic flowers and large clumps of glossy divided foliage with reddish stems. It is best in a sheltered spot, but has survived minus 11 C unscathed here.

**GERANIUM MACRORRHIZUM ALBUM**

£2.40 Geraniaceae HP 30-45cm (10+ seeds)

The pure white form, albeit with pink calyces (the bits which enclose the buds), of this fragrant-leaved hardy geranium. Perfect for that shadowy, dry spot where little else will flourish.

**GERANIUM PHAEUM 'SAMOBOR'**

£2.55 Geraniaceae HP 60cm (8 seeds)

Typical, darkest midnight purple flowers open over solid mounds of large leaves which are strikingly zoned in dark chocolate brown. Certainly a candidate for the most attractive foliage of any hardy geranium and very rarely offered from seed.

**GERANIUM MACRORRHIZUM 'CZAKOR'**

£2.70 Geraniaceae HP 45cm (10+ seeds)

Very fragrant, rounded, slightly hairy leaves (the source of oil-of-geranium) make a solid, creeping, evergreen groundcover foil for the magenta purple blooms on this easily grown, totally hardy plant.

**GERANIUM 'PINK LACE'**

£2.35 Geraniaceae HP 45-60cm (10+ seeds)

The seedlings from this strikingly lined and pencilled new hybrid come quite true in a corner of our cottage garden producing a long succession of bright flowers throughout spring and early summer. A tough plant that grows well in shade too!

**GERANIUM MACRORRHIZUM 'SNOW SPRITE'**

£2.40 Geraniaceae HP 30-38cm (10+ seeds)

This superb miniature has milky white flowers with all other parts being palest lime green. Along with its controllable diminutive stature and the aromatic perfume from its dainty leaves, this plant should have a place in every garden.

**GERANIUM 'PINK SPLASH'**

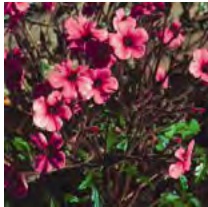
£2.65 Geraniaceae HP 60-75cm (10+ seeds)

A Plant World introduction (*Geranium 'Janet's Special'*). White flowers with radiating pink streaks make this the perfect pink counterpart to the original *G. 'Spish-Splash'* which appeared a few years ago. (Occasionally a pure pink or white plant may occur.)

**GERANIUM MADERENSE**

£2.95 Geraniaceae HHP 90cm-1.2m (10+ seeds)

This true flamboyant species grows a stout "trunk", which radiates strong stalks, much resembling a small palm tree, with huge trusses of deep pink flowers in early summer. Prefers shelter, or even a big pot, but worth any trouble to grow for the incredible finale.

**GERANIUM PLATYANTHUM**

£2.30 Geraniaceae HP 60-75cm (10+ seeds)

(Also called *G. eriostemon*). A most unusual plant from Korea and Japan. Large shallowly lobed toothed leaves grow from a thick rootstock. Dense clusters of flat-faced white-eyed mauve-blue flowers appear from early spring through into summer. Spectacular if given space.



GERANIUM PSILOSTEMON

£2.95 Geraniaceae HP

90cm (8 seeds)

(Syn. *G. armenum*). Another astonishingly spectacular geranium - and inevitably the most frugal with its seeds! Large deeply cut leaves turn dazzling red in autumn, whilst large magenta saucers, largely veined and centred in black, impress all who see it in its summer glory.

**GERANIUM 'PURPLE-HAZE'**

£2.75 Geraniaceae HP

60cm (10+ seeds)

Years of selecting *Geranium pratense* forms has given us leaf colours from mahogany to deepest darkest beetroot. Plants will vary in size from 12 to 24 inches high with flowers in shades of blue or purple.

**GERANIUM PYRENAICUM 'SUMMER SKY'**

£2.55 Geraniaceae HP 45-60cm (20+ seeds)

A vigorous plant which produces masses of smallish pinkish-mauve flowers on countless dividing stems from spring until late autumn. A beauty for a large bank or wall where it can often self-seed with gay abandon.

**GERANIUM RUBIFOLIUM**

£2.75 Geraniaceae HP

60cm (8 seeds)

Masses of thin branching stems hold an almost endless succession of white-eyed, purple-pink flowers through summer and autumn. A choice, rare and fabulous plant from Kashmir with soft, bramble-like leaves, hence its name. Superb standing alone.

**GERANIUM 'SILVER CLOAK'**

£2.65 Geraniaceae HP 45cm (10+ seeds)

This superb geranium is a fertile cross between the beautiful *Geranium incanum*, with the finest filigree foliage, and the more robust *Geranium robustum*. Vigorous flowering carpets bear flowers from pink to mauve over deeply cut leaves in grey and silver.

**GERANIUM WALLICHIANUM 'BUXTON'S BLUE'**

£2.85 Geraniaceae HP 23cm (8 seeds)

On a compact slowly spreading carpet appears a non-stop display from June onwards of upward-facing white-eyed sky blue flowers. "A pearl beyond price" (G.S.T.), but alas a reluctant seed producer - the elusive seeds are collected individually.

**GLORIOSA LUTEA**

£2.35 Liliaceae GCI (10 seeds)

A new, rare and very lovely variation on the normally red-flowered climber. Large, golden flowers with reflexed petals adorn the numerous vigorous multi-branching stems in midsummer. A truly spectacular conservatory plant.

**GLORIOSA ROTHSCHILDIANA**

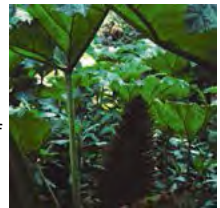
£2.95 Liliaceae GCI (10 seeds)

This easily grown and superlative climbing lily bears very large, reflexed, frilled yellow and crimson flowers. Twining stems carry thin leaves which terminate in a clinging tendrils. This is an ideal plant for a sheltered garden or conservatory.

**GUNNERA MANICATA**

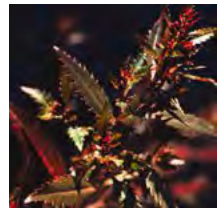
£2.35 Haloragidaceae HP 1.5-3.0m

Certainly one of the largest hardy herbaceous plants which can be grown in the U.K. producing large, puckered and lobed leaves on spiky stems above huge statuesque spikes of tiny reddish-green flowers. Near water this plant can grow enormous.

**HALORAGIS 'WELLINGTON BRONZE'**

£2.30 Haloragidaceae HP 60cm

An attractive foliage form of this unusual New Zealand plant (*Haloragis erecta*) a relative of gunneras. Bronzed leaves and spikes of many greenish-yellow flowers add colour to the border both before and after the main flush of garden flowers.



HARDY BULBS TALL MIXED

£2.25 Various HB

45cm-1.2m

A generous packet of taller bulbous plants, including such rarities as asphodeline, eremurus, galtonia, hermodactylis, veratrum, watsonia, and dozens more.



HELLEBORUS COTTAGE MIXED

£2.65 Ranunculaceae HP

30-60cm

A wide and generous selection from all of the hellebores varieties and species on our list. All colours are included from white and yellows to deepest purples and spotted and mottled forms. An inexpensive way to start a collection of these attractive favourites.



HARDY COTTAGE TALLER MIX

£2.30 Various HP

60cm-1.8m

A huge choice selection of literally hundreds of different taller cottage garden plants. Some of these are collected from famous gardens and stately homes so expect some surprises!



HELLEBORUS 'DOUBLE ROSES'

£3.45 Ranunculaceae HP

45cm (10+ seeds)

These absolutely superb, fully double hellebores, do indeed bear an amazing resemblance to roses and come in all shades from palest pink to red. The long stems are perfect for cutting too.



HARDY ROCK DWARF MIX

£2.25 Various HP

3-10cm

A wide selection of lots of our most desirable and diminutive rock plants collected in small quantities. Examples are androsaces, aquilegias (jonesii, saximontana, asyneumas, calceolarias (darwinii, etc.), campanulas, cortusas, dianthus, but please do not request a list!



HELLEBORUS FOETIDUS MISS JEKYLL'S SCENTED

£2.55 Ranunculaceae HP

60-75cm

The overpowering fragrance, similar to mahonia, from the pendulous purple-lipped flowers, fills our cottage garden in earliest spring. This is the rare, sweetly-perfumed form. (Its botanical name simply explains that the thick, shiny leaves smell if bruised!).



HARDY ROCKERY GEMS

£2.35 Various HP

10-30cm

A generous packet of all sorts of rockery and front of border plants. Far too many to list, but includes dwarf campanulas, tiny thalictrums, diminutive gentians, dianthus and very many more.



HELLEBORUS 'GOLD BULLION'

£3.25 Ranunculaceae HP

45-60cm (10 seeds)

Dazzling shining fingers of purest gold form the leaves of this fabulous new variety of Helleborus foetidus, which we developed here. Strong and vigorous even in the brightest sunny spot, the normally green flowers being a pale sulphur yellow.



HELLEBORUS ANEMONE-CENTRED

£3.45 Ranunculaceae HP 30-60cm (15 seeds)

This delightful variety of hellebore has an attractive ring of frilly petals (which are in fact oversized nectaries) within the usual petals producing an attractive, frilly, doubling effect. The sizeable, upturned flowers come in the usual range of bright colours.



HELLEBORUS 'HELEN BALLARD'S'

£2.95 Ranunculaceae HP 38cm (20 seeds)

Seed from the most beautiful plants we have ever grown. Large, waxy, extravagantly marked flowers produce gasps of awe from all who see them. These plants are descendants of many of Helen Ballard's famous named forms.



HELLEBORUS ORIENTALIS REDS

£2.65 Ranunculaceae HP 45cm (10 seeds)

Wide open nodding flowers in deep pinks and reds, all attractively speckled within.



HELLEBORUS PLANTWORLD DOUBLES

£3.65 Ranunculaceae HP 38-45cm (10+ seeds)

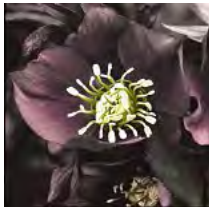
These superb, fully double hellebores bear an amazing resemblance to roses and come in all shades from pure white to red, and including greens and yellows and often heavily marked and shaded. The long stems are perfect for cutting too.



HELLEBORUS RITA'S BLACK

£3.20 Ranunculaceae HP 38-45cm (12+ seeds)

The original seeds of this lovely orientalis form came from our friend Rita's best black flowered plant, but the seedlings are all good with flowers ranging from darkest, deepest maroon to almost-black.



HESPERIS MATRONALIS

£1.90 Cruciferae HP 60-90cm

The "Dame's Violet" is one of the indispensable cottage garden flowers. Very fragrant lilac mauve stock-like flowers on tall branching stems, which are produced throughout spring and early summer. Superb perfumed cut flowers from seed the first year.



HESPERIS MATRONALIS VARIEGATA

£2.45 Cruciferae HP 60cm

"Dame's Violet", "Sweet Rocket", or "Damask Flower" has been a favourite cottage garden flower for hundreds of years. We now offer the first ever variegated seed strain of this perfumed old cottage garden favourite.



HEUCHERA 'CRISPY-CURLY'

£2.15 Saxifragaceae HP 45-60cm

Quite an unusual form of heuchera with delightfully convoluted, sometimes even parsley-like green foliage. The sprays of greenish-white flowers which appear on long stems, and are ideal in flower arrangements, are an added bonus!



HEUCHERA 'EMPEROR'S CLOAK'

£2.60 Saxifragaceae HP 30-45cm

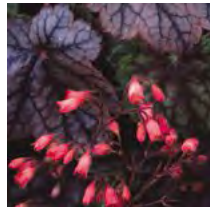
Puckered, folded and pleated leaves, from beetroot red to deep purple and which appear to be transparent in the sun, produce a mound from which arise thin stems carrying fluffy white, superbly contrasting flowers.



HEUCHERA 'METALLICA'

£2.45 Saxifragaceae HP 38-45cm

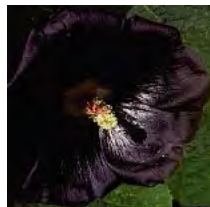
These plants have been selected for the most attractive marbled and veined leaves. The colours and shades of mahogany, bronze, aluminium and silver are most distinctive on young spring foliage. Flower sprays in shades of pink and white.



HOLLYHOCK 'BLACK BEAUTY'

£2.35 Malvaceae HP 1.8m

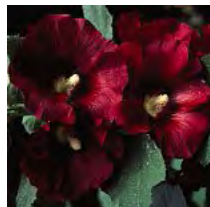
Tall spires hold numerous large, silky, glistening, almost black trumpets. In addition, this herb can be used in the same manner as marshmallow, the flowers, with the calyx removed, are commonly used to treat colds as they are a demulcent.



HOLLYHOCK 'BURGUNDY TOWERS'

£2.25 Malvaceae HP 1.5-2.1m

This unusual form occurred here some time ago with strong stems carrying large, deepest crimson flowers and fig-shaped leaves. In common with other fig-leaved hollyhocks, these have proven to be very resistant to rust.

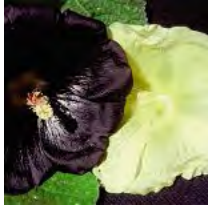


HOLLYHOCK CHOICE MIX

£2.20 Malvaceae HP

1.5-3.0m

A generous packet containing a wide mix of single hollyhock cultivars and species in all colours from white to deepest purple. We've also included a few scarcities such as the giant *Alcea litwinowii*, and hybrid forms of *Alcea ficifolia* and *Alcea rugosa*.



HOLLYHOCK 'REDS AND PINKS'

£2.15 Malvaceae HP

1.5-3.0m

A generous mixture of various red hollyhock shades, from darkest maroons and scarlets, to palest pinks, all collected from our cottage gardens. The odd bee-pollinated intruder may sometimes appear!



HYSSOPUS OFFICINALIS BLUE

£1.75 Lamiaceae HP

30cm

"Hyssop". Plump spikes of bright blue flowers appear on this popular old bushy plant which doubles as both a minty herb and a lovely garden flower, and is especially loved by bees and butterflies. Cut back hard each spring it makes a superb specimen for many years.



HYSSOPUS OFFICINALIS ROSEUS

£1.95 Lamiaceae HP

30cm

This is the more unusual and incredibly lovely pastel pink form of this floriferous herb which is usually blue. In addition, this is one of the most attractive flowers you can grow to fill your garden with bees and butterflies.



IMPATIENS 'AUTUMN CANARIES'

£2.65 Balsaminaceae HA 1.2-1.5m (20+ seeds)

A quite astounding new plant with thousands of tiny buds which miraculously inflate and finally open in mid August, and incredibly, until late October or even November the plant is a picture, smothered in wide-throated, nodding, canary-yellow flowers.



IMPATIENS BALFOURII

£2.35 Balsaminaceae HA 60-75cm (10 seeds)

This new, rare and lovely plant, originating in the Himalayas produces a long succession of bi-coloured pink and white flowers from late June until September. Planted out early in the year in good soil it makes a magnificent solid dome absolutely smothered with blossoms.



IMPATIENS 'BLUE DIAMOND'

£2.95 Balsaminaceae HHP 45-60cm (10 seeds)

Discovered only in 2003 in the remote Namcha Barwa Canyon in Tibet, this is the rare, first ever, deepest sapphire-blue impatiens, with leaves like polished jade. Bedding impatiens have flat flowers but these conservatory-perennials resemble elegant cranes in flight.



IMPATIENS CAPENSIS

£2.55 Balsaminaceae HA 60-75cm

This fast-growing plant, native to North America, bears a constant succession of orange flowers, the ripe pendent seed pods having projectile seeds that explode out of the pods when lightly touched, whilst the leaves appear to be silver or 'jewelled' when held underwater.



IMPATIENS 'RED WINE'

£1.90 Balsaminaceae HA 90cm-1.2m

We have selected a colony of the darkest burgundy coloured form of this vigorous and rapid growing plant. Large red "snapdragons", with exploding seed-cases, cluster on thick, succulent stems. Can self-seed and spread if near water so take care!



IMPATIENS SCABRIDA

£2.55 Balsaminaceae HBI,HA 60cm-1.2m (10+ seeds)

The "Himalayan Jewel Orchid" grows on cool forest slopes where it forms a large wide solid mound completely studded with pairs of intriguing, creamy yellow, orchid-like flowers, each with two unequal lips. This new gem will add a tropical air to your garden.



IRIS CHRYSOGRAPHES 'BLACK GOLD'

£2.15 Iridaceae HP 60-90cm

The flowers are not oil-coloured, but its name alludes to the Greek, chrysographes = 'gold writing'. Tall sprays of darkest blue to almost black velvety flowers are delicately marked with golden lines.

**IRIS 'CLOTTED CREAM'**

£2.30 Iridaceae HP 60-90cm

This lovely palest buttermilk form of *Iris pseudacorus*, coming true from seed, has exquisitely marked and veined petals. Will grow very large in a damp or wet spot, but does perfectly well in a dry garden.

**IRIS SIBIRICA 'PLANT WORLD HYBRIDS'**

£2.45 Iridaceae HP 60-90cm

This graceful, spring-flowering iris has blooms in various shades of blue-purple with white veining on the falls. We have selected every available shade from palest blue to almost black, all attractively marked. They enjoy a sunny or partially shaded spot in moist soil.

**IRIS SPECIES MIXED**

£2.45 Iridaceae HP 23-90cm

A generous packet of all our irises, including some collected in quantities too small to list, some very rare, in all sizes and colours. More than twenty varieties, but a few examples are: *Iris chryso-graphes*, *forrestii*, *innominata*, *shrevei* and many more.

**KIRENGESHOMA PALMATA**

£2.85 Hydrangeaceae HP 60-75cm

Arching stems clad in angled opposite leaves terminate in sprays of yellow, crystalline, two inch shuttlecock flowers. Grown well, this is a certain crowd-puller. (RHS AGM) "There is nothing like it. A unique plant of great beauty." (G.S.T.)

**KNIPHOFIA NORTHIAE**

£2.65 Asphodelaceae HP 60-90cm

Probably the most impressive of all red-hot-pokers. Massive, wide, heavy leaves make a solid, agave-like rosette from which arise very thick-stemmed flower-spikes of yellow and orange. A stunning plant which improves with age.

**LAVANDULA ANGUSTIFOLIA**

£1.95 Labiatae HP 60-75cm

This generous packet of the common lavender will produce very many plants of the well-known plant producing, long-stemmed flowers which are ideal for cutting, drying or to perfume linen.

**LAVANDULA 'MUFFET'S CHILDREN'**

£2.45 Labiatae HP 20-25cm

An amazing dwarf lavender with short-stemmed fragrant blue flowers studding a football-sized, silver-grey bush. The odd seedling may vary but most will be very compact indeed.

**LAVANDULA NANA ALBA**

£2.50 Labiatae HP 23cm

Masses of short, pure white flowers appear on this fragrant, very compact, grey-leaved form of *Lavandula angustifolia nana alba* throughout the summer. Seedlings will vary but most will be very dwarf indeed.

**LAVATERA ARBOREA VARIEGATA**

£2.35 Malvaceae HP 60cm-1.2m

This unique plant often stands pride of place amongst the winter foliage plants, when it shines like a lantern in the garden. As a bonus, purple flowers smother the plant in early summer. Either in a very large pot or in the garden it is an arresting sight.



LEWISIA COTYLEDON 'BRIGHT-EYES'

£2.45 Portulacaceae HP 15-20cm

Sprays of dark-coloured flowers in all shades open with a distinctive pale eye. These have been selected over many years by a top UK grower.

**LEWISIA COTYLEDON RAINBOW DAZZLERS**

£2.70 Portulacaceae HP 10-20cm (20+ seeds)

A superb mixture of all of our best lewisia cotyledon forms, some of them quite dwarf, ranging from white through all shades of pinks, reds and yellows to deepest crimson. These plants are completely hardy in spite of their exotic appearance.

**LEWISIA COTYLEDON 'SUNSET STRAIN'**

£2.45 Portulacaceae HP 15-23cm (20+ seeds)

From evergreen rosettes of succulent leaves, arise repeating sprays of flowers from white and yellow to deep pink and orange, dead heading producing almost constant flowering. These tender-looking plants are hardy and ideal for the rockery or a container on the patio.

**LIBERTIA CAERULESCENS**

£2.35 Iridaceae HP 38-45cm

This dwarf Chilean libertia makes showy clumps in high meadows and is very hardy. From iris-like leaves, arise numerous spikes of intriguing flower heads which are a rare shade of palest china blue, with bright orange anthers. (Syn. *Libertia sessiliflora*.)

**LIGULARIA CLIVORUM 'DESDEMONA'**

£2.35 Asteraceae HP 90cm-1.2m

Three inch wide, bright orange flowers on branching purple stems, stand above glossy, beetroot-coloured, heart-shaped leaves. This exceptional back-of-border or even bog plant attracts countless butterflies and moths, such as the Jersey Tiger-Moth shown here.

**LILIUM MARTAGON ALBUM**

£2.55 Liliaceae HB,HP 60-90cm

This is the lovely pure white form of this excellent plant, bearing pendent flowers with waxy, reflexed petals. It is an exceptionally easy plant for the garden, which will multiply up over the years, unlike others that slowly die away!

**LILIUM SELECTED SPECIES**

£2.65 Liliaceae HB 45cm-1.5m (30+ seeds)

This is an excellent value bag of numerous lily species grown both by ourselves and some lily-mad friends! Includes the following species: *L. auratum*, *henryi*, *longiflorum*, *pyrenaicum*, *regale*, *pumilum*, and others we have in small quantities, all of them very lovely.

**LINARIA DALMATICA**

£2.25 Scrophulariaceae HP 60cm

A vigorous and most attractive plant forming many blue-green leaved spikes of large-spurred, large yellow flowers, all summer long and indeed up to Christmas in our garden here!

**LINARIA DARTMOOR SUNSET**

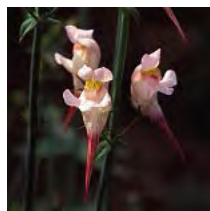
£2.70 Scrophulariaceae HP 30-50cm

Masses of tiny yellow and salmon-pink snapdragons open over a very long period. This lovely plant flowers here constantly right into October, the name referring to the autumn sunsets of red and gold we see from our gardens over the hills of Dartmoor!

**LINARIA 'PINK BUDGIES'**

£2.25 Scrophulariaceae HP 50-60cm

A really beautiful icing-pink variation of this normally mauve plant on which the opening flowers really do look like three little birds having a gossip on a perch. (On a branch that is, NOT on a fish). A superb plant for a rockery, where it may very gently self-seed.



LINARIA TRIORNITHOPHORA

£2.35 Scrophulariaceae HP

60cm

Incredible yellow-lipped, long-tailed, purple "snapdragons" on stout stems. These are arranged around the stems in groups of three, looking incredibly just like budgerigars! (Look at the botanic name - "three birds"). An exceptional, but rarely seen plant.

**LOBELIA 'BLUE CARDINAL'**

£2.35 Campanulaceae HP

60cm

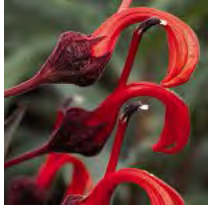
Clear blue flowers on strong stems bearing crinkly leaves. Will grow equally well in dry or wet conditions. Very hardy and soundly perennial. (Syn. *Lobelia syphiitica*)

**LOBELIA TUPA**

£2.65 Campanulaceae HP

1.2-2.4m

An incredible giant hardy lobelia from Chile. From a large rosette of thick leathery felted leaves arise thick stems carrying tropical looking orchid-like deepest carmine flowers. A valuable late season display from July until the autumn frosts.

**LOMELOSIA 'BLUE MOUND'**

£2.95 Dipsacaceae HP

45cm (6 seeds)

This new, fabulous, previously unknown scabious relative, collected high in the Taurus mountains of Turkey, may be the rarest plant we have ever sold. A dome of leathery leaves produces a summer-long succession of almost stemless, blue scabious flowers.

**LUNARIA ANNUA**

£2.05 Cruciferae HBi

60-90cm

"Silver Spoons", "White Money Plant". Almost too well known to need describing, this bright pink-flowered plant happily self-seeds if allowed, giving its reliable display of dried papery seed-heads every year.

**LUPINUS BLUE JAVELIN**

£2.40 Papilionaceae HA

60cm-1.2m

Vigorous plants produce single spikes of fragrant sky-blue flowers that change to gold as they age and which can reach 4 feet tall. They produce long-blooming plants with showy flowers that are fragrant and much-loved by butterflies and are good for cutting.

**LUPINUS SILVER FLEECE**

£2.85 Leguminosae HP

45cm (10 + seeds)

Lupinus chamissonis has silver foliage but is often difficult to keep going. Using it as a parent we have produced this lovely new silver-grey foliage, creeping, cascading lupin, which is vigorous, hardy, and has gorgeous blue and white stumpy flower spikes.

**LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA**

£2.30 Caryophyllaceae HP

60-75cm

This little beauty is one of the traditional cottage garden plants, and it carries congested heads of brilliant scarlet-Maltese-Cross-like flowers right into late summer.

**LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA ALBA**

£2.30 Caryophyllaceae HP

60-90cm

This is the albino form of the famous "Maltese Cross" flower, having congested heads of ivory-white blooms. Very long-lived and hardy, it can make a truly dazzling splash of light in the mid-border, and especially in any dark area needing to be brightened up!

**LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA 'PINKIE'**

£2.20 Caryophyllaceae HP

60-75cm

The palest pink form of this popular, normally deepest red, cottage garden plant can make an impressive statement in the herbaceous border.



LYCHNIS CORONARIA

£2.35 Caryophyllaceae HP

45-60cm

Large flowers of deepest rose-crimson are carried on branching stems bearing attractive grey woolly leaves. This must-have plant for the classic cottage garden will gently self-seed into cracks and shady corners but rarely becomes a nuisance.

**LYCHNIS CORONARIA ALBA**

£2.15 Caryophyllaceae HP

60-90cm

The unusual albino form of the traditional cottage garden plants which has massed heads of pure white flowers on grey stems above clumps of grey woolly hairy leaves.

**LYCHNIS CORONARIA 'ANGEL'S BLUSH'**

£2.15 Caryophyllaceae HP

60-90cm

The pink-eyed white-flowered form of the woolly, grey-leaved Lychnis coronaria comes quite true from seed but the pink eye varies quite bizarrely with the season and weather conditions. A lovely long-lived cottage garden plant.

**LYSIMACHIA ATROPURPUREA**

£2.25 Primulaceae HP

60-90cm

One of the the most requested new plant in our gardens, this unusual plant bears dark spikes of very deep purple flowers, set off by fleshy glaucous leaves, from spring and all through summer.

**LYTHRUM SALICARIA 'THE BEACON'**

£2.45 Lythraceae HP

90cm-1.2m

Spires of rosy-purple flowers are produced for a very long and valuable midsummer period from July until September, when many plants are well over flowering. This lovely plant grows perfectly in ordinary soil, but in a wet spot, or even pond edge will excel.

**MECONOPSIS ASIATIC SPECIES MIXED**

£2.95 Papaveraceae HP

60cm-1.5m

This is a generous mix of all of the flamboyant Asiatic poppies we grow. All colours are here from reds and yellows to white and blue. These will all perform best if you make the effort to prepare a deep, well manured, peaty bed, preferably in the shade

**MECONOPSIS BAILEYI**

£2.80 Papaveraceae HP

90cm

(Syn. Meconopsis betonicifolia). The fabulous "Himalayan Blue Poppy" forms clumps of hairy leaves from which arise strong stems carrying heads of silky, kingfisher-blue, almost transparent petals with golden eyes. This is one of the most beautiful garden plants.

**MECONOPSIS BAILEYI ALBA**

£2.65 Papaveraceae HP

90cm

Pure white silky petals surround a boss of golden stamens on this rarely-seen form of the "Himalayan Blue Poppy" which makes an outstanding picture in a shady damp corner, hopefully growing in rich, moist, organic soil.

**MECONOPSIS BAILEYI 'HENSOL VIOLET'**

£2.90 Papaveraceae HP

60-90cm (40 approx)

Bright violet-purple flowers, with the merest hint of red adorn this quite exquisite variant of the "Himalayan Blue Poppy". Coming quite true from seed, it surprises countless poppy-lovers who have never before seen this unusual plant which originated from Hensol Castle.

**MECONOPSIS CAMBRICA FL. PL. AURANTIACA**

£2.25 Papaveraceae HP

30-45cm

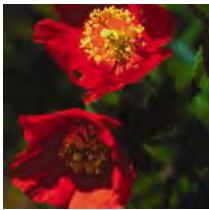
The magnificent deep orange double form producing a long succession of flowers throughout spring. One of the top ten selling plants on our nursery. Will self-seed into places where it is happy and is quite perennial.



MECONOPSIS CAMBRICA 'FRANCES PERRY'

£2.35 Papaveraceae HP 30-45cm

The rare red form of the perpetual flowering perennial Welsh poppy comes true from seed and will gently seed around as long as there are non of the common yellow ones to cross with it. Drifts of this beauty are glorious as it flowers all summer long.

**MECONOPSIS HORRIDULA**

£2.85 Papaveraceae HP 45cm

Gorgeous, striking cobalt-blue, ivory-eyed, floppy, tissue-paper flowers suggest that the "horrid" obviously only applies to the spiny looking stems. It is one of the only drought-resistant Asiatic meconopsis, dying down to a tuber if too hot in its first year!

**MECONOPSIS 'KEILLOUR VIOLET'**

£2.95 Papaveraceae HP 90cm-1.2m (10+ seeds)

This exquisite, unique plant opens large floppy petals in a delightful new shade of violet-purple. In a shady spot in organic-enriched soil it multiplies up yearly into a massive golden-haired clump which can be divided to increase the size of the bed. Few seeds collected.

**MECONOPSIS 'LINGHOLM'**

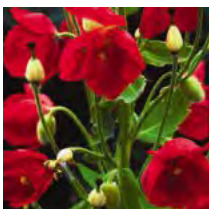
£2.95 Papaveraceae HP 90cm-1.2m

The true *Meconopsis grandis* is rare in cultivation, but this fertile hybrid, which is a quite reliable perennial, has enormous deep cobalt blue flowers, up to four inches across, and is certainly the best available anywhere.

**MECONOPSIS NAPAULENSIS**

£2.70 Papaveraceae HP 1.2-1.5m

Deeply lobed leaves felted with silvery hairs, form a large and most sumptuous winter rosette. In early spring the thick, strong, main stem of this absolutely magnificent specimen arises, with branching spurs carrying golden-eyed, cherry red flowers in midsummer.

**MECONOPSIS REGIA**

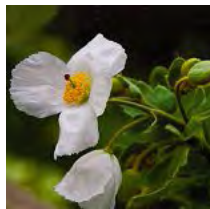
£2.85 Papaveraceae HP 90cm-1.5m

From dense rosettes of silver and golden pelted leaves arise great spikes of sulphur-yellow, silky flowers. One of the most fabulous and impressive plants in moist rich soil. (Experts now believe that the true, genuine *Meconopsis regia* may be no longer in cultivation.)

**MECONOPSIS SUPERBA**

£2.85 Papaveraceae HP 90cm-1.8m

This fabulous plant has gorgeous rosettes of grey-green leaves and strong, hairy stems bearing sprays of sumptuous, golden-eyed, pure white flowers. Found at altitude in Tibet and Bhutan, it has proved easy to grow here in Devon from wild collected seed.

**MECONOPSIS VILLOSA**

£2.65 Papaveraceae HP 45-60cm

A choice and extremely desirable perennial poppy with golden-haired rosettes of leaves with many stems carrying wide, nodding, open globes of bright yellow in the leaf axils. Very rarely offered, famous gardener Graham Stuart Thomas sums it up thus, "Superbly beautiful".

**MECONOPSIS WALLICHII**

£2.65 Papaveraceae HP 1.2-2.1m

An enormous giant of a poppy if grown in rich, peaty moist soil and hopefully a bit of shade. A stout, bristly-leaved stem, almost a trunk, holds repeatedly branching arms each holding a delicate, pale blue tissue-paper flower. Flowers often till October or later.

**MECONOPSIS WILSONII**

£3.35 Papaveraceae HP, HBi 1.2-1.5m (20+ seeds)

Newly-described, this rare, exciting and unbelievably exquisite flower bears spectacular head of closely-packed, golden-eyed, blue-purple flowers, which open over an extended period in late spring on a stout, hairy stem. It is worth any trouble to see it in full bloom.



MELANOSELINUM DECIPIENS

£2.25 Apiaceae HP 90cm-1.2m (40 seeds)

This new umbellifer is certainly one of the finds of recent years. In its second year a thick strong stem sprouts a broad crown of several branches carrying finely divided bronzed leaves, beneath very large umbels of bright pink flowers. An unforgettable picture.

**MORAEA HUTTONII**

£2.15 Iridaceae HB 60-90cm

A valuable find from the South African mountains. Large, iris-like, bright yellow flowers held well above the thin strap-like leaves, but these are different from other moreaas as you will agreeably discover when you smell the overwhelming perfume!

**MORINA LONGIFOLIA**

£2.55 Morinaceae HP 60cm

A rare and long-lived Nepalese plant with thistle-like foliage (but no relation). From the main stem leaf axils appear exotic, flared white flowers, which turn to pink inside after pollination. Repeat flowering from early summer until the frost, especially if dead-headed.

**MYRRHIS ODORATA**

£1.95 Umbelliferae HP 60-90cm (10 seeds)

This uncommon and beautiful British native, has ornamental, much-divided, delicate, aniseed-scented, fern-like foliage and crowded umbels of fragrant white flowers followed by extremely large, shiny-black, decorative seed-heads which are fluted and slightly curved.

**NEPETA CLARKEI**

£2.10 Lamiaceae HP 45cm

This little known but most welcome newcomer pushes up bright spikes of deep violet blue flowers over a very long period on compact fragrant leaved plants. It will grow anywhere but thrives in a hot, well-drained position

**NEPETA FAASSENII**

£2.25 Labiatae HP 45cm

This bushy, clump forming catmint is probably the best variety for edging and low borders, forming mounds of small, grey-green leaves with loose spikes of tubular, soft lavender-blue flowers. These open all summer long, persisting until cut back by frost.

**NEPETA PARNASSICA**

£2.40 Lamiaceae HP 90cm-1.8m

A huge catmint, dwarfing "Six Hills Giant". Thick strong stems with fragrant leaves and long spikes of purple-blue flowers in summer and autumn. For the back of a hot border or fill the corner of the courtyard to impress your visitors.

**NICANDRA 'SPLASH OF CREAM'**

£2.05 Solanaceae HHA 60-90cm

The "Shoo-fly Plant" is reputed to deter whitefly. This lovely variation carries large, white-centred, blue funnel-shaped flowers over lush foliage dramatically splashed with creamy yellow. Can reach three feet in only eight weeks after an early summer sowing!

**NICOTIANA LANGSDORFII 'CREAM-SPLASH'**

£2.40 Solanaceae HHA 60-90cm

The RHS AGM has already been awarded to the top-selling green-leaved form. This improved form makes a solid bushy thicket with leaves edged and splashed in cream, covered with an endless succession of tubular, greenish-yellow pendulous flowers.

**NICOTIANA SYLVESTRIS**

£1.95 Solanaceae HHA 60cm-1.2m

This lovely plant is actually a species of wild tobacco 'Woodland Tobacco' grown in gardens for its scented flowers, which are overpowering at night, so as to attract pollinating moths. This is one of the plants from which the leaves can be dried.



NICOTIANA 'TINKERBELL'

£2.75 Solanaceae HHA

30-45cm

This lovely hybrid with funnel-shaped, dusky maroon-red flowers with pale green backs and blue pollen, was originally produced here in 1998 at Plant World, by crossing a large-flowered red nicotiana with a green, very slim-tubed wild species.

**OMPHALODES CAPPADOCICA**

£2.70 Boraginaceae HP

15-20cm (8 seeds)

"Blue-eyed Mary". One of the most desirable spring plants (R.H.S. Award of Garden Merit). Sprays of bright blue flowers from early spring to midsummer over a slowly creeping carpet of shiny leaves. Viable seed is very rarely offered as little is produced.

**OENOTHERA 'APRICOT DELIGHT'**

£2.25 Onagraceae HP

60-90cm

Vast three inch fragrant lemon-yellow saucers slowly change colour through apricot to pink with age. This adorable back-of-the-border plant is unusual in that the flowers open during the day time when they can be best admired.

**OMPHALODES NITIDA**

£2.65 Boraginaceae HP

30cm

Introduced by us, this new form of Blue-Eyed Mary is a gorgeous spring performer. From a compact clump of small, shiny green leaves erupts a low dome of arching sprays studded with countless deepest cobalt blue flowers. A priceless addition to gardens.

**OENOTHERA BLOOD ORANGE**

£2.25 Onagraceae HP

8-10cm

This new and lovely dwarf plant with the same cushion-forming habit as aubretia, produces an extremely long succession of yellow-rimmed, red-eyed flowers all season long on prostrate stems.

**ONOPORDUM ACANTHIUM**

£2.35 Asteraceae HBI

1.8-2.7m

This is truly one of the most impressive plants you can grow in the UK if you can give it room. Candelabras of large mauve flowers open on much-branching white woolly stems which arise from a huge grey spiky rosette in spring.

**OENOTHERA LONGITUBA**

£2.45 Onagraceae HP,HBI

40-65cm

From the foothills of the Chilean and Argentinian Andes comes this showy plant with large, perfumed, luminous yellow flowers on extremely long-tubed seed pods. With constantly dividing stems clad in silvery-haired leaves, it soon grows into an unusual quite compact dome.

**PAPAVER 'ORANGE FEATHERS'**

£2.55 Papaveraceae HP

45-60cm

This sumptuous, many-stemmed, double-flowered perennial, bears an endless succession of frilly, many-petalled terracotta-orange flowers. Botanically this is Papaver rupifragum 'Flore Pleno', but we feel "Orange Feathers" is less of a mouthful!

**OENOTHERA 'SUNSET BOULEVARD'**

£2.25 Onagraceae HBI,HA

45-60cm

This fast-growing smasher has strong stems of flowers with orange petals ageing to red giving a striking display. It is often, and understandably, mistaken for a "Crown Imperial Fritillary" when in full bloom!

**PAPAVER SOMNIFERUM 'BLACK BEAUTY'**

£2.30 Papaveraceae HA

60-90cm

The almost-black, fully double blooms of this spectacular flower caused a stampede for the seed being sold at a recent Hampton Court Flower Show. You will understand why when you grow a bed of these to perfection!



PAPAVER SOMNIFERUM DOUBLE FRINGED PINK

£2.35 Papaveraceae HBi,HA 60-90cm

A very popular old favourite producing a summer-long succession of heavily doubled, deep-pink flowers. Multi-petalled paeony-flowered forms hold on to their petals much longer than single forms too! Performs best if sown thinly where you need it.

**PAPAVER SOMNIFERUM 'LADYBIRD'**

£1.85 Papaveraceae HA 60-90cm

A bright and simple colour. Deepest red flowers with a distinctive black blotch at the base of each petal. All of these poppies will seed quite true to type if grown well away from the other varieties.

**PAPAVER SOMNIFERUM 'PINK CHIFFON'**

£1.85 Papaveraceae HA 60-90cm

A very popular old favourite producing a summer-long succession of heavily doubled, icing-pink flowers. Multi-petalled paeony-flowered forms hang on to their petals much longer than single forms too! Performs best if sown thinly where you need it.

**PAPAVER SOMNIFERUM 'RED CARNATION'**

£1.75 Papaveraceae HA 60-90cm

Long-lasting, semi-doubled heads of deepest blood red open throughout the summer. They really do look very much like enormous carnations, but without the perfume I'm afraid.

**PAPAVER SOMNIFERUM 'RYE BEANER'**

£1.75 Papaveraceae HA 60-90cm

The colour of the large single flowers does indeed resemble a diluted glass of the famous blackcurrant drink. And every flower has a black centre to guide the bees and butterflies to the nectar!

**PAPAVER SOMNIFERUM ULTIMATE MIXTURE**

£1.85 Papaveraceae HA 60-75cm

A very generous packet of seeds, ideal for just sprinkling where needed in the garden, holding probably every known cultivar of opium poppy including: 'Danish Flag', 'Pink Chiffon', paeony flowered forms, 'Hen and Chickens' and every known colour to nearly black.

**PARADISEA LUSITANICA**

£2.25 Asphodelaceae HP 60cm-1.2m

A rare plant, much like a greatly enlarged "St. Bruno's Lily" (*P. liliastrum*). From a clump of grassy leaves grow strong stems holding outward facing, fragrant white trumpets. Possesses the valuable ability to gently self-seed producing attractive drifts of flowers.

**PELTIPHYLLUM PELTATUM**

£2.30 Saxifragaceae HP 90cm

This giant saxifrage relative starts off with truly gorgeous sprays of pink flowers on thick stems in thicket in earliest spring. It then pushes up umbrella-like leaves, rather like a small gunnera. This stunning plant thrives in the waters edge or equally well in a dry garden!.

**PENSTEMON DIGITALIS 'HUSKER RED'**

£2.35 Scrophulariaceae HP 60-90cm

Beetroot-coloured stems and foliage form a superb background to the swaying stems of rosy-lipped, palest pastel pink tubular flowers. This imposing and unusual-coloured foliage plant may be seen at its best where it can contrast with other paler flowers

**PENSTEMON 'LILAC FROST'**

£2.55 Scrophulariaceae HP 30-45cm

Stubby, flared white trumpets, delicately brushed purple on top, open over a very long season. This beautiful new and very hardy plant was collected in Mexico below the summit of Cerro Potosi, at over 3,000m where winter temperatures drop to nearly -30 C. (PC&H 148)



PENSTEMON SERRULATUS 'SNOWFLAKES'

£2.45 Scrophulariaceae HP

38-45cm

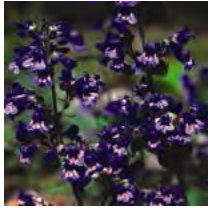
This compact new plant produces many tight trusses of pure white tubular flowers, which are much loved by bees and butterflies, on a compact shrubby clump. If pruned back each early spring it will flower for a long time and delight for years to come.

**PENSTEMON SPECIES MIXED**

£2.45 Scrophulariaceae HP

15-60cm

A wide selection from this increasingly popular group of plants, including both rockery and border varieties in all colours, e.g. Penstemon cardinalis, fruticosus, procerus, serrulatus, montanus, ovatus, venustus, virens and many more.

**PHACELIA BOLANDERI**

£2.65 Hydrophyllaceae HP

12-20cm

Flared, lavender-blue trumpets with bright blue pollen on low hairy-leaved stems, open until late in the season, May-August. This astonishing, new, rare, hardy perennial phacelia makes an amazing display in any open spot and why it has only just been discovered amazes us.

**PHLOMIS RUSSELLIANA**

£2.35 Lamiaceae HP

90cm

Although it looks tender, this Syrian plant is actually bone-hardy, stout stems bearing tiered whorls of hooded, butter yellow flowers in summer, above rough heart-shaped basal leaves. A valuable and easy plant that thrives in poor dry soil.

**PHORMIUM MIXED**

£2.35 Xanthorrhoeacea HP

90cm-1.8m

Bold spires of lanceolate leaves produce architectural clumps. Sprays of tubular orange-red flowers are carried on strong stems into late autumn. An inexpensive way to grow a wide selection, including dwarf, purple, green, and variegated leaved forms.

**PLANTAGO MAJOR RUBRIFOLIA**

£2.35 Plantaginaceae HP 30-45cm

A deep purple form of the "Giant Plantain" coming completely true from seed. Large shiny purple leaves produce a most impressive rosette from which arise long thin poker-like seed heads. A superb plant where foliage and form are required.

**POTENTILLA 'ETNA'**

£2.15 Rosaceae HP 38-45cm

Darkest crimson flowers, comparable with Cosmos atrosanguineus, open on what is probably the best of all seed-raised herbaceous potentillas. A valuable front-of-border plant that extends its flopping stems in all directions.

**POTENTILLA HELEN JANE**

£2.65 Rosaceae HP 30-38cm

This beautiful semi-dwarf cultivar is quite a winner with compact heads displaying crimson-eyed, bright pink flowers, and petals attractively crinkled just like crepe paper. New buds open repeatedly in a long succession, from spring until late summer.

**POTENTILLA 'MONARCH'S VELVET'**

£2.25 Rosaceae HP 60-75cm

Massed heads of deep raspberry red flowers shade to a crimson velvet centre on these long-flowering and long-lived specimens. Bright green crinkled foliage, reminiscent of strawberries, adds to this attractive illusion. An excellent form of Potentilla thurberi.

**PRIMROSE 'JACK-IN-GREEN' YELLOW**

£2.45 Primulaceae HP 15-20cm (20 seeds)

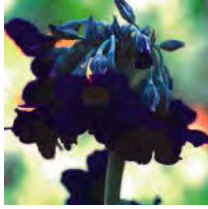
The very rare original pure yellow form of these old Victorian curiosities. Each flower has a small ruff of leaves replacing the calyx giving an intriguing posy effect.



PRIMULA ALPICOLA

£2.65 Primulaceae HP 30-45cm

A choice and very fragrant plant from the high mountains of Tibet. Umbels of bell-like violet flowers, powdered in the throat, are produced on long stems in early spring.

**PRIMULA ALPICOLA ALBA**

£2.45 Primulaceae HP 30-45cm

An extremely beautiful primula with rosettes of long shiny leaves, powdered underneath, supporting tall stems supporting clusters of very fragrant, pure white, slightly-powdered flowers.

**PRIMULA BEESIANA**

£2.50 Primulaceae HP 45-60cm

This vigorous and completely hardy perennial produced stout stems carry several umbels of yellow-eyed pink-mauve flowers. In good moist soil these plants can grow to cabbage-sized proportions!

**PRIMULA BULLEYANA**

£2.35 Primulaceae HP 45cm

This extremely vigorous and hardy candelabra primula thrusts up numerous strong stems bearing bright orange flowers with darker eyes. It does especially well in waterside environments where it will self-seed generously!

**PRIMULA CANDELABRA 'HARLOW CAR'**

£2.75 Primulaceae HP 30-45cm (200+ seeds)

This is one of the brightest selections available, with tall stems holding tiered whorls of large bright orange, red or scarlet flowers, which appear in April, May and June. In almost any type of soil they will make a dramatic statement to all who see them.

**PRIMULA CANDELABRA RAINBOWS**

£2.45 Primulaceae HP 60cm

Strong stems hold heavy heads of bright flowers arranged in whorls. These plants are easy to germinate, grow and keep, especially on moist, well-manured ground. These are collected from our best candelabra colours including scarlet, yellow, pink and purple.

**PRIMULA ELATIOUR**

£2.45 Primulaceae HP 15-23cm

The seed collected from the true British "Oxlip", now extremely rare in the wild. It is superficially like a cowslip but with larger, orange-throated, fragrant pale lemon flowers.

**PRIMULA FLORINDAE**

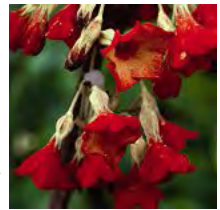
£2.25 Primulaceae HP 60-90cm

A generous packet of the "Giant Himalayan Cowslip". Large round leaves and stout stems carry immense heads of fragrant flowers which are usually yellow but very occasionally red or orange. This is almost certainly the biggest primula there is!

**PRIMULA FLORINDAE 'RAY'S RUBY'**

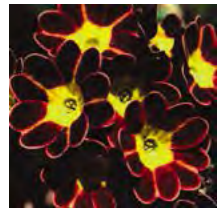
£2.70 Primulaceae HP 60-90cm

Deepest ruby-red flowers on long, strong stems open in their full glory in May, June and July and even later. This dark form, found here, is a lovely easy-to-grow plant for a moist place or pond edge in the garden, although it will do well in the dry but will be smaller!

**PRIMULA 'GOLD LACED REDS'**

£2.90 Primulaceae HP 15cm (20 seeds)

Heavy trusses of small, pillar-box red flowers delicately edged with golden yellow arise on strong stems in early spring. These attractive variations originally appeared here as chance seedlings more than 20 years ago, and have since travelled around the world.



PRIMULA GOLD-LACED RED JACK-IN-GREEN

£2.95 Primulaceae HP 12-15cm (10 + seeds)

A rare plant with compact trusses of pillar-box red flowers delicately edged with golden yellow, which open in early spring. Surrounding each blossom is a ring of tiny leaves producing a fascinating bunch of instant posies. Very few seeds have been collected.

**PRIMULA HELODOXA (PROLIFERA)**

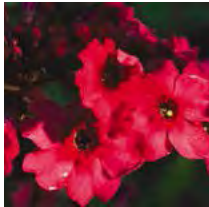
£2.45 Primulaceae HP 60-90cm

Whorls of bright yellow fragrant flowers are held on tall strong stems above shiny toothed leaves. One of the easiest Asiatic primulas, this one is long-lived and in good soil or moist conditions, one of the world's biggest and most impressive primulas.

**PRIMULA JAPONICA 'MILLAR'S CRIMSON'**

£2.30 Primulaceae HP 60cm

These lovely candelabra-type plants shoot up numerous stems bearing deepest crimson tiers. They can make the most spectacular, cabbage-like giants when well fed or in moist soil.

**PRIMULA JAPONICA 'POSTFORD WHITE'**

£2.40 Primulaceae HP 60cm

This hardy, long-lived plant will become enormous in rich moist soil, producing yellow-eyed ivory white flowers on thick, strong stems, and is almost certainly the most impressive of all of the tall white primulas.

**PRIMULA PULVERULENTA**

£2.20 Primulaceae HP 45-60cm

Strong stems holding tiered whorls of deep red flowers arise from vigorous rosettes of tooth-edged leaves. A small proportion will be of the lovely shell-pink 'Bartley's Strain'. This lovely plant from China should be long-lived in most gardens.

**PRIMULA PULVERULENTA 'BARTLEY'S STRAIN'**

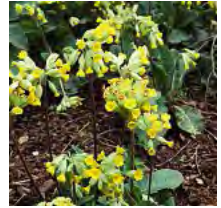
£2.95 Primulaceae HP 45-60cm

This is possibly the most desirable and sought after of all of the large primulas. (So valuable in fact that much of a sizeable bed was dug up and stolen, from our gardens!) This selected form bears tiered whorls of large, yellow-eyed sugar pink flowers.

**PRIMULA VERIS**

£2.10 Primulaceae HP 25cm

"Wild Devon Cowslip". Dense heads of pendent yellow flowers appear on this quintessential spring flower, which is ideal for naturalising in borders or even in wild grass (its natural home). You may even sprinkle them where required on to a grassy bank or lawn.

**PRIMULA VERIS 'HOSE-IN-HOSE'**

£2.95 Primulaceae HP 15-20cm (20+ seeds)

Unlike normal cowslips, each blossom of these ancient and extremely rare plants has a second blossom growing from within the normal one, producing an intriguing doubling effect. Until recently, these rare and exquisite flowers had been lost to cultivation.

**PRIMULA VIALII**

£2.65 Primulaceae HP 38cm

The "Red-Hot-Poker Primula" has long crinkly leaves, from which erupt dense spikes of violet blue flowers topped by a blood red cone of unopened buds. When in flower in the garden this is our best selling alpine primula and surely one of the most desirable.

**PRIMULA 'VICTORIAN SILVER LACE'**

£2.75 Primulaceae HP 15-23cm (30+ seeds)

We have selected many varieties of these old popular primroses to offer a wide selection of vigorous plants displaying umbels of flowers in all colours from browns and buffs to deepest crimson, all being attractively edged in either silver or gold.



PRIMULA VULGARIS

£2.35 Primulaceae HP

15cm

The true "Devon Primrose" collected from a bank on our nursery. Sheets of delicately perfumed, pale lemon yellow blossoms appear in sheets of colour in earliest spring (sometimes at Christmas in Devon!).

**RUDBECKIA GRANDIFLORA**

£2.30 Compositae HP

90cm-1.5m

Strong tall stems, bear many golden flowers with large, black, protruding centre cones. And these appear from midsummer right into late autumn. An impressive and valuable flower for two good reasons!

**PULSATILLA VULGARIS ALBA**

£2.80 Ranunculaceae HP

25-30cm

This is the most beautiful snow-white form of the "Pasque Flower". Silken buds arise on hairy stems in earliest spring before opening into golden-eyed flared goblets. Hanging down over a wall or path-side they make an unforgettable sight.

**SALVIA PATENS 'OXFORD BLUE'**

£2.95 Labiatae HP

45-60cm

This impressive clump-forming herbaceous perennial produces sprays of fantastic Moroccan-blue hooded flowers on erect stems throughout summer and autumn. Superb both as a border plant and as a cut flower. No seed-grown flower has a better blue!

**RAMONDA MYCONI**

£2.45 Gesneriaceae HP

8-10cm

Resembles an "African Violet", but completely hardy. Dark green rosettes of hairy succulent leaves. Round-faced yellow-eyed purple-blue flowers. Very long lived in walls where it will slowly get bigger year after year.

**SALVIA PRZEWALSKII**

£2.75 Lamiaceae HP

60-80cm

Large deep purple flowers with blackish bracts are produced in branching racemes from July to August on strong, thick square section stems, carrying hairy leaves felted beige beneath. This rare, tender-looking plant seems to be bone-hardy on our north-facing hill.

**RHEUM PALMATUM TANGUTICUM**

£2.55 Polygonaceae HP

1.8-2.4m

Superb architecturally slashed and cut leaves form an imposing structure, from which in early summer arise immense spikes of pink fluffy panicles. "Though any form of this plant is worth growing, Tanguticum should be sought." (G.S.T.)

**SALVIA ROSE RHAPSODY**

£2.55 Labiatae HP

40-60cm

Enchanting, rose-pink hooded blooms open on densely-packed flower heads on long stems, over dark green, aromatic foliage. Perfect for a mixed border display, they are most attractive to butterflies and bees, whilst dead-heading gives colour into autumn.

**ROSCEOEA CAUTLEYOIDES**

£2.55 Zingiberaceae HP

30-45cm

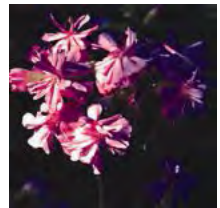
This very long lived and exotic looking plant is in fact completely hardy. Exceedingly lovely, soft yellow, orchid-like hooded flowers, arise from tufts of glossy lanceolate leaves over a long period in early and midsummer.

**SAPONARIA OFFICINALIS ROSEA PLENA**

£2.10 Caryophyllaceae HP

60-90cm

This ancient member of the carnation family, "Bouncing Bett", should be in every cottage garden and will form long-lived, slowly-spreading clumps which display sprays of sweetly perfumed, double pink flowers which are produced from spring until late autumn.



SCABIOSA INCISA

£2.45 Dipsacaceae HP 45-60cm

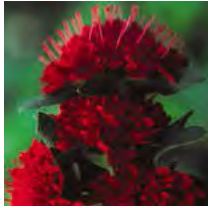
A succession of flower heads are held on long, naked stems above the finely divided, almost fern-like leaves along the lower part of the stems, gently moving with the slightest breeze. Butterflies cover these filigree mounds from early spring to the middle of summer.



SCABIOSA RUMELICA

£2.55 Dipsacaceae HP 60cm

A gorgeous slowly-spreading plant producing pure crimson 'pincushion' flowers on many branching stems over a very, very long flowering season. This rarely seen colour makes a bright splash even in the darkest corner.



SCHIZOSTYLIS MIXED COLOURS

£2.40 Iridaceae HP 60cm

From clumps of sword-shaped leaves arise stems of cup-shaped flowers from white, through pinks to deepest vermilion. This South African gladiolus relative provides valuable colour from August right through autumn and into winter if it remains mild.



SCLERANTHUS BIFLORUS

£2.15 Caryophyllaceae HP 5cm

This truly amazing plant, slowly creeping along like a dense and solid green rippling carpet, produces wonderful shapes and forms. Although related to our pinks, it is reputed to be the only Australian alpine totally hardy in the UK.



SCLERANTHUS UNIFLORUS

£2.30 Caryophyllaceae HP 3cm

Probably the most diminutive, slow-growing and intriguing, ground covering alpine plant one can grow. In early summer, the prostrate cushion makes tiny half inch stems which carry one golden seed each, whilst any weeds in its path are stifled.



SCUTELLARIA ALTISSIMA

£2.20 Lamiaceae HP 30cm

Non-invasive clumps of small blue and white "snapdragons" in close packed spikes. An easy trouble free plant to grow, which will spread slowly by self-seeding.



SENECIO POLYODON

£2.25 Compositae HP 30-60cm

A long-flowering dazzler discovered on the mountains of South Africa. Numerous erect stems produce an everlasting display of carmine rose flowers from early spring until the autumn frosts.



SILENE ATROPURPUREA

£2.55 Caryophyllaceae HP 20-35cm

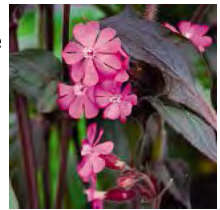
This rare, showy, hardy perennial opens bright heads of deep reddish-mauve flowers in loose sprays during summer, above the evergreen rosette of basal foliage. In a dry spot it will slowly evolve into a tight rounded shrub as it does in its Greek mountain home.



SILENE 'PURPLE PRINCE'

£2.45 Caryophyllaceae HP 60-75cm

We have finally succeeded in producing a purple-leaved, fertile 'Red Champion' (Silene dioica). The leaves of this superb new Plant World discovery go darker the brighter the sun is, giving a perfect foil for the bright pink flowers.



SILENE 'RAYS GOLDEN CAMPION'

£2.65 Caryophyllaceae HP 45cm (100 seeds)

Years of trying has succeeded in breeding this stunning new plant that comes rewardingly true from seed. Pink flowers open over a very long period, on contrasting dark stems, above compact clumps of shining, lemon-gold foliage. (Silene dioica aurea)



SISYRINCHIUM ANGUSTIFOLIUM

£2.20 Iridaceae HP 15-23cm

This dwarf iris relative could easily be mistaken for a clump of grass were it not for the yellow-centred, bright blue star-like flowers that appear in succession from May until August. Over time it can spread slowly by seed or clumps can be divided in early spring.

**SISYRINCHIUM PALMIFOLIUM**

£2.35 Iridaceae HP 38-45cm

A Plant World introduction. The "Bird-Of-Paradise" sisyrynchium can carry up to one hundred large golden stars on each magnificent head composed of repeatedly branching, broad stems, giving an endless display of large, yellow saucer-shaped flowers.

**SMYRNIUM PERFOLIATUM**

£2.30 Umbelliferae HBI 60-90cm

"Perfoliate Alexanders". Old cottage gardens and flower arrangers have known of this curious plant for ages. The stems, holding umbels of greeny-gold flowers, grow straight through the middle of the shiny leaves, between-styled.

**STRELITZIA NICOLAI 'WHITE BIRD OF PARADISE'**

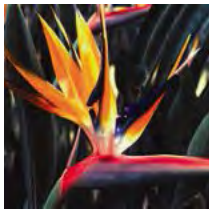
£3.65 Musaceae HHP 1.2-3.0m (6 seeds)

"Giant White Bird of Paradise". Huge black and white flowers on this rare member of the banana family are often seen abroad whilst in the UK it makes an impressive large-leaved plant for a pot in the conservatory. Large seeds resemble little puppets heads with yellow hair!

**STRELITZIA REGINAE**

£3.65 Musaceae HHP 60-90cm (6 seeds)

Spectacular orange and dark blue flowers are held on very thick stems above most attractive, leathery, banana-like leaves. In cold countries it does best in a large pot when it should be re-potted annually, in warmer climes it can make huge evergreen clumps in the garden.

**STROBILANTHES ATROPURPUREA**

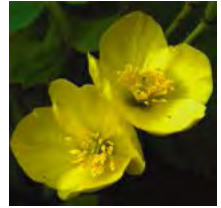
£2.35 Acanthaceae HP 90cm-1.5m

Baffle friends with this late summer treasure. A sturdy dome of stems carries salvia-like leaves, then from July until October white buds inflate into masses of spectacular deep violet ramshorn-like flowers. This is an unlikely relative of acanthus ("Bear's Breeches")!

**STYLOPHORUM LASIOCARPUM**

£2.15 Papaveraceae HP 30-45cm

An ethereal and beautiful poppy relative from China. Elegant pinnate leaves beneath unusually large deep yellow poppy flowers, produced over a very long season (May-Oct). This too rarely seen plant will very gently self-seed into shady places if you are lucky.

**SUNFLOWER MONGOLIAN GIANT**

£1.65 Compositae HHA 3.6-4.2m (10 seeds)

These plants really are monsters. Not only do they grow up to 14 feet tall, they also produce the most amazingly enormous flower heads up to 18" in diameter. If you want to impress, or even upset, your neighbours just grow some of these against your house wall!

**SUNFLOWER 'ORANGE SUN DOUBLES'**

£1.95 Compositae HHA 1.8-2.4m

An exquisite medium height sunflower bearing large, marigold-orange, doubled flowers which have a unique row of single petals surrounding the large 5-6 inch heads.

**TACCA INTEGRIFOLIA ALBA**

£2.70 Taccaceae GP 60-90cm (10 seeds)

'Cat's Head Plant' Another incredible flowering oddity. Large, green veined white flowers, like triangular cloaks, sprout long trailing whiskers from their centres. Most definitely a profoundly interesting talking point.



TARAXACUM PSEUDOROSEUM

£2.30 Compositae HP 10-15cm (10 seeds)

A pink dandelion with a yellow eye? Whatever next? This newly discovered little charmer will capture your heart though. A leafy rosette, just like a dandelion, pushes forth a never-ending succession of gorgeous bicoloured flowers.

**TARAXACUM RUBRIFOLIUM (FAEROENSE)**

£2.35 Compositae HP 5-10cm (10 seeds)

This most unusual dwarf "dandelion" makes a tiny rosette of beetroot-red, almost black leaves, with short-stemmed yellow flowers. An attractive little gem which could certainly never become a weed, it sets very few seeds for a start!!

**THALICTRUM AQUILEGIFOLIUM**

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HP 75-90cm

Branching stems hold large heads of countless, fluffy, rich rosy lilac flowers, just like tiny powder-puffs, over delicate sprays of maidenhair, columbine-like foliage. This is a choice and exceptionally lovely plant that should be in every garden.

**THALICTRUM DELAVAYI**

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HP 90cm-1.2m

(Syn. T. dipterocarpum). Probably the most attractive of all of the species with huge panicles of nodding lilac flowers in mid to late summer. Elegant, delicate ferny foliage.

**THALICTRUM SPHAEROSTACHYUM**

£2.90 Ranunculaceae HP 1.0-1.5m

This tall species with strong stems is like a much improved *Thalictrum flavum*, but has better blue-grey foliage and fluffy heads of pale lemon-yellow which are fuller and more massed, right through June to August. It is ideal for sun or partial shade in any fertile soil.

**TRILLIUM CHLOROPETALUM**

£2.95 Trilliaceae HP 25-30cm (10 seeds)

One of the aristocrats of the garden with three leaves, petals and calyces, leaves being wonderfully marbled and mottled in grey in spring, the three mahogany to rich crimson-maroon petals appearing shortly afterwards. Very rarely offered but long lived when established.

**TROPAEOLUM 'LADYBIRD CREAM PURPLE SPOT'**

£1.60 Tropaeolaceae HHA 20-25cm

Dwarf, bushy plants are covered in unique cream blooms with dark purple central markings, from May until October. These miniature plants are ideal for containers or small gardens. Both the leaves and brightly-coloured flowers are edible!

**VERATRUM NIGRUM**

£2.75 Liliaceae HB 90cm-1.2m

A superb, very long lived border plant, with strong spikes arising from leathery green leaves and carrying dark purple, almost black, star-shaped flowers. This superb lily relative will improve in stature and size over the years if planted in well-prepared ground

**VERBASCUM CHAIXII ALBUM**

£2.25 Scrophulariaceae HP 60-90cm

This is one of the perennial verbascums bearing spires of purple-eyed white flowers over compact rosettes of shiny leaves. Later are produced the spires of shiny, green, pea-like seed pods. May gently self-seed but never becomes a nuisance!

**VERBASCUM COTTAGE GARDEN MIX**

£2.45 Scrophulariaceae HP 90cm-1.8m

A wide assortment of all of the medium and larger verbascums, in many colours, collected from our gardens. The lazy gardener can just sprinkle this large packet where required.

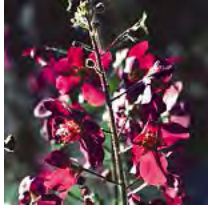


VERBASCUM PHOENICEUM VIOLETTA

£1.95 Scrophulariaceae HP

60-90cm

Numerous shortish dividing spikes of dark purple-violet flowers open over an extended period above crinkly-shiny-leaved rosettes. By far the darkest flowered mullein available, it is a long-lived gem for the front of the border.

**VERBENA HASTATA BLUE**

£2.35 Verbenaceae HP

80cm-1.2m

This bone hardy, long flowering plant from Nova Scotia has many-branched candelabra type flower-heads, each spike of azure flowers slowly expands as it ascends the stems, just like a sparkler burning but in reverse. A valuable addition in that rarely seen true-blue colour.

**VERBASCUM PHOENICUM 'PINK DOMINO'**

£2.35 Scrophulariaceae HP

45-60cm

Soundly perennial, this lovely quite diminutive plant may appear in every shade from palest pink to almost red. This is one of the truly perennial mulleins in a range of most desired colours, and in a well-drained spot will perform excellently for many years.

**VERBENA HASTATA ROSEA**

£2.25 Verbenaceae HP

60-90cm

A super, long flowering (June-Sept), plant from Nova Scotia. This is the more unusual shocking pink form (usually blue), with multi-branched candelabra-heads, flowers slowly expand as they ascend the stems like burning sparklers (in reverse).

**VERBENA BONARIENSIS**

£2.45 Verbenaceae HP

90cm-1.2m

Every garden should have this long flowering beauty which flaunts its sprays of fragrant purple flowers, on wiry angular branching stems, from June until the frost. Acts as a magnet for butterflies.

**VERNONIA GIGANTEA**

£2.20 Compositae HP

1.5-2.1m

This new plant carries flat heads of deepest purple daisies flowering on strong stems in September and October. Valuable late colour when almost everything else in the garden has died away. Associates well with late cimicifugas and aconitums.

**VERBENA DWARF JEWELS**

£2.10 Verbenaceae HP

25-30cm (100+ seeds)

These dwarf, spreading, early blooming plants, produce vividly coloured flowers in a mix carefully formulated to maintain a range of bright colours. The flowers which appear endlessly all summer long, are invaluable for massing in beds or borders, window boxes and baskets.

**VERONICA GRANDIS**

£2.35 Scrophulariaceae HP

60-90cm

Appropriately named, this completely new rare plant from Japan produces until late September, slowly lengthening spires, up to twelve inches long, of deep royal blue, on many two to three foot stems, each of which is lightly clad with pointed sawtooth leaves.

**VERBENA HASTATA ALBA**

£2.20 Verbenaceae HP

60-90cm

This is the pure white form of this lovely perennial which is usually blue, with multi-branched candelabra-heads. These plants can carry on flowering right into late autumn, especially if they are dead-headed when a second flush will appear.

**VIOLA BIFLORA**

£2.20 Violaceae HP

10-15cm

"Twin-flowered violet" Masses of dark brown-veined, deep lemon-yellow flowers, grow on a sprawling carpet of delicate kidney-shaped leaves over a prolonged period in spring and early summer. Will self-seed if you are really lucky!



VIOLA BLUEBERRY CREAM

£2.35 | Violaceae | HP

8-15cm

This gorgeous new viola has been produced using some of the very best dwarf violas on the market as parents. The flowers will vary from plant to plant, as ornamental violas do, but almost all of them will have a cream or white face with a distinctive blue or purple edging.



VIOLA PAPUANUM

£2.55 | Violaceae | HP

3-5cm (30 seeds)

Obtained only as 'Seed Collected Alpine Papua New Guinea' and probably not yet in cultivation! In a shady corner or a pot out of the sun it makes an attractive, slowly creeping carpet of tiny hairy leaves with miniature blue flowers in the spring!



VIOLA 'BOWLES' BLACK'

£2.25 | Violaceae | HP

10cm

Very reliable from seed. Compact plants carry many small velvety flowers varying from deepest midnight blue to almost black. Will self-sow, and eventually hybridise with other violas, so keep it apart from lesser varieties.



VIOLA 'TIGEREYE'

£2.35 | Violaceae | HP

10-15cm

Bright golden faces delicately laced and netted in black make this one of the new 'Must-Have' plants. We have selected this stunning viola for several generations and it comes rewardingly true from seed.

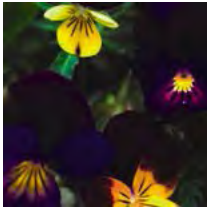


VIOLA COTTAGE GARDEN MIXED

£2.20 | Violaceae | HP

10-15cm

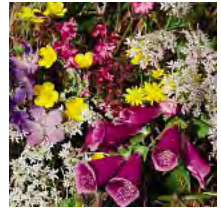
The complete spectrum from our cottage garden with small or medium-sized flowers, colours ranging from pale yellows through bicolors to dark blues. If you're feeling really lazy - just sprinkle this lot over your worn-out rockery for a beautiful display!



WILD FLOWER MIXES

£1.75 | VARIOUS

Please order any of these mixes of wild flower seeds for various habitats and purposes, all are priced at £1.75 per packet. Butterfly Meadow Collection. Honey Bee mix. Wetland mix. Shaded mix. Late-flowering mix. Early-flowering mix. Cornfield mix. Meadow mix.



VIOLA 'FUJI DAWN'

£2.85 | Violaceae | HP

10-15cm

Deep purple, early spring flowers above sprays of attractively marbled pink and cream foliage. A completely new colour-break in viola variegation. Developed and named here at Plant World and now grown and copied worldwide!



"I am really happy with your weigela seeds, the germination rate was first class. I have just pricked out snowflake and weigela florida versicolor and will soon be putting in another order." Mr MJ Harris, Cleveland, UK

VIOLA KOREANA (COREANA)

£2.95 | Violaceae | HP

5-8cm (10 seeds)

The "Cyclamen-leaved Viola" is the outstanding gem of the family, with rounded leaves marbled in silver, blue-grey and deep green, purple undersides adding to the cyclamen-like illusion, dainty rosy purple flowers on tiny stems completing this masterpiece. Few seeds.



"Seeds arrived very quickly from the UK. Some very unusual items, many of which germinate slowly so I can't rate them for germination. However, since their service is so good, I'm going to assume that any problems stem from my own difficulties with trying something new!" Barbara Kelberlau, Oregon



Climbers

ADLUMIA FUNGOSA

£2.35 Papaveraceae HCl

"Allegheny vine". A rare and climbing poppy relative from North America. In spring rapidly ascending stems carrying corydalis-like ferny leaves and thousands of pink, dicentra-like flowers can quickly cover a framework or shrub. Biennial, but self-seeds readily!!



BOMAREA HIRTELLA

£3.55 Alstroemeriaceae HCl

2.0-3.6m (8 seeds)

This "climbing alstroemeria" makes a deep hardy tuber and gives fabulous value each spring when strong-climbing stems wind upwards, each terminating in a compact bunch of gorgeous, speckled, yellow-throated, orange and green alstroemeria-like flowers.



ANDEAN CHOICE CLIMBERS

£3.45 HCl

A mouthwatering selection of seed of rare, hardy exotic climbers from the Andean foothills. Should include; Aristolochia chilensis (purple-black trumpet flowers), Dioscorea araucana (pink lily-like flowers), and Herreria stellata, a climbing lily.



CLEMATIS MONTANA PERFUMED FORMS

£2.35 Ranunculaceae HCl

We have collected seed from all of the cultivars throughout our gardens. Colours range from pure white through pinks to red, and all flowers have the most delicious perfume reminiscent of marshmallows.



BILLARDIERA CYMOSA

£2.75 Pittosporaceae HCl

Another New Zealand introduction from Plant World! Twining stems carry lovely, pale blue, jasmine-like, starry flowers in spring and summer followed by showy, snow-white berries. Superb in a conservatory or sheltered garden. Few seeds are collected.



CLEMATIS POTANINII

£2.55 Ranunculaceae HCl

Dense clusters of milky white, golden-eyed flowers appear on vigorous climbing stems all summer and into autumn. This little-known, but immensely valuable gem from China, will add value and colour by covering any boring old evergreen shrub.



BILLARDIERA LONGIFLORA

£2.30 Pittosporaceae HCl

A choice Tasmanian climber grown outside for twenty years here. Thin twining stems produce creamy-yellow purple-tipped waxy flowers in spring. In autumn, outstandingly lovely clusters of deepest violet grape-sized berries appear.



CLEMATIS SERRATIFOLIA

£2.25 Ranunculaceae HCl

This delicate, late flowering climber produces an endless succession of blooms from July until October, when the frost sends it to sleep again. The fragrant brown-eyed yellow flowers give an unseasonal supply of delicate lemon perfume.



CODONOPSIS LANCEOLATA

£2.40 Campanulaceae HCl

(10 seeds)

This plant, in a league of its own, is surely the most magnificent of all climbing codonopsis. Twining stems clad in pointed leaves produce countless large, waxy, clematis-like bells of greenish-yellow, which are delicately marked in maroon.



DICENTRA SCANDENS

£2.75 Papaveraceae HCl

This kind of climbing dicentras from Tibet has rapidly ascending stems carrying hanging clusters of lemon flowers amidst ferny foliage all summer long. Ours cloaks a boring eight foot conifer, produces numerous sausage-like seed pods, then overwinters as a hardy tuber.



DICENTRA TORULOSA

£2.45 Papaveraceae HA

A fascinating, rapid-growing annual climber which will often self-seed. Rapidly-ascending, twining stems carry a summer-long succession of yellow lockets. These grow into absolutely amazing large seed-pods resembling wrinkled red sausages!



ECCREMOCARPUS SCABER FLAME COLOURS

£1.95 Bignoniaceae HCl

A vigorous scrambler, perfect for covering an evergreen shrub, with red, orange or yellow tubular flowers, produced freely from June to October in multi-flowered trusses. Makes a hardy overwintering tuber, but flowers first year from seed.



ELYTROPUS CHILENSIS

£2.95 Apocynaceae HCl

(8 seeds)

This exquisite, woody, evergreen climber from the cold Southern Chilean forests has strong, twining stems clad in hairy, leathery, triangular leaves, with trusses of delicately-perfumed, intriguing, purple-throated creamy flowers.



IPOMOEA 'CLARKE'S HEAVENLY BLUE'

£1.95 Convolvulaceae HHCl 4.5m

This showy climber produces a seemingly endless succession of huge, 4-5 inch, white-throated blue trumpets. Plants climb to more than 15 feet, producing flowers which open in the morning before fading in the afternoon, from July until October.



LAPAGERIA ROSEA

£3.65 Philesiaceae HHCl

(10 seeds)

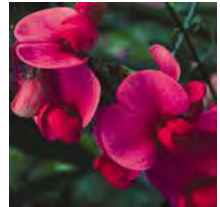
Chile's national flower is a rightful candidate for the world's most beautiful climber. Huge, wax-like bell flowers, three-inches or more of lipstick red, decorate the twining stems. Grows outside with shelter, but is much better displayed in a conservatory or greenhouse.



LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS 'RED PEARL'

£1.95 Leguminosae HCl

Heavy trusses of bright red, fleshy, substantial flowers, on long, strong stems grow for an long time in spring and midsummer on this perpetual, bone hardy, very perennial old favourite. If possible try to plant where it has good strong climbing support.



LATHYRUS ROTUNDIFOLIUS

£2.45 Leguminosae HCl

(5 seeds)

An easy-to-grow plant bearing strong stems each carrying 6 to 10 large, terracotta to brick-red flowers all summer long, amongst a compact mass of pretty, rounded leaves. This rather rare RHS 'Award of Garden Merit' Winner is the Persian version of the everlasting pea.



LATHYRUS SYLVESTRIS

£2.15 Leguminosae HCl

This trouble and maintenance free, and quite rare British native climber (The Wood Pea) improves yearly, throwing out enormous numbers of fresh pink flowers on strong stems, being even more vigorous and floriferous than Lathyrus latifolius.



MAURANDYA BARCLAIANA

£1.90 Scrophulariaceae HHCI

A spectacular constant flowering twiner. Flamboyant bright cobalt blue, flared "snapdragons" in an endless succession. Impressive indoors in a large pot or in a sheltered place outside.



MAURANDYA 'MAGIC DRAGON'

£2.65 Scrophulariaceae HHCI

In the early 1990's we bred what is probably the first hybrid climbing maurandya ever produced. These incredibly fast growing plants, which possess explosive hybrid vigour, produce a wide range of large flower shapes and sizes in all shades of pink and red.



MITRARIA COCCINEA

£2.65 Gesneriaceae HCI

A very rare and lovely "African Violet" relative from the cold forests of southern Chile. This fascinating scrambling/climbing, slowly suckering, evergreen plant opens dazzling red and yellow tubular flowers from early spring until late autumn.



(15 seeds)

MUTISIA ILICIFOLIA

£2.85 Asteraceae HCI

"Chilean Climbing Gazania". Rarely offered. Twining shoots carry soft, holly-like leaves and large, pinkish-mauve long petalled "daisy" flowers. These make a breathtaking sight and are surprisingly hardy when old with thick, trunk-like stems.

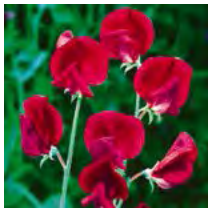


(10 seeds)

SWEET PEA 'BLACK KNIGHT'

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

One of the 'more modern' heirloom varieties from 1898. Sprays of heavily perfumed, bicolored deep maroon/violet flowers.



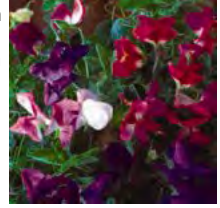
(25 seeds)

SWEET PEA 'CUPID MIXED'

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

45-60cm (25 seeds)

These dwarf sweet peas, all with a compact bushy habit, display an attractive colour range over a long season. They are perfect for scrambling over a low fence, through shrubs, or even cascading from a container on the patio.

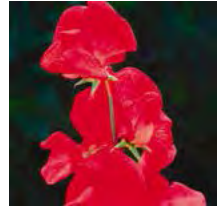


SWEET PEA 'HENRY ECKFORD'

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

(25 seeds)

This dazzling fragrant flower was the first uniquely coloured, really bright orange sweet pea bred by the famous sweet pea breeder Henry Eckford in 1906.



SWEET PEA MATUCANA

£1.95 Leguminosae HA

(25 seeds)

This famous old heirloom is a striking, very strongly scented, bi-coloured Peruvian sweet pea. It is best grown alone as its gorgeous, velvety, deep colours, which appear until late in the season cannot compete with some of the bright modern forms.



SWEET PEA 'OXFORD BLUE'

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

(25 seeds)

This Spencer variety has very large, strongly perfumed, strong-stalked blooms, that are brightest blue with lavender shades, and are perfect for exhibiting. The red-blushed petals are gently twisted, and gently veined with slightly deeper shades.



SWEET PEA 'PAINTED LADY'

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

(25 seeds)

A lovely old-fashioned heirloom variety dating back to 1737. A profusion of rose/white bicolor flowers which are smaller than those of modern forms, but this is more than compensated for by their entrancing perfume.



SWEET PEA 'PASTEL SUNSET'

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

A deliciously perfumed mixture of Spencer types. These pastel shades include cream, almond, pink, lavender and white.



(25 seeds)

TROPAEOLUM AZUREUM

£2.85 Tropaeolaceae HHCI

The fabulous blue climbing perennial nasturtium! Thin twining stems produce many dazzling cobalt blue flowers from the leaf axils of delicate, attractively lobed leaves. Dying down to deep resting tubers, this is one of the ultimate alpine house plants.



(12 seeds)

SWEET PEA 'RIPPLE MIXED'

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

This vibrant mixture of striped and speckled flowers comes in shades of burgundy, pink, rose and lilac. Also included are some superb new introductions in this class.



(25 seeds)

TROPAEOLUM POLYPHYLLUM

£3.95 Tropaeolaceae HCI

Billowing trails of blue-grey leaves cascade along the ground or scramble through undergrowth, followed by an overwhelming display of golden yellow ochre flowers opening in June. This gorgeous plant is astonishing when established on a hot well-drained bank.



(4 seeds)

SWEET PEA 'ROYAL WEDDING'

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

The best long-stemmed, fragrant pure white sweet pea available today. Awarded Certificate of Merit by the Scottish National Sweet Pea Society. Ideal for exhibition or garden use.



(25 seeds)

TROPAEOLUM SPECIOSUM

£3.35 Tropaeolaceae HHCI

This fabulous Chilean native prefers peat to be incorporated into the soil, when it will make countless hardy tubers. It is happiest scrambling over shrubs, when masses of dainty scarlet nasturtiums will dance on quick climbing delicate stems for weeks in midsummer.



(8 seeds)

SWEET PEA SPENCER MIXED

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

A superb formula mixture of Spencer sweet peas, including some of the new introductions from the world's best breeders.



(25 seeds)

"Last summer I entered my tiny garden in the 'Leeds in Bloom Competition' for the first time, and won gold for best small garden. This was mainly using your unusual seeds." Jackie Overton, Leeds

"My mother was impressed with your delivery speed. We will certainly be using your company again." J Trevaskis, Cambourne, Cornwall.

SWEET PEA 'STYLISH'

£1.40 Leguminosae HA

A truly 'stylish' Spencer variety sweet pea with very fragrant and full-bodied flowers on long stems and all of the guaranteed performance and breeding you might expect from this stable.



(25 seeds)

"Your seeds are consistently of such good quality. I had 100% germination two years ago and 96% last year - probably my own failings caused the 4% not to germinate." Jane Munro, Isle of Skye

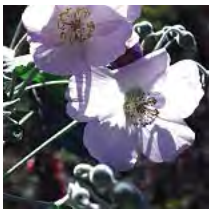
"Thank you for your wonderful customer service and look forward to using your business again in the future." Joanna Richards Queensland, Australia

Trees & Shrubs

ABUTILON VITIFOLIUM CHALK BLUES

£2.35 Malvaceae HSh 1.8-2.4m

Trusses of large, saucer-shaped flowers, from almost white to light blue-mauve, are borne profusely from April to September, with large greyish, rather felted leaves. They do well in almost any well drained soil, either against a wall or free-standing in a sheltered spot.



CALLISTEMON RIGIDUS

£2.30 Myrtaceae HSh 1.8m

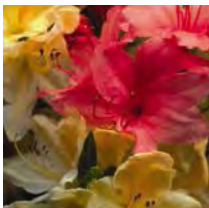
This spectacular, and unexpectedly hardy shrub, bears dense spikes of flamboyant red bottle-brush flowers that appear in late spring and early summer. Narrow, sharply pointed leaves adorn this dazzling shrub that is possibly the hardiest of all bottle brushes.



AZALEA EXBURY HYBRIDS

£2.75 Ericaceae HSh 90cm-1.8m

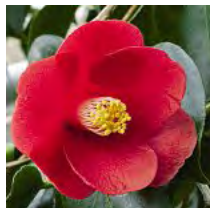
Seed collected from our own twenty year old plants which were originally grown from seed collected from the famous Exbury Gardens. Colours in all shades from pale lemon to deepest red and every one dripping with heady perfume in spring and early summer.



CAMELLIA JAPONICA

£2.90 Theaceae HSh 6.0m (6 seeds)

The glossy foliage of this lovely shrub makes it one of the most decorative evergreens which is very hardy. In addition it produces its normally lipstick-red flowers when very young. It is not widely known that it is a member of the Theaceae or tea family!



BAOBAB TREE

£2.95 Bombaceae HHT 60cm-15m (4 big seeds)

The legendary 'Upside-Down-Tree' (Adamsonia digitata) makes an intriguing, long-lived bonsai or conservatory plant and is easily grown from seed. In the wild this tree is a valuable food commodity, the huge sausage fruits being the source of cream of tartar.



CISTUS 'PINK SILK'

£1.95 Cistaceae HSh 60-90cm

An exceptional pink hybrid seedling here years ago, possibly with some of the blood of the rare *Cistus palhinhae* we collected in Portugal. Huge, frilly, paler-eyed pink flowers cover this dwarf shrub in spring and early summer. Will thrive in a baking hot position.



CALLICARPA BODINIERI

£2.30 Verbenaceae HSh 1.2-1.8m

Spindly, much-dividing branches produce relatively insignificant starry lilac flowers in spring, but after the leaves have fallen in autumn the extremely attractive bunches of bright violet berries persist through into winter.



CLIANTHUS PUNICEUS PINK FLAMINGO

£3.25 Leguminosae HSh 90cm-1.2m (8 seeds)

"Lobster Claw" or "Parrot's Beak". In a sheltered garden or large pot this absolutely magnificent shrub displays hanging groups of very large curved flowers in the most attractive shade of pink. There are red and white forms but this is by far the best!



CORNUS CAPITATA

£2.45 Cornaceae HSh

1.5-2.4m

This outstanding shrub or small tree bears long-lived heads of enormous, impressive, buttercup-shaped flowers, consisting of waxy, creamy butter-coloured bracts, followed by red, strawberry-like fruits. This is certainly the best of the cornus species growable from seed.



CRINODENDRON HOOKERIANUM

£2.75 Elaeocarpaceae HSh

1.8m (6 big seeds)

The "Chilean Lantern Tree" is one of the world's most attractive shrubs. Garden visitors seeing the attractive, crimson, waxy urn-shaped pendent flowers in early summer just cannot wait to rush into our plant nursery to buy one for themselves.



CRINODENDRON PATAGUA

£2.65 Elaeocarpaceae HSh

1.8-3.0m

A close but much rarer relative of the "Chilean Lantern Tree" predictably from the cold country of Patagonia! Pretty sprays of fragrant, frilly white bell-shaped flowers appear in late summer followed by red locket-like seed-pods, which persist into late autumn.



DAPHNE TANGUTICA

£2.75 Thymelaeaceae HSh

60-90cm (6 seeds)

A rare hardy evergreen shrub bearing clusters of very fragrant, white flushed, purple-pink flowers from mid spring to early summer. Bunches of red berries appear later and persist into late autumn.



EMBOTHRIUM COCCINEUM

£2.65 Proteaceae HSh

1.8-3.6m

An unusually large flowered form of the "Chilean Firebush" originally collected on the banks of Lago Cucao during our 1994 Chile Expedition. This seed has wild diversity so you will find that in early summer the clusters of tubular flowers vary from crimson to bright red.



EXOCHORDA MACRANTHA 'THE BRIDE'

£2.35 Rosaceae HSh

1.2-1.8m

The pure white flowers of this early summer-flowering shrub give it its common name as the buds have an amazing resemblance to strings of pearls wrapped around the branches. In April and May it produces a cascading waterfall of sweetly perfumed, ivory-white flowers.

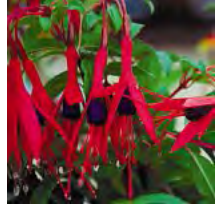


FUCHSIA MAGELLANICA

£3.45 Onagraceae HSh

90cm-1.8m

We collected this most beautiful and bone-hardy plant, which can flower just four months after sowing, on our Chilean Expedition of 1994. Scarlet and purple 'ballerina' flowers open throughout summer and autumn and into winter in mild places.



GOMPHOSTIGMA VIRGATUM 'WHITE CANDY'

£2.35 Buddlejaceae HSh

90cm-1.2m

Stiff stems with grey leaves carry bunches of starry white, fragrant flowers excellent for cutting. This rare buddleia relative from alpine South Africa (the 'River Star'), is traditionally used to restore strength. We grow a lot here!



LANTANA CAMARA

£2.25 Verbenaceae HH

60cm-1.2m

These spectacular shrubby plants have aromatic flower clusters in a mixture of red, orange, yellow, and white which typically change colour as they mature. Often seen in gardens in warmer countries, but in the UK they are better-grown in a large pot in the conservatory.

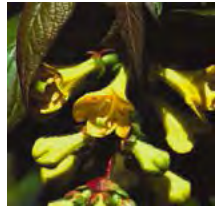


LEYCESTERIA CROCOTHRYSOS

£2.45 Caprifoliaceae HSh

1.2m

A challenge for your knowledgeable friends to name. Whilst related to L.formosa, this beauty bears no comparison, with trusses of golden yellow trumpets showing prominent stamens, amidst distinctive bronzed foliage which clads the cane-like stems.



LEYCESTERIA FORMOSA

£1.85 Caprifoliaceae HSh

1.8m

A multi-value plant. Bright green bamboo-like stems in winter. Delicate white pendent flowers amidst tasselled, ruby-coloured bracts in summer. Soft bunches of purple-brown caramel flavoured berries (loved by birds) in autumn.

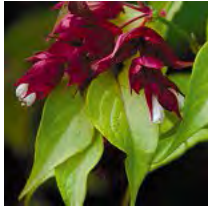


LEYCESTERIA FORMOSA 'GOLD LEAF'

£2.85 Caprifoliaceae HSh

1.2-1.8m

A gorgeous form of this already multi-value plant bearing purple-bracted white flowers amongst crimson-tinged, bright golden leaves. Coming completely true from seed this exciting new plant is perfect to brighten up a shady corner.



LUPINUS ARBOREUS (YELLOW)

£2.15 Papilionaceae HSH

1.8m

Fragrant creamy yellow racemes cover what can become a long lived, long flowering small tree, complete with thick knobby trunk. A haven for bees and butterflies throughout summer and autumn.



MELIANTHUS MAJOR

£2.70 Melianthaceae HSHS

1.2-1.8m (10 seeds)

The giant with deeply-cut grey leaves. Bizarre, brownish flowers produce inflated seed-pods in late summer. "Melianthus has probably the most beautiful large foliage of any plant that can be grown out of doors in these islands". (Graham Stuart Thomas).



PAULOWNIA TOMENTOSA

£2.45 Scrophulariaceae HT

1.8-3.6m

This truly spectacular tree produces large, pale mauve "foxglove" flowers on naked branches in early spring, the large, dinner-plate-sized, soft furry leaves appearing later. If cut to the ground in spring, enormous leaves develop on the shoots sprouting from the soil.



ROSA GLAUCA

£1.95 Rosaceae HSh

1.8m

(Syn. Rosa rubrifolia). One of the only species roses worth growing from seed, all aspects being desirable. Thornless, purple-red stems of grey leaves and pale centred cerise pink flowers age to bunches of dark red hips. Superb as a standard.



SAMBUCUS 'BLACK FRILLS'

£2.55 Caprifoliaceae HSH

1.2-3.0m

Seeds from the very best cultivars of the dark, narrow-leaved forms of the fragrant-flowered elder (Sambucus nigra) such as 'Black Lace'. Seedlings will vary, with many having pink or dark pink flowers and dark or very dark foliage, which develops slowly as they age.



SAMBUCUS SACHALINENSIS

£2.55 Caprifoliaceae HT

1.2-2.4m

White, fragrant spring flowers give way to dazzling, pendulous clumps of pillar-box red berries, which shine with great intensity. A great improvement on our own black-fruited elder and now you can make red elderberry wine! Collected on our Russian trip to Sakhalin.



SORBUS CASHMIRIANA

£2.45 Rosaceae HT

2.4-3.0m

The "Kashmir Rowan" displays clusters of soft pink flowers in spring, followed in midsummer by heavy bunches of attractive pure white fruits which persist right into the winter, even after the leaves have fallen.



"It is a joy to find a source of such interesting plants. So many of our best plantsmen (and women) have died or faded away. I was a partner at Western Hills Nursery, now gone." Roger Warner, California



Grasses

AGROSTIS NEBULOSA 'FIBRE OPTICS'

£2.65 Poaceae HA 30-50cm

This superb, newly discovered grass is a quite incredible foliage specimen and also a wonderful cut flower. If you need an ethereal, delicate, mist-like plant, that drifts like smoke across your garden, this is the one you have been looking for! Absolutely stunning!



CHIONOCHLOA CONSPICUA

£2.25 Poaceae HP 1.5-2.1m

From New Zealand comes the amazing legendary "Hunangemohu Grass". Low, tidy clumps of sharp green blades erupt into thick, strong, arching stems, supporting massive 18 inch divided golden sprays. Impresses all our visitors here.



CAREX BUCHANANII

£2.25 Cyperaceae HP 45-60cm

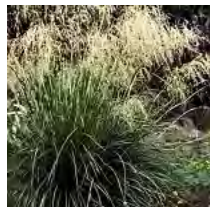
Dense, erect tussocks of copper-bronze make this one of the most sought after and grown architectural plants. When grown as a solitary specimen it makes a stunning effect with contrasting flowers or silver foliage plants.



CHIONOCHLOA FLAVESCENS

£2.20 Poaceae HP 1.2-1.8m

"Broad-leaved Snow Tussock". A fabulously impressive New Zealand grass. Long, stout wands carry twelve inch long heads of golden tassels towering above stiff compact tussocks. One of the three very best grasses we have grown.



CAREX 'COMAN'S BRONZE'

£2.35 Cyperaceae HP 30cm

A delightful tufted plant producing an evergreen clump of whippy, bronzed reddish leaves. One of the desirable, often expensive grasses - but easily grown from seed.



FESTUCA 'ELIJA BLUE'

£1.90 Gramineae HP 38cm

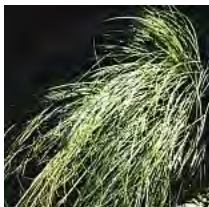
This superb relatively recent discovery makes dense tufts of glaucous blue wiry leaves producing a striking display, either as a specimen or for edging or pot culture.



CAREX 'FROSTED CURLS'

£2.40 Cyperaceae HP 30-40cm

From New Zealand comes another lovely specimen which forms a compact and amusing yellow "haystack", perhaps "weeping willow" would be more accurate, from which protrude long, whip-like stems studded with terminal brown seed heads.



MELICA ALTISSIMA ATROPURPUREA

£1.95 Poaceae HP 90cm-1.2m

Very handsome and valuable showpiece specimen. From a clump of broad green leaves which age to bronze, arise many thin stems from which dangle fascinating terminal deep purple flaky seed cases.



MILIUM EFFUSUM 'AUREUM'

£2.65 Poaceae HP 30-45cm

The best golden grass growable from seed has dazzlingly bright, canary-yellow leaves. Of its best in spring and especially in a shady spot. In commerce "Bowles' Golden Grass" is often the most expensive grass seed in the world!



STIPA LESSINGIANA

£1.95 Gramineae HP 60-75cm

Massed plumes of soft feathery seedheads, ideal to whisk your hand through. The longer they stand the prettier they become. A really spectacular plant, similar to, but larger and finer than Stipa tenuissima.



PENNISETUM PURPLE MAJESTY

£2.85 Poaceae HHA 60cm-1.2m (50+ seeds)

A fabulous new plant with dramatic, almost black, broad leaves, crowned with massive purple flower spikes, the ripe seeds from which are adored by birds. This heat and drought resistant beauty was awarded the All America Gold Medal!



STIPA TENUIFOLIA

£2.45 Gramineae HP 45-60cm

One of the most graceful and delicate of all grasses with delicate, feathery, fog-like plumes which move with the slightest breath of air upon them. A perfect plant for mass plantings in stately homes and parks, but equally good as a single specimen.



PENNISETUM THUNBERGII 'RED BUTTONS'

£2.30 Poaceae HP 38-50cm

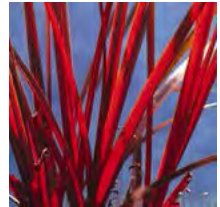
Pennisetum 'Red Buttons' or "Fountain Grass" produces deep reddish-black flowers that resemble rabbits' tails which persist throughout the season, the whole plant forming an attractive evergreen clump of green foliage with burgundy highlights.



UNCINIA EGMONTIANA

£2.45 Cyperaceae HP 20-30cm

From Mount Egmont in New Zealand comes the prettiest hardy red grass growable from seed. Tight compact erect clumps of stiff arching crimson-bronze blades, from which arise narrow spikes of small, sharply pointed black seeds.



SETARIA MACROSTACHYA 'WILL SCARLET'

£2.40 Gramineae HA 45-60cm

Thick clumps of attractive foxtail-like flower heads, perfect for cutting, grow on long stems clad in broad leaves. If planted in a hot, dry spot, or in a container on a warm patio, the leaves and stems of this lovely plant will turn bright crimson.



"I've had surprisingly good germination rates for hellebores and hostas, and pretty good for cyclamens. I say "better than expected" because I really am a fairly ordinary gardener!" Paul Hodgson, Australia

"Sincere thanks for your kindness. The personal touch is sadly lacking in business, but it keeps me ordering from you." Joy Brittle, Rugeley, Staffs

STIPA ARUNDINACEA

£2.40 Gramineae HP 60-90cm

"Pheasant Tail Grass". Arching sprays of purple feathery plumes consist of golden brown fine leaves in compact clumps, this is an absolute beauty set on its own in gravel.



"I would like to thank you for the speedy delivery of the seeds. Also I liked the packing and accurateness of the seeds, along with instructions." Koustav M Dhar, Bangalore, India

"I am very happy with your Helleborus sternii seeds. Sowed on the 23th of December, expected to wait a year, the flowerpots were full of seedlings by April!" Solvi Søbstad Bergen, Norway



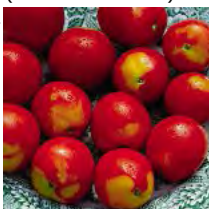
Tomatoes

ALASKAN FANCY

£1.80 TOMATO

(15 seeds minimum)

As its name suggests, this heavy-cropping variety of plum tomato was bred to mature in places where the growing season is short. The extremely uniform, juicy fruits have a truly attractive, two-tone plum appearance both in size and shape. (Bush)

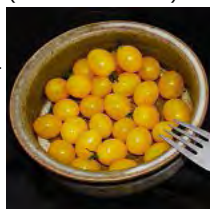


BLONDKOPFCHEN

£1.75 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

This very productive old East German variety ('blondie') gives huge bunches of smallish, grape-sized golden fruits, which do not split, and are borne in succession until late autumn. Our tasting panel said 'strong, tasty and not over sweet fruits'. (Cordon)

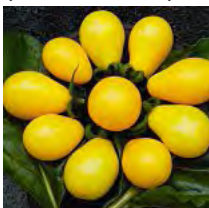


AUSTIN'S YELLOW PEAR

£1.80 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

An impressive-cropping tomato giving an almost endless supply of big symmetrical trusses of baby, pear-shaped golden fruits. Lovely for eating, just like grapes, straight off the vine! A superb salad tomato. (Cordon)



BRANDYWINE SUDDUTH'S STRAIN

£1.90 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

No gardener should be without this Brandywine tomato that is legendary for its strong delicious taste and this one is considered by many to be the most delicious strain available. The large deep pink beefsteak fruit can grow 1-2 pounds and are quite late maturing. (Cordon)



BLACK CHERRY

£1.80 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

This heavy cropping variety is everyone's favourite, producing seemingly endless bunches of smallish, ultra-sweet fruits, which resemble dark cherries and which have a very rich flavour. A current favourite in up-market shops. (Cordon)

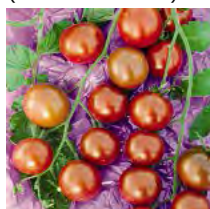


CHINESE BLACK PEARL

£2.15 Tomato

(20 seeds minimum)

Long, symmetrical trusses of attractive, almost identical, chocolate-brown, thin-skinned, tasty fruits, ripen at the same time. This vigorous new plant will give a long succession of ripening trusses into late autumn. (Cordon)



BLACK KRIM

£1.70 TOMATO

(15 seeds minimum)

Originally from the island of Krim in the Black Sea this famous black tomato produces large, deep-mahogany beefsteak fruit with green shoulders and a very distinctive flavour with juicy fruit. Perfect for salads and cooking. (Cordon)

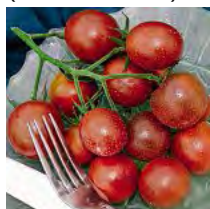


CHOCOLATE CHERRY

£1.80 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

Probably one of the most attractive tomatoes you will ever grow, this is the 'next generation' Black Cherry. Heavy crops of uniform, round, sweet, acid-free cherry tomatoes are produced, in a burgundy-brown shade, and seemingly resistant to cracking or splitting. (Cordon)



CHOCOLATE STRIPES

£1.75 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

This absolute beauty has a quite unique appearance being dramatically striped and slashed in brown, with almost no seeds and firm thick flesh. The distinctive flavour is strong but not acidic. (Cordon)



DELICIOUS

£1.95 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

A really huge red beefsteak fruit which is smooth, nearly solid and often weighs more than 2 lbs. This variety holds the world record for the largest tomato ever grown and has excellent flavour, few and tiny seeds, and very little cracking. (Cordon)



CHRISTMAS GRAPES

£1.85 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

Large bright scarlet-red cherry fruits grow in grape-like clusters on this high-yielding plant. The fruit is sweet and juicy with a strong and delicious flavour. These tomato plants produce fruit right up to the first frost giving the variety its name. (Cordon)



DRUZBA

£1.75 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

This mid-season Bulgarian heirloom is more resistant to disease, pests and adverse weather conditions than most other varieties making it an ideal choice for the novice tomato grower. It produces heavy crops of uniform, blemish-free 8-10 oz salad tomatoes. (Cordon)



COSMONAUT VOLKOV

£1.75 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

This variety is one of our top 3 really impressive big croppers giving strong-flavoured medium-large fruit. Certainly not a G.M. plant but seeds originally carried to the International Space Station by Russian Cosmonaut Alexander Volkov! (Cordon)



FATHER FROST

£1.75 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

This potato-leaved semi-bush variety, of Eastern European origin (Ded Moroz) is renowned for its tolerance to the cold. The fruit range in size from 2-3 oz on a plant which is surprisingly heavy cropping for such an early variety. (Semi-Bush)



CREAM SAUSAGE

£1.95 TOMATO

(30 seeds minimum)

Bushy, productive plants produce crisp-fleshed, creamy coloured, elongated sausage-like fruits. The sweet, juicy, golden flesh, with a hint of lemon flavour, makes them an ideal choice for creating unusual sauces. (Bush)



FERLINE F1

£2.55 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

A valuable F1 giving heavy crops of tasty, strong-flavoured, middle-sized, deep red fruits, with impressive tolerance to blight, fusarium and verticillium wilt, both in the garden or under glass. Is this the answer to many gardeners' prayers? (Cordon)



CRIMSON CASCADE

£1.95 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

Elegant linear trusses produce astonishingly uniform sprays of almost identical, blemish-free, bright red, non-splitting, plum-shaped fruits with solid tasty flesh. These are produced over a very long season, so as you pick the lower trusses the higher ones swell and ripen. (Cordon)



FIRST IN THE FIELD

£1.75 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

As the name implies, a very early bush variety which will do well outdoors. This very popular compact plant produces a heavy, long-season crop of small to medium bright red juicy fruits with a strong and distinctive wine-like flavour. (Bush)



GARDEN PEACH

£1.75 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

Very attractive pale yellow 2-3oz peach-like tomatoes, which are sweet and succulent and are complemented by a fuzzy skin, grow in clusters of 4 or 5. The plants grow vigorously and have a good resistance to disease. (Cordon)



GREEN AGATE

£2.30 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

This brand new discovery from China has medium-sized fruits with the most attractive skins you can find on a tomato. Is it green striped yellow, or yellow striped green? Whichever, the tasty, thick green flesh is superb for salads. (Cordon)



GIANT SYRIAN

£2.25 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

An exceptional plant giving heavy yields of large, meaty, sweet, heart-shaped pink fruits with green shoulders, up to 1 lb, but can be up to 3 or 4 pounds. These fruits rarely crack and excel as a fabulous slicer. (Cordon)



GREEN GRAPE

£1.80 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

Green Grape is a compact semi-bush variety, ideal for growing in a container on the patio, producing a prolific harvest of small, yellow-green, sweet, tangy-tasting tomatoes resembling Muscat grapes. (Semi-Bush)



GOLDEN GRAPE

£1.85 TOMATO

(30 seeds minimum)

One of the heaviest cropping tomatoes we've ever seen or grown, this cherry tomato bears hundreds and hundreds of golden grape-shaped fruit. The skin is thin while the flesh tastes sharp and refreshing. (Cordon)



GREENWICH

£1.80 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

These irregularly shaped, amber coloured beefsteaks hide an attractive secret. Cutting them open reveals a labyrinth-like, vivid lime-green interior. And they scored here extremely well with their strong, sweet fruity traditional flavour. (Cordon)



GOLDRUSH CURRANT

£1.75 TOMATO

(30 seeds minimum)

Masses of bright golden-orange, sweetly flavoured grape-sized fruit set in trusses of 10-12. A very high yielding plant that can also be trained to quite a height which improves the yield of fruit greatly. (Semi-Bush)



HONEY BUBBLES

£2.25 Tomato

(10 seeds minimum)

Heavy bunches of true cherry-sized, as sweet-as-honey fruits explode in your mouth. The colour and size of white grapes, they are actually smaller than most cherry tomatoes but bigger than a currant tomato, are easy-to-grow and heavy cropping too! (Cordon)



GOOSE CREEK

£1.90 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

Thin outer walls hold a massive solid core tasting tart and tangy, rather like a slightly under ripe melon. A mid-season heirloom from the early 1800s, it has good heat and cold tolerance, and fruit that can set and ripen through November and even December. (Cordon)



HUNDREDS AND THOUSANDS

£1.80 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

Thousands of sweet, juicy, bite-sized tomatoes appear in a seemingly inexhaustible supply throughout the summer on this brand new, easy-to-grow variety. These amazing cascading plants are perfect for baskets, window boxes, tubs or even patio containers. (Bush)



ILDI

£1.85 TOMATO

(30 seeds minimum)

One of the very highest yielding tomato plants we have ever seen. Huge trusses contain dozens and dozens of sweet, grape sized, thin skinned, non-splitting yellow fruit, the whole plant resembling a Christmas tree weighed down with baubles. (Cordon)



KOLB

£1.95 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

Beautiful large, fleshy, almost seedless, pink-red beefsteak fruits have marbled green yellow shoulders. These ancient USA heirloom plants, more than 50 years old, develop irregular ribbed shapes, and are quite mild-tasting with very few seeds. (Cordon)



INDIGO ROSE

£2.85 Tomato

(10 seeds minimum)

Wow! No trick photography needed with this new first-ever jet-black tomato, developed by Oregon State University. Disease-resistant, fruity, antioxidant filled, large-plum-sized fruits ripen in late summer to deepest purple, with flesh resembling ripe plums. (Cordon)



KORALIK

£1.85 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

This early Polish bush variety makes widely held branches rather like a small oak tree, enabling it to produce abundant sweet isolated fruit. It has a good tolerance to blight it is perfect for areas where the growing season is short and wetter than normal. (Bush)



JAUNE FLAMME

£1.85 TOMATO

(15 seeds minimum)

This old French variety gives early crops of apricot-coloured, four ounce fruits the size of a golf ball, the yellow-orange skin enclosing beautiful red-mottled, intense-flavoured flesh inside, and this plant appears resistant to many tomato diseases. (Cordon)



LEMON TREE

£1.95 TOMATO

(15 seeds minimum)

A quite incredible and distinctive tomato with an almost perfect resemblance to a real lemon, more so than other "lemon" tomatoes, especially when sliced, and which extends even to the sharp, strong taste, which is useful for salads. (Cordon)



JOHN BAER

£2.10 Tomato

(20 seeds minimum)

Bright red, meaty, sweet, smooth fruits ripen very early over a long season, having a good weight of thick tasty flesh and high resistance to splitting. Historically, this heavy-cropping heirloom tomato was introduced in 1913 as the earliest ripening tomato! (Cordon)



MANDARIN ORANGE

£2.20 Tomato

(20 seeds minimum)

Obtained from China, this lovely new variety has a heavy crop of sizeable, attractive and almost almost identical bright orange fruits, very much resembling the fruits they are named after. The fruits are crack-resistant and have thick, sweet, tasty flesh. (Cordon)



KELLOG'S BREAKFAST

£2.20 Tomato

(10 seeds minimum)

A superb, non-splitting, pale to deep orange beefsteak, with few seeds and a fantastic sweet, tangy flavour, the juice and flesh having the same bright colour as orange juice. Our trial plants were loaded with fruits and were unusually strong and healthy-looking. (Cordon)



MERVELLE DES MARCHES

£1.80 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

This vigorous, 19th century French variety ('Market Wonder') is easy to grow, showing good resistance to disease. The medium sized, fruit grow in attractive clusters, their sweet taste and small number of seeds making them ideal for use in sauces. (Cordon)



MIEL DU MEXIQUE

£1.80 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

This round cherry tomato of Mexican origin produces a large crop of small to medium very sweet fruits and indeed was originally called Mexican Honey. This vigorous plant is very productive and does well under drought conditions. (Semi-Bush)



RED DWARF (ROMANIAN)

£1.75 TOMATO

(30 seeds minimum)

A new, rare, very heavy cropping, and exceptionally attractive variety which produces tumbling cascades of pear-drop-sized fruit, which are yet another size down from Austin's Red Pear, and which taste as good as they look. (Cordon)



NEBRASKA WEDDING

£2.15 TOMATO

(10+ seeds minimum)

This Great Plains heirloom produces clusters of sizeable globes with apricot-golden skin and thick flesh with a wonderful, strong, sweet, well-balanced, tangy taste. The fruits are quite late to mature, but these tough plants adapt really well to harsh conditions. (Cordon)



RED FIG

£1.90 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

This rare plant yields hundreds of 1.5 inch, pear-shaped, bright-red cherry tomatoes with a wonderful, delicious, sweet flavour with a very sweet skin, making this a delightful snacking tomato. It is a tasty and colourful complement to Beam's Yellow Pear. (Cordon)



NYAGOUS

£1.75 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

A rare old Russian variety with neat trusses of perfectly-formed, blemish-free, tennis-ball sized fruits. Possibly the prettiest of the 'black' tomatoes, the thick-fleshed fruits having a distinctive and delicious, salty-smoky flavour. (Cordon)



REDFIELD BEAUTY

£1.95 TOMATO

(15 seeds minimum)

Vigorous plants produce heavy yields of good quality, slightly flattened, large, non-splitting, uniform deep red-pinkish fruit with very thin skins. These are very juicy with an excellent, full flavour that is somewhat mild and low in acidity. (Cordon)



OREGON SPRING

£1.85 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

An adaptable, high yielding, cold-tolerant, disease-resistant plant that will do well in colder parts of the UK producing an early ripening tomato, with a classic deep red, thick, succulent, meaty, almost seedless flesh, and a juicy full flavour. (Cordon)



STRIPED CAVERN

£1.95 TOMATO

(10+ seeds minimum)

A stunning, red, bell-pepper-shaped tomato with vibrant yellow stripes, a semi-hollow interior and a mild sharpish flavour. With a very long cropping season and drought-resistance, they store very well in a fridge and are ideal for stuffing or grilling. (Cordon)



PINK ACCORDION

£1.75 TOMATO

(10 seeds minimum)

One of the most beautiful and expensive of all tomatoes, this unique, non-splitting fruit is ruffled like an accordion. The mild-tasting, soft, pink-fleshed fruit, with few seeds, are also semi-hollow so can be used for stuffing like a pepper. (Cordon)



STUPECE

£1.75 TOMATO

(20 seeds minimum)

The first non-cherry to ripen, with a very high-yielding abundance of sweet, luscious, deep-red fruit, reliably early, and constantly over a long season into late September, setting well even at very low temperatures. Finally it is very disease resistant. (Cordon)



SUNSET'S RED HORIZON

£1.80 TOMATO

From Rostov via Oregon come these very big, very strong-flavoured, thin-fleshed, meaty, heart-shaped, yellow-blotched tomatoes. These amazing plants, which cropped very heavily here, are resistant to frost, blossom end rot and cracking. (Cordon)

(10 seeds minimum)



TUMBLING TOM RED

£1.85 TOMATO

Bred to cascade over hanging baskets although remaining quite compact, this plant produces sweet and tangy fruits of medium strength with firm flesh, and is the perfect tomato plant for novice growers or people short on space. (Bush)

(20 seeds minimum)



SUPER MARMANDE

£1.75 TOMATO

This large, juicy, well-flavoured tomato is a great improvement over an already excellent variety, being distinguished by its irregular cushion shape and touch of pink on the shoulder with the huge, meaty fruit having a superb super-sweet flavour. (Semi-Bush)

(20 seeds minimum)



TUMBLING TOM YELLOW

£1.85 TOMATO

An exciting plant with rich, golden, apricot-coloured fruit growing on compact pendulous trusses. It is best grown in a hanging basket or tall container when its cascading fruit can be ornamental as well as being sweet and tasty to eat. (Bush)

(20 seeds minimum)



SWEET PEA CURRANT

£1.75 TOMATO

A fabulous performer, producing thousands of pea-sized, sweet red berries like beads on a necklace! Irresistible eating. Truly 'once popped you can't stop!' Can be easily trained to make a 6 foot waterfall constantly dripping with fruit. (Cordon)

(20 seeds minimum)



VELVET RED

£1.95 TOMATO

Almost too bizarre, the leaves of this extraordinary heirloom plant are a fuzzy silvery-grey colour, whilst the skins of these scrumptious, super-sweet little red cherry tomatoes are velvety! In your patio garden, you are guaranteed to turn heads! (Semi bush)

(20 seeds minimum)



TLACOLULA

£1.85 TOMATO

From Tlacolula, Oaxaca, Mexico, comes this good-tasting, quite incredibly-formed, heavily ribbed and fluted pink tomato. Most of these late season Mexican heirloom fruits are also bell shaped, some being fused together. (Cordon)

(10 seeds minimum)



WHITE TOMESOL

£2.40 TOMATO

This rare treasure, a favourite of gourmet-growers, has parchment-white, almost seedless fruit, with glass-smooth skin and a sweet, rich, mild citrus-like flavour. Vines set very heavy yields, outperforming most other heirloom tomatoes and many hybrids. (Cordon)

(10+ seeds minimum)



TOMMY TOE

£1.75 TOMATO

This heirloom from the Ozark mountains of America is an almost disease-free cherry tomato, with good resistance to early and late blight. The high-yielding small to medium-sized soft sweet fruits have won competitions for flavour. (Cordon)

(30 seeds minimum)



ZAPOTEC PLEATED

£1.80 TOMATO

The large, mild-tasting, deep pink fruits are very attractive indeed, especially when sliced, with pronounced pleats and hollows within the flesh. They were named after the Zapotec people of Oaxaca, Mexico, who developed this rare gourmet tomato. (Cordon)

(10 seeds minimum)





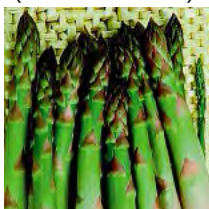
Other vegetables

CONNOVER'S COLOSSAL

£1.65 ASPARAGUS

(100 seeds minimum)

These bright green spears with succulent, deep purple tips and a huge yield are one of the most sought-after vegetables, and are not difficult to grow if kept well fed and weed free, plants remaining productive for at least 15 to 20 years. RHS AGM



BOLTARDY

£1.55 BEETROOT

(200 seeds minimum)

Boltardy can be sown earlier in the year than all others, then right through to mid summer, and is slow to run to seed, yielding perfect, globe-shaped beets of superb flavour and colour. Young leaves can be used for baby leaf production. RHS award winner.



BLACK BEAUTY

£1.65 AUBERGINE/EGGPLANT

(40 seeds minimum)

Popular and reliable with gardeners since Edwardian times, Black Beauty is an early-medium variety of aubergine. The sturdy plants grow to about 4 feet tall and produce good crops of 4" to 6" long glossy, purple-black, oval fruit.



BULL'S BLOOD

£1.60 BEETROOT

(200 seeds minimum)

A Victorian heirloom, which is often grown as an ornamental, on account of its dark crimson, almost black leaves which taste sweet if picked young. The globe-shaped roots have a good flavour and on being cut open reveal attractive pink rings.



BRAZILIAN OVAL ORANGE

£1.90 AUBERGINE/EGGPLANT

(10 seeds minimum)

The attractive oval aubergine fruit of this rare variety are borne in heavy clusters on very tall erect plants with dark green foliage that provides plenty of cover from the sun. Despite the name, the fruit changes colour from green through orange to scarlet.



CHELTENHAM GREEN TOP

£1.50 BEETROOT

(250 seeds minimum)

This very heavy cropping old show bench variety has been around since well before the 1880s in England. It has long red parsnip-like roots and an excellent, delicate flavour, and is paler red in colour when cooked than most modern globe beetroots.



JAPANESE WHITE EGG

£1.85 AUBERGINE/EGGPLANT

(10 seeds minimum)

The Japanese White Egg produces large quantities of very attractive 2-3" oval creamy white fruit all season long. The fruit have a delicate flavour with little trace of bitterness. Perfect for use in stir frying.



CHIOGGIA

£1.70 BEETROOT

(200 seeds minimum)

The ball-shaped, mild and sweet roots of this Italian (1840's) heirloom are resistant to bolting and have light red skin. Cutting open reveals attractive alternating dark pink and white rings (another name is Candy Stripe Beet).



DETROIT RED GLOBE

£1.60 BEETROOT

(250 seeds minimum)

A 19th century US heirloom beetroot producing fantastic, smooth, uniform, ox-blood globular beet with luxuriant red-veined leaves. This variety is resistant to downy mildew and does well in all kinds of soils.



CRANBERRY

£2.35 BERRY

(10 seeds minimum)

Large, red, vitamin-filled berries are produced on evergreen plants in mid to late summer. The wild cranberry (*Vaccinium macrocarpon*) is an evergreen, ground-cover plant native to North America which flourishes in boggy conditions and contains very few seeds indeed.



GOLDEN BEET

£1.85 BEETROOT

(200 seeds minimum)

A globe-rooted, 19th century, USA heirloom beet with golden-orange skin and sweet golden-yellow flesh and bright green leaves which are tasty when cooked. It is resistant to bolting and if harvested young retains its flavour well.



GOJI BERRY

£2.45 BERRY

(100 seeds minimum)

(*Lycium barbarum*) Compact long-lived bushes bear small purple and white flowers in early summer followed by plump, juicy, sweet red 'superfruits' bursting with vitamins and minerals, which are produced all summer long, right up to the first frosts.



WHITE DETROIT

£1.65 BEETROOT

(200 seeds minimum)

This high yielding, white beetroot has a mild, sweet flavour that perfectly complements fish and poultry dishes whilst retaining its flavour through cooking and is perfect for dishes where you do not wish the normal purple beetroot stain.



GOLDEN BERRY 'GIGANTE'

£2.15 BERRY

(25 seeds minimum)

Tall, erect, sticky-haired stems carry sizeable 'paper lanterns' which contain the largest and juiciest fruits of all the golden berries. This is the physalis variety sold at inflated prices in supermarkets and used to adorn expensive desserts in restaurants.



YELLOW CYLINDRICAL

£1.50 BEETROOT

(200 seeds minimum)

Produces large cylindrical golden-yellow roots with crisp white flesh. Pick early as small roots are sweet and tasty, with less risk of staining than traditional purple beet. If left, they will grow to a huge size. The greens can also be eaten.



GOLDEN PEARLS

£2.25 BERRY

(50 seeds minimum)

This brand new sweet golden form of the Wonderberry (*Solanum villosum*) grows in bunches resembling yellow currants, which appear soon after being grown, either in a pot or open ground. In Africa the leaves are apparently eaten like spinach.



BLUEBERRY

£2.40 BERRY

(30 seeds minimum)

Blueberries (*Vaccinium corymbosum*), are high in vitamin C and anti-oxidants which can defeat bladder and cystitis problems. There are very heavy-cropping plants with a diversity of different habits and include early and late fruiting varieties.



KIWI BERRY (*ACTINIDIA ARGUTA*)

£2.35 BERRY

(20 seeds minimum)

Kiwi berries, also known as Hardy Kivis, are a breed of kiwi fruits that ripen while still small, and they are the sweetest, tastiest kiwi you've ever had! These mini kivis have all the benefits of their larger cousins, but are much easier to eat and grow.



WONDERBERRY

£1.75 BERRY

(50 seeds minimum)

A superb newcomer, resembling the garden huckleberry, but with a far superior taste, especially when cooked. Quick and easy to grow in a container, garden or greenhouse, producing thousands of small, unusual-flavoured, sweet blackcurrant-like fruits.



RED ARROW

£1.65 BROCCOLI

(150 seeds minimum)

Red Arrow is an improved variety of purple sprouting broccoli which produces high quality medium-sized spears from mid-February to mid-April and yields up to 20% more than previous types. Easy to grow giving vigorous vitamin-rich plants.



MASTERPIECE GREEN LONGPOD

£1.65 BROAD BEAN

(25 seeds minimum)

Arguably the best green-seeded variety, growing well in most conditions, and producing good pod lengths with up to 7 beans per pod, with superb flavour and table qualities. This top RHS AGM variety grows to about three feet high and is excellent for freezing.



ROMANESCO

£1.70 BROCCOLI

(150 seeds minimum)

This celebrated Italian heirloom produces attractive lime green heads made up of a mass of small conical florets. It has a superb flavour and a more tender texture than regular broccoli and grows exceptionally well in cool Northern areas.



STEREO

£1.65 BROAD BEAN

(25 seeds minimum)

Stereo is one of the smaller, slender podded broad bean varieties, which recently have become popular due to the capability of the young pods to be cooked and eaten whole, just like mange-tout peas. If grown to maturity the pods produce five delicious beans.



DARKMAR 21

£1.50 BRUSSELS SPROUTS

(150 seeds minimum)

A high quality Bedfordshire variety of mid-late main crop Brussels Sprouts which produces a heavy yield of large, fine-flavoured, deep green sprouts from late November and on through the winter, even in the harshest weather.



THE SUTTON

£1.65 BROAD BEAN

(25 seeds minimum)

A dwarf (18"-24") self-supporting, bushy broad bean which can be spring-sown, or overwintered if protected using cloches. It produces compact plants with multi-heads of beans with around 5 beans per pod. A heavy yielding plant.



GOLDEN ACRE

£1.65 CABBAGE

(400 seeds minimum)

An excellent summer ball head cabbage with solid heads which are more uniformly round than other summer varieties with fewer outer leaves. This variety is easy to grow and does very well indeed in cool weather.



GREEN SPROUTING CALABRESE

£1.45 BROCCOLI

(250 seeds minimum)

Producing a long succession of bluish-green heads averaging 3 to 5 inches across, these tall, erect plants with an excellent flavour and long cropping season are the original forms, which are still firm favourites in spite of the appearance of modern F1 hybrids



RED DRUMHEAD

£1.65 CABBAGE

(300 seeds minimum)

This popular heirloom variety produces a round solid heart in stunning red with dense leafy heads in a variety of red/purple shades. This versatile cabbage is adaptable to heat, whilst also producing crops between mid summer and winter.



ATOMIC RED

£1.75 CARROT

A long, red carrot rich in vitamins and minerals - especially high in the antioxidant lycopene. When peeled and cooked, the carrots turn deeper blood red in colour and are particularly suitable for stir frying.

(400 seeds minimum)



CHANTENAY ROYAL

£1.65 CARROT

A short, stump-shaped carrot which gives heavy yields, the roots having golden-orange flesh with a sweet taste and retaining their flavour even when large. These carrots, which rarely split, are the ones to choose if your soil is heavy.

(400 seeds minimum)



PARIS MARKET BARON

£1.50 CARROT

A 19th century French heirloom, Paris Market Baron are deliciously tender, bite-sized, round carrots, with a very smooth skin. Early maturing and uniform, even in a growing box, they are ideal for growing in shallow or stony soil.

(400 seeds minimum)



RED SAMURAI

£1.80 CARROT

A slender tapering red-skinned Japanese carrot with lovely pink flesh which holds its colour even after steaming. This main-crop carrot can also be used raw to enliven a salad.

(400 seeds minimum)



SOLAR YELLOW

£1.80 CARROT

Solar Yellow carrots have a unique juicy buttery flavour and characteristic crunch. The 6"-7" roots are broad at the top and through most of their length. Harvest young finger-sized carrots if eating them raw.

(400 seeds minimum)



ALL YEAR ROUND

£1.45 CAULIFLOWER

A popular, versatile variety, ideal for successional sowing, which produces large velvety-white, well protected heads with an exceptional flavour. These are great for shows, freezing or eating fresh from the garden as they retain their flavour when boiled or steamed.

(100 seeds minimum)



SNOWBALL

£1.40 CAULIFLOWER

A versatile early cauliflower which can used all season. First introduced in 1888, the compact plants form 6" wide snow white heads with crisp, tender curds which are well-protected by the outer leaves. The variety is downy mildew resistant.

(100 seeds minimum)



GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING

£1.45 CELERY

This favourite heirloom (1884) variety produces creamy white stalks which are tender, high quality and plentiful with a deliciously sweet taste. They are easy to grow and self blanching, making them a lot easier than other varieties which require constant of attention.

(500 seeds minimum)



GREEN UTAH

£1.55 CELERY

Green Utah is a very popular American celery producing tall, delicious, string-less, well-rounded solid stalks which are easily blanched and have a distinctive nutty flavour. This compact variety has excellent disease resistance.

(500 seeds minimum)



RAINBOW CHARD

£1.70 CHARD

This RHS Award winner has pale green and bronze succulent-stemmed, mild tasting leaves, each stem coming in a different colour of the rainbow, ranging from pink to gold to purple and red. A winner whether used in cooking or as an ornamental border plant.

(150 seeds minimum)



RHUBARB CHARD

£1.65 CHARD

A colourful and tasty form of Swiss Chard with rich ruby-red leaf stalks and dark waxy green-purple leaves. The succulent mid-ribs can be cooked like asparagus and can also be harvested at the baby leaf stage for micro greens. Absolutely delicious!

(150 seeds minimum)



SWISS CHARD SILVER WHITE

£1.55 CHARD

Actually native to the Mediterranean, this is one of the easiest varieties to grow and is an excellent source of vitamins and iron. The beautiful, emerald green leaves have a strong agreeable flavour making it perfect for eating raw or cooked.

(150 seeds minimum)



STRAWBERRY SPINACH

£1.85 Chenopodiaceae

(Chenopodium foliosum). Confound your friends at dinner parties with "fruit" in the salad bowl! And you can eat the leaves of the same plant like spinach. This very quick growing and amusing plant produces little red "strawberries" all the way along its stems.

(50+ seeds minimum)



TATSOI

£1.45 CHINESE LEAVES

This attractive, easy-to-grow, hardy Asian variety produces a thick rosette of dark green, nutritious oval leaves which have a creamy texture, and a mild but distinctive flavour that makes them perfect for eating raw or cooked whether in salads, stir fries or in soups.

(150 seeds minimum)



WHITE PAK CHOI

£1.65 CHINESE LEAVES

A popular Chinese variety producing striking, clean white stalks holding fabulous, rich, dark green leaves which can be eaten raw when young in salads, or left to mature and then cooked. The compact plants are resistant to weather changes and are slow to bolt.

(250 seeds minimum)



WONG BOK

£1.65 CHINESE LEAVES

Heads of large, barrel shaped heads, with crisp light green leaves grow typically up to 2.5kg. Fast growing and ready for harvest in 10 weeks, this versatile vegetable adds crunch to salads especially coleslaws, flavour to stir fries, and is a useful steamed veg.

(250 seeds minimum)



BARLOTTA LINGUA DI FUOCO

£1.75 CLIMBING FRENCH BEAN (50 seeds minimum)

"Tongues of fire" is an Italian climbing French bean, with attractive red-purple and green speckled pods. This versatile bean can be cropped young and the pods eaten as flageolets or allowed to mature when the ripe beans can be eaten as haricots.



BLUE LAKE

£1.65 CLIMBING FRENCH BEAN (50 seeds minimum)

This drought-resistant gardeners' favourite produces a high yield of string-less, full flavoured beans which retain their sweet taste and tender texture when cooked. If left on the plant, their dried white seeds can be used as haricot beans.



BAMBINO F1

£1.95 COURGETTE

An excellent variety of courgette. The plants produce heavy crops of dark green baby courgettes all summer long. Ideal for slicing in stir-fries or using in a ratatouille.

(10 seeds minimum)

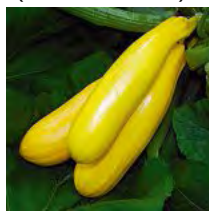


ZUCCHINI GOLD

£1.85 COURGETTE

A beautiful golden-sunshine coloured, 'less watery' courgette, containing fewer seeds than other yellow varieties. The easy-to-grow compact plants are resistant to many garden pests and produce a high number of full-textured fruits.

(20 seeds minimum)



BOOTHBY'S BLONDE

£1.60 CUCUMBER

(20 seeds minimum)

Popular heirloom variety grown by the Boothby family in Livermore, Maine for generations. Produces small off-white, thin-skinned fruit with sweet flavour and crisp, crunchy texture.



ROYALTY PURPLE

£1.55 DWARF FRENCH BEAN

(50 seeds minimum)

A sprawling bush habit plant producing vivid purple, 5 inch long, slightly curved pods with beige seed. Pods contain a natural blanching indicator causing them to change to green on boiling.



MARKETMORE

£1.65 CUCUMBER

(20 seeds minimum)

A very reliable English heirloom outdoor ridge variety of cucumber with good resistance to Mosaic Virus and mildew, which also tolerate dry conditions, making them easy to grow. They produce rich, prickly, emerald green cylindrical fruits.



CHIVES

£1.65 HERB

(750 seeds minimum)

An indispensable grass-like herb with a hollow centre that produces beautiful purple flowers, chives have a tasty, gentle onion flavour that complements a huge range of foods whilst the attractive flowers can also be used in salads.



MASTERPIECE

£1.60 CUCUMBER

(20 seeds minimum)

An early outdoor British ridge cucumber. This reliable cultivar produces heavy yields of 8 inch long, plump, dark green-skinned cucumbers. The flesh is crisp and white and perfect when sliced up in summer salads.



CORIANDER

£1.65 HERB

(90 seeds minimum)

This highly fragrant herb, originates from the Mediterranean and Asia where the leaves (Cilantro) are grown to be used raw in salads and salsa, or cooked into breads or curries. The seeds (Coriander) are also often used to add flavour and dimension to dishes



GOLDEN TEPEE

£1.65 DWARF FRENCH BEAN

(50 seeds minimum)

A most attractive dwarf French bean with distinctive golden yellow pods, held in bunches well above the foliage for easy picking. If sown every 40-50 days throughout the spring and summer it will give a steady succession of tender beans.



GARLIC CHIVES

£1.60 HERB

(200 seeds minimum)

This versatile herb can be either a house plant or a herb, with broad, flat leaves which are perfect to use as ordinary chives and bulbs which can be fried like an onion. The fragrant white flowers, capable of perfuming a whole room, can be used in salads.



GREEN ARROW

£1.75 DWARF FRENCH BEAN

(50 seeds minimum)

A superb disease resistant, British-bred, dwarf French bean with vivid-green, 6" pods which produce delicious, succulent round beans. (resistant to Pseudomonas, Anthracnose and Common bean mosaic virus)



ITALIAN GIANT PARSLEY

£1.60 HERB

(300 seeds minimum)

This hardy flat-leaved parsley with high pest and disease resistance is extremely easy to grow producing large, dark green and smooth leaves with an intense flavour that makes it perfect for cooking. The versatile leaves can be used fresh, dried or frozen.



OREGANO

£1.75 HERB

(500 seeds minimum)

This sweetly-smelling, aromatic foliage is commonly used in Mediterranean cuisine and is perfect sprinkled on lamb or pork before cooking and with rich meat dishes, grilled fish and for flavouring oils. The dried flowers are used for flavouring.



SWEET GENOVESE BASIL

£1.60 HERB

(750 seeds minimum)

Often known as the best variety of basil for home-made pesto, this variety produces oval aromatic leaves which are curved inwards, and are perfect in salads or tomato dishes. Easy to grow, this basil is the perfect companion to home grown tomatoes.



RED RUBIN BASIL

£1.55 HERB

(300 seeds minimum)

This fragrant basil with vibrant purple leaves and a strong taste blended with a hint of the sharpness of cloves, also produces pink flowers making it a superb ornamental plant. It is perfect when used fresh for making vinegar and oils as well as adding colour to salads.



THYME

£1.60 HERB

(500 seeds minimum)

This hardy perennial can be picked and used all year round. With attractive, small green clustered leaves and pastel pink flowers it is an attractive addition to any herb garden and is perfect for stuffings, poultry dishes and stews.



ROSEMARY

£1.60 HERB

(100 seeds minimum)

This hardy herb withstands droughts well and can survive for many years with only the most basic of tending making it an excellent addition to any herb garden. The fragrant leaves, ideal for drying, are perfect for meat, fish, soups and stews.



TRIPLE CURLED PARSLEY

£1.50 HERB

(750 seeds minimum)

A large and bushy vigorous variety of parsley with closely curled dark green leaves. It is fast growing and holds for a long time when mature, making harvesting easy. Excellent taste.



RUSSIAN TARRAGON

£1.65 HERB

(500 seeds minimum)

A vigorous and easy to grow variety of tarragon, this plant produces branching stems of narrow pointed, aromatic emerald green leaves which have a milder flavour than other varieties making them perfect for fish, poultry, sauces and tarragon vinegar.



NERO DI TOSCANA

£1.60 KALE

(150 seeds minimum)

This very resilient, easy to grow kale is resistant to heat and aphids. The dark, deliciously flavoured, emerald-green loose leaves, which appear an eye-catching black at a distance, are perfect in many cooked dishes, or when small in salads.



SPEARMINT

£1.60 HERB

(500 seeds minimum)

This common, attractive variety of mint has aromatic forest green, serrated leaves and violet-blue flowers. Easy to grow and surviving well in nearly all climates spearmint can be used dried or fresh to complement potatoes and peas and add flavour to sauces.



SCARLET KALE

£1.75 KALE

(150 seeds minimum)

This attractive hardy variety sports curly, dark-green/purple leaves streaked with red veins which intensify in colour after the first frost. The vitamin-rich leaves can be harvested young as salad leaves or harvested later as winter greens.



SIBERIAN IMPROVED KALE

£1.55 KALE

(150 seeds minimum)

This extremely cold-hardy Siberian Kale, which originated in Russia, has flat, broad, deeply-cut and ruffled blue green leaves, which grow on long, succulent, sweet stalks. A heavy frost just improves the flavour of the leaves.



BLUE SOLAISE

£1.60 LEEK

(200 seeds minimum)

A traditional French winter heirloom that is hardy and cold-resistant as well as being an attractive addition to the cottage garden. The flags are blue-green which turn violet after a cold spell whilst the shanks are thick/medium length.



MUSSELBURGH

£1.60 LEEK

(200 seeds minimum)

This famous and delicious Scottish 19th century heirloom variety of winter leek has large, very thick stems which have a fantastic sweet yet mild flavour. This variety is winter hardy and is slow to bolt.



FORELLENSCHLUSS

£1.75 LETTUCE

(200 seeds minimum)

An Austrian romaine lettuce, with the excellent taste and texture of a butterhead. The name means "speckled like a trout" and comes from the leaves' distinctive appearance with large splashes of deep red on green.



LITTLE LEPRECHAUN

£1.65 LETTUCE

(250 seeds minimum)

This 8 inch award-winning baby red Romaine lettuce has a sweet and crunchy centre and stunning leaves which fade to deep red-purple at the tips. It survives in almost any climate with the leaves kept well away from the ground and is larger than its name suggests.



LOLLO BIONDA

£1.70 LETTUCE

(250 seeds minimum)

This attractive Italian lettuce produces an emerald mound of frilly leaves with a loose heart making it less appealing to slugs than Butterhead varieties. An eye-catching lettuce producing leaves for more than 3 months if they are taken from the outside.



LOLLO ROSSA

£1.65 LETTUCE

(200 seeds minimum)

Lollo Rossa is a pretty Italian loose-leaf lettuce with frilly bordeaux red leaves that taper to green hearts. The crisp texture, mild taste and attractive appearance make them an essential addition to salads.



REINE DES GLACES

£1.65 LETTUCE

(250 seeds minimum)

Supreme among crispheads, the 'Queen of the Ice', is ideal for early spring sowing, remaining crisp and resisting bolting later. The lighter green, sweet, succulent heart has a crunchy texture and distinctive mild bitter taste, making it a favourite amongst chefs.



TOM THUMB

£1.60 LETTUCE

(250 seeds minimum)

Tom Thumb, a still very popular Victorian English heirloom lettuce, is a very compact, early butterhead with a small tightly bunched head. The ruffled outer leaves are light medium green while the centres are creamy white with a pleasant buttery taste.



YUGOSLAVIAN RED

£1.70 LETTUCE

(250 seeds minimum)

One of the most beautiful butterhead lettuces you can grow with bright green cupped leaves splashed with rosy-red. The succulent leaves are superb, buttery and mild, the loose heads grow to around 30cm across and can be harvested in about 55 days.



EARLY SILVERLINE

£1.60 MELON

(10 seeds minimum)

A unique, elongated oriental early melon with white, crisp, sweet and fragrant flesh. This tiny, delicious, gourmet melon is rarely found in markets. The yellow skin is lined with silvery furrows, and is so thin it can be peeled like an apple.



LONG RED FLORENCE

£1.50 ONION

(300 seeds minimum)

This Tuscan heirloom has long red bottle-shaped bulbs with an excellent mild-sweet flavour, so is particularly suited for use raw in salads. Can either be pulled young as spring onions or allowed to mature for August cropping.



EDEN'S GEM

£1.75 MELON

(10 seeds minimum)

This early variety has small, cricket-ball-sized fruits of a pound or more, with a complex spicy flavour, green flesh, and a heavily netted skin. Amy Goldman, author of 'Melons for the Passionate Grower', says this variety 'may cause drooling!'



RED BRUNSWICK

£1.55 ONION

(300 seeds minimum)

A medium to large German variety of dark red onion with blood-red skin and white, spicy flesh with a flattened top that stores very well. It is best planted in spring, harvested in autumn and doesn't mind being planted closely together.



PETIT GRIS DE RENNES

£1.95 MELON

(10 seeds minimum)

A 17th century French strain originally from the garden of the Bishop of Rennes. An early variety which is well adapted to cooler climates. The fruit are smooth-skinned with slight ribbing and weigh about 2 lbs. The orange flesh has a superb flavour and delightful scent.



HARRIS MODEL PARSNIP

£1.55 PARSNIP

(500 seeds minimum)

This pure white parsnip with fine-grained flesh and no side roots has a sweet nut-like flavour and can be boiled, fried or sauteed in butter. It can also be left in the ground all winter without protection for spring use as freezing greatly improves the flavour.



PLUM GRANNY

£1.75 MELON

(10 seeds minimum)

Sometimes also known as Queen Anne's Pocket Melon, this very fragrant white-fleshed, long-established heirloom variety has quite small apple-sized fruits with an attractive yellow and orange-red striped skin.



TENDER AND TRUE

£1.55 PARSNIP

(500 seeds minimum)

First introduced in 1897 this parsnip, with a good resistance to canker, has long, tapered, smooth-skinned roots from a broad 3" shoulder. The flesh is fine-grained and sweet-tasting with very little core.



AILSAL CRAIG

£1.60 ONION

(300 seeds minimum)

This traditional favourite, named after a small island off the Scottish coast, has a distinctive globe shape with straw coloured skin and white flesh. The bulbs can grow very large and be used for exhibition, while their tolerance to cool weather makes them very reliable.



CANOE

£1.80 PEA

(200 seeds minimum)

This second-early/maincrop produces a fine harvest of slightly curved, boat-shaped pods, which give the variety its name, which are absolutely crammed full of sweet flavoured peas. The plants grow to 30 inches and are semi-leafless making picking easy.



GREENSHAFT (HURST)

£1.60 PEA

If you're going to sow only one pea, it should be 'Hurst Green Shaft'. A sweet-tasting, wrinkle-seeded, tall, super heavy-yielding variety, with long, 4-5 inch pods, with 9-11 peas in a pod, and double podded too, and it even resists downy mildew and fusarium wilt.

(200 seeds minimum)



LINCOLN

£1.50 PEA

A compact, heavy-yielding maincrop which stands the heat better than most and also resists wilt. The plants produce 6-9 sweetly flavoured peas in dark green curved pods and are Great for follow-on sowings, producing peas until September.

(250 seeds minimum)



OREGON SUGAR POD

£1.80 PEA

An award-winning mange-tout sugar pea which produces pods in clusters of two rather than the usual one. Consequently, a very heavy yielding variety with good disease resistance. The sweet, crunchy pods are ideal for use in stir-fries.

(150 seeds minimum)



ALMA PAPRIKA

£1.85 PEPPER

Extremely productive plants are loaded with small, rounded, thick-walled peppers, ripening from creamy-white to red, and with a mild flavour that is a wonderful combination of slightly warm but sweet and tangy. (Heat-1)

(25 seeds minimum)



GOLDEN MARCONI

£1.85 PEPPER

A late, golden-orange, lobed, Italian traditional pepper. These typically grow to 7" in length and their flesh is sweet and mild. Can be eaten fresh or fried. (Heat-0)

(25 seeds minimum)



JIMMY NARDELLO'S

£2.25 PEPPER

Producing 25-35cm fruits, which are sweet and light when eaten raw, this lovely variety is also considered one of the very best sweet peppers for frying, and is still registered as 'endangered' on the USA Slow Food Ark of Tastes. (Heat-0)

(10 seeds minimum)



RED PADRON

£2.25 PEPPER

Pick these small conical fruits, with a long curled pedicle, small and green for low levels of heat, as the heat increases as the fruits get larger and redder. Play Spanish Roulette! Every batch of 10 or so peppers contains a hot one! (Heat-3) (but watch the odd one!)

(20 seeds minimum)



SCOTCH BONNET - RED

£1.95 Pepper

Named for its resemblance to the Scottish Tam o'Shanter hat, this one is really very, very hot and tastes best fresh, but can also be frozen or pickled or even put in olive oil very successfully. They are especially useful in hot sauces and condiments.

(20 seeds minimum)



SWEET CHOCOLATE

£1.85 PEPPER

This uniquely-coloured, early-fruiting, sweet and delicious mild-flavoured pepper has thick-walled red flesh, and when ripe turns a gorgeous chocolate-brown on the outside. Ideal for Northern gardeners. (Heat-0)

(25 seeds minimum)



ATLANTIC GIANT

£1.50 PUMPKIN

Giant pinky-yellow pumpkins which have been developed over the years to grow to produce the maximum sized fruit of any plant. Although grown primarily for competition, the dark flesh of the mature pumpkin is tasty enough when used as pie filling.

(10 seeds minimum)



JAUNE GROS DE PARIS

£1.95 PUMPKIN

(10 seeds minimum)

These beautiful giant pumpkins can grow to over 100 lbs and are supposedly the ancestor of most of the really big pumpkins. These good keepers are round, flattened, and have light ribbing. An American grower reports having had no pests attack the vines, and no wilt either!



KING OF MAMMOTH

£1.50 PUMPKIN

(10 seeds minimum)

As its name suggests these heirloom pumpkins are very large. They often grow to between 40-100lbs although prize specimens have topped 200lb. Excellent in pies due to great yield. Skin is yellow with mottled patches of pink-orange.



WEE BEE LITTLE F1

£1.90 PUMPKIN

(10 seeds minimum)

This sweet-fleshed, new, incredibly diminutive pumpkin, was specially bred to be ideal for individual servings. You can also make lots and lots of mini Halloween heads with these!



BLACK SPANISH ROUND

£1.55 RADISH

(250 seeds minimum)

A sweet and mild, very hardy winter radish with snowy-white succulent flesh and a near black skin which lacks the fieriness found so often in summer varieties. It has probably been grown since at least the 16th Century.



GERMAN GIANT

£1.45 RADISH

(150 seeds minimum)

Very large, round red radish that was collected in Germany. These keep their fine quality even when large. This heirloom is very popular with the Amish. Mild and tasty and grows to maturity in four weeks.



PINK SLIPPER

£1.60 RADISH

(250 seeds minimum)

This variety produces very pretty, blush-pink, oval-shaped radishes, which when cut open reveal white crunchy flesh. The mild taste is far less peppery than some other varieties, making them a perfect addition to all salads.



WATERMELON

£1.70 RADISH

(150 seeds minimum)

A large, sweet heirloom Chinese Daikon radish which is white outside with green shoulders, whilst the inside is red giving a stylish gourmet presentation when sliced. Also called "red meat" radish, but can safely be eaten by vegetarians!



VICTORIA

£1.95 Rhubarb

(50 seeds minimum)

The gold standard by which to judge good rhubarb, with large, fat stems, bright red skin, lack of stringiness, and an apple-gooseberry flavor with a hint of lemon or grapefruit. This famous heirloom was bred in the 1830's by Joseph Myatt of Manor Farm in Deptford, England.



STRAWBERRY 'TEMPTATION' F1

£2.55 Rosaceae

(30 seeds minimum)

An excellent 'sweetheart' variety producing dark red sweet-tasting fruit on compact dark green plants. This variety is almost runner-less so is ideal for use in hanging baskets, grow bags or patio containers.



DESIREE

£1.70 RUNNER BEAN

(25 seeds minimum)

This favourite, white flowered, few white-seeded, totally stringless-runner bean has long, tender, broad pods up to 30cm long, and will bear very heavy crops, even from a small area, and especially in dry conditions. A superb vegetable!



ENORMA

£1.65 RUNNER BEAN

(25 seeds minimum)

An early cropping variety of runner bean giving a high yield of very long, smooth, slender beans, up to 20 inches long, of excellent shape and colour. The brilliant red flowers are an added bonus.

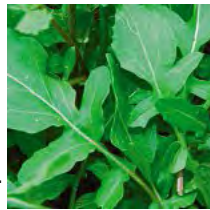


SALAD ROCKET

£1.45 SALAD LEAF

(1000 seeds minimum)

This quick-growing, deeply-notched leaf (also called Cultivated Rocket) is becoming a firm favourite either for salad use or cooked, when it makes a good spinach substitute. With a delicious nutty, peppery taste it is ideal for window-sill or garden.



LADY DI

£1.70 RUNNER BEAN

(25 seeds minimum)

These superb long, slim and fleshy runner beans tolerates heat well and are completely string-less. They give a heavy crop of tender delicious dark green pods over a very long season and received the RHS 1999 Award of Garden Merit.



WILD ROCKET

£1.45 SALAD LEAF

(1000 seeds minimum)

Spice up your salads with wild rocket, with deep green, serrated foliage which has the same distinctive flavour as its standard namesake but is more intense. Wild Rocket is perfect for 'cut and come again', growing right through the year with protection.



PAINTED LADY

£1.60 RUNNER BEAN

(25 seeds minimum)

An ancient Heirloom English variety of runner bean dating back to the 17th century with attractive bi-coloured red and white flowers. Compact plants produce tender pods best picked young for fresh flavour.



HUCKLEBERRY

£1.95 SOLANACEAE

(25 seeds minimum)

Unlike blueberries or wonderberries, this easy-to-grow berry is best cooked, although some people do eat them when they are fully ripe and soft, but a real culinary miracle occurs when you cook and sweeten them! Americans traditionally use them for pies and jams.



SCARLET EMPEROR

£1.75 RUNNER BEAN

(25 seeds minimum)

A popular, good-yielding, old favourite English runner bean with striking red blossom and large pods which contain deep purple beans speckled with red or lavender when mature.



WILD TOMATO

£2.55 Solanaceae

(20 seeds minimum)

This rare plant, the "Currant Tomato", bears masses of small, sweet, red fruits, which ripen over a long period in midsummer. Highly disease-resistant, it is native to high places in the tropics of Ecuador and Peru and also the Galapagos Islands.



WHITE LADY

£1.70 RUNNER BEAN

(25 seeds minimum)

These heavy-cropping runner beans set better than any other at high temperatures, giving long, smooth, succulent, string-less, mid green pods hanging in clusters. The pure white flowers, (giving white beans) are rarely picked by birds.



BLOOMSDALE SAVOY

£1.75 SPINACH

(300 seeds minimum)

These large, dark, glossy green and very crinkled leaves are excellent in salads, soufflés, stuffing or as a cooked green. There is a very good chance that when you purchase the best fresh spinach it is Bloomsdale Long Standing spinach.



NEW ZEALAND SPINACH

£1.80 SPINACH

(50 seeds minimum)

Vitamin-filled New Zealand spinach is milder tasting than its distant relation 'true spinach' and does not bolt in dry soils, making a triangular-leaved bush spreading 2-3 feet in all directions. (Discovered by Captain Cook in the 18th century!)



WHITE LISBON WINTER HARDY

£1.50 SPRING ONION

(500 seeds minimum)

This quick-growing, award-winning salad onion produces crisp succulent stems with a characteristic 'bite' to them. Seed can be sown in succession for a continuous crop all spring, summer and autumn.



BABY BLUE

£1.90 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

This cross between a buttercup squash and the Blue Hubbard has smooth, grey-blue skin and sweeter orange flesh than the standard Blue Hubbard. More marketable and high yielding, this scaled-down 5-7 pound squash tastes wonderful baked or roasted.



BLACK FOREST

£1.95 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

This dark green, flat-round, kabocha type winter squash, averages 3-4 lb and has deep orange flesh which is medium dry and sweet. It is popular for its strong yet sweet, moist, fluffy texture, which bears a remarkable resemblance to chestnuts.



BLACK FUTSU

£1.95 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

A rare black Japanese squash. The fruit are round with a flattened top and have heavy ribbing. The black of the mature fruit turns a rich chestnut colour while in storage. The flesh is golden and has the rich taste of hazelnuts.



CORNELL'S DELICATA

£1.65 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

These very pretty, elongated white and green striped, dwarf fruit contain yellow flesh with a delicate and sumptuously nutty flavour, rich in vitamin A. This award winning compact Cornell strain gives excellent yields and has good disease resistance.



POTIMARRON

£1.65 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

A French Heirloom winter squash with a delicate chestnut flavour. Its French name in fact derives from potiron (pumpkin) and marron (chestnut). Apparently, the longer it is stored the higher its sugar and vitamins increase. (AKA Hokkaido Squash).



QUEENSLAND BLUE

£1.65 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

A good-keeping, turban-shaped Australian gunmetal-grey winter squash with a fine deep golden flesh that is both sweet and fine flavoured and packed with vitamin A. The high sugar content of the flesh makes it ideal for pumpkin pie.



SIBLEY

£1.90 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

This Hubbard type squash grows vigorous 5 metre vines, bearing slate-blue, teardrop-shaped fruits with very shallow ribs weighing around 5 kilos. An excellent storage squash, its thick orange flesh is flavourful and sweet, becoming becomes drier and richer with storage.



SILVER EDGED

£1.90 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

An unusual plant which is grown almost exclusively for the spectacular large and tasty, silver edged seeds, which are delicious when roasted and are easily removed from their hulls. The attractive white fruits, with rather unpalatable flesh, have green mottled stripes.



VEGETABLE SPAGHETTI

£1.75 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

When cooked, the flesh of this Chinese vegetable, (actually a winter squash), falls away from the fruit in ribbons and strands, just like spaghetti for which it makes a perfect substitute in countless cooking roles. It contains folic acid, vitamin A and beta carotene.



WALTHAM BUTTERNUT

£1.90 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

'Waltham' is an improved earlier version of the common Butternut squash with very little seed cavity which stores very well too. The rich nutty-flavoured, orange flesh stays firm when cooked. Nothing beats the rich, sweet flavour of winter squash.



WHITE SCALLOP

£1.60 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

A Patty Pan heirloom summer squash. First grown by the native Americans and depicted by European settlers as far back as 1591. It remains one of the best tasting and yielding varieties around today! Great fried and baked. Very attractive flat fruit with scalloped edges.



YELLOW SCALLOP

£1.75 SQUASH

(10 seeds minimum)

Yellow Bush Scallop Squash is an extremely hardy, old summer squash variety that was introduced prior to 1860. It produces an abundance of golden-yellow squash on compact plants over a longer season than other varieties. (AKA Golden Custard).



EARLBIRD F1

£1.95 SWEETCORN

(40 seeds minimum)

Earlbird is an excellent, early-maturing, super-sweet hybrid, early variety producing 3 or more high-quality cobs, typically 8" in length. Along with Swift, this is probably the best variety to grow in most UK situations.



INDIAN SUMMER F1

£1.95 SWEETCORN

(40 seeds minimum)

'Indian Summer' is a modern supersweet variety of an old favourite. As the season progresses and the ear matures, the cob turns into a kaleidoscope of white, red, brown, yellow and purple kernels, which slowly deepen in colour.



TOMATILLO VERDE

£1.55 TOMATILLO

(25 seeds minimum)

The half inch diameter, husk enclosed fruits, can be eaten raw in salads, or be made into chutneys, but generally are used to make authentic Mexican green salsa, and picked when the husks turn brown and begin to open. If left they become sweeter and good for eating raw.



GOLDEN BALL

£1.55 TURNIP

(300 seeds minimum)

Very hardy, dwarf, compact plants produce round roots with tender, yellow, mild-flavoured flesh and with outstanding keeping and exhibition qualities. This is the best of the main crops, and is recommended by the National Institute of Agricultural Botany.



MANCHESTER MARKET

£1.55 TURNIP

(300 seeds minimum)

Also known as Green Top Stone, this high yielding, hardy variety produces a heavy crop of large cream-white rounded turnips with a delicate flavour. They are easy to grow, store well in winter and can be planted late and then eaten throughout winter and spring.



PURPLE TOP MILAN

£1.45 TURNIP

(300 seeds minimum)

A 19th century Italian heirloom which is quick maturing and well suited for cooler climes. The medium-sized roots, with a sweet and mild flavour are very flat with a bright purple top and a white base below soil level, and store well.





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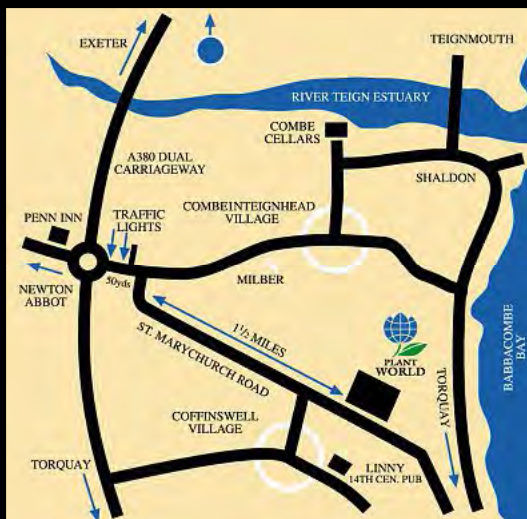
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