

Perennials



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A note about reading the plant listings

Size: Throughout the catalog, you can assume the plants are roughly the same width as the height shown unless noted otherwise.

Flowers and leaves: You can assume leaves are green and flowers are single and scentless unless noted otherwise.

Hardiness: We don't list USDA hardiness zones because in our experience they can be misleading. Read the full explanation at www.FriendsSchoolPlantSale.com/zones.

However, if the catalog says a perennial "needs winter protection" or "winter mulch recommended," that means it's less likely to be hardy here, though we know gardeners who grow it successfully. If the text says "very hardy," that means the plant is known to be hardy north of the Twin Cities. If a plant has five stars ★★★★★ it is highly rated for success in the book *Growing Perennials in Cold Climates*.

If you have questions about a particular plant, stop by the Info Desk under the big ramp outside in front of the Grandstand.

P001 **Anemone, Cutleaf** 🍷

Anemone multifida rubra

Hot pink flowers and lacy foliage. Blooms June–August. 8–12" h ○●☺☺ \$3.00—2.5" pot

Anemone, Japanese *Anemone*

Charming flowers with gold centers. Prefers light shade and moist, well-drained soil. ○●☺

\$12.00—4.5" pot:

P002 **Curtain Call Deep Rose** *A. hupehensis*—Double rosy pink flowers in late August and September. 14–18" h

P003 **September Charm** *A. japonica hupehensis*—Warm pink flowers for over a month in September and October. 24–48" h

P004 **Wild Swan** *A. rupicola*—White 3" flowers with lilac-blue bands on the reverse, prominent since the flowers close each evening. Selected in Scotland. Blooms abundantly from late spring until frost. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. 20" h by 16" w 🍷

P005 **Anemone, Snowdrop** 🍷 **NEW**

Anemone sylvestris Madonna

Fragrant 2–3" flowers with five white petals and yellow centers in spring. May rebloom in fall. Woolly seed heads. Deer- and rabbit-resistant, salt-tolerant. Good naturalizer. 9–12" h ○●☺ \$3.00—2.5" pot

See more ANEMONE, page 52

P006 **Angelica, Korean** *Angelica gigas*

Architectural and dramatic, with huge, bold leaves, and flowers in large, domed clusters. Buds, flowers, and stems become increasingly purple. Blooms mid- to late summer. Biennial or short-lived perennial; self-seeds freely. 48–72" h ○●🍷 \$3.00—2.5" pot

Astilbe *Astilbe*

Grown for its upright plumes of tiny flowers in summer. Deadhead for rebloom. For gardens or woodland in moist soil. ○●

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P007 **Astary Mix** *A. x arendsii* 🍷—Fluffy rose or white plumes in late spring and early summer. 12" h

P008 **Astary Rose** *A. x arendsii* 🍷—Dark pink. 12" h

P009 **Pumila** *A. chinensis*—Lilac to rose flowers on dwarf plant bloom July–September. 9–12" h

\$5.00—3.5" pot:

P010 **Bridal Veil** *A. x arendsii* 🍷—Elegant white flowers. **** 36" h

\$9.00—4.5" pot:

P011 **Color Flash** *A. x arendsii* 🍷—Leaf color changes from green to burgundy to purple to gold. Light pink flowers in early summer. 12–18" h 🍷

P012 **Deutschland** *A. japonica*—White flowers. 18–24" h

P013 **Fanal Red** *A. x arendsii*—Deep red flowers. Bronze foliage. **** 36" h

P014 **Maggie Daley** *A. chinensis* **NEW** 🍷—Raspberry pink to magenta flowers along burgundy stems in mid- to late summer. Glossy dark green leaves. A robust hybrid that tolerates drier soil. 28" h

\$12.00—4.5" pot:

P015 **Chocolate Shogun** *A. thunbergii* 🍷—Dramatic near-black glossy foliage. Pale pink plumes. 18–24" h 🍷

P016 **Look at Me** *A. chinensis* 🍷—Packed with small light pink flowers on red stems, the effect is like a fuzzy, blooming candy cane. 16" h

P017 **Mighty Chocolate Cherry** *A. chinensis* 🍷—Giant with hot reddish pink flowers and dark burgundy stems and leaves. Wow. 36–48" h

P018 **Mighty Red Quin** 🍷—Bushy bright red plumes tower over foliage that emerges bronze. 48" h 🍷

Astilbe continued

\$12.00—4.5" pot (continued):

P019 **Montgomery** 🍷—Deep red to scarlet flowers with dark red-bronze glossy foliage changing to green in the spring. Tolerates full shade. **** 20–24" h

P020 **Straussenfeder (Ostrich Plume)** *A. thunbergii* 🍷—Salmon-pink flowers in an open feathery arrangement. 36" h by 24" w

Avens *Geum*

Bright, dainty flowers start to bloom in late spring or early summer on wiry stems above attractive mounds of fuzzy foliage. Give it well-drained soil, including in winter. ○

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P021 **Double Bloody Mary** *G. flora plena* 🍷—Clusters of large, double burgundy red flowers in summer. 14" h ☺

\$4.00—3.5" pot:

P022 **Queen of Orange** *G. x borisii* **NEW** 🍷—Semi-double orange flowers resemble little roses. 14" h 🍷

\$13.00—4.5" pot:

P023 **Pretticoats Peach** 🍷—Ruffled peach and yellow semi-double with coral edges. Dark red stems. Reblooms. 10–12" h by 20" w

P024 **Tempo Rose** 🍷—Semi-double, up-facing rose-pink flowers on dark stems. 16–20" h 🍷

P025 **Bachelor's Buttons** 🍷

Centaurea montana Mountain Bluets

Pale purple-blue flowers May–June. Hardy, long-blooming, and durable perennial. Delicate, finely fringed flowers. Petals are edible. Will rebloom in late summer if sheared back. 12–24" h by 12" w ○●🍷🍷 \$3.00—2.5" pot

Balloon Flower *Platycodon grandiflorus*

Large, inflated buds open into starry, bell-shaped flowers mid- to late summer. Emerges late so mark its location. Easy and deer-resistant. ○●

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P026 **Astra Blue** 🍷—Dwarf with 1.5" blue flowers.

Long-blooming. **** 4–8" h ☺

P027 **Fuji Pink** 🍷—Light pink. 24" h

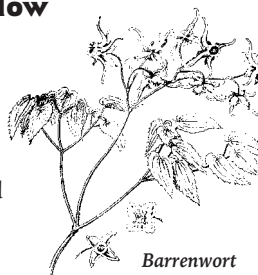
P028 **Hakone Double Blue**—Fully double bright blue-violet flowers. **** 24" h

P029 **Barrenwort, Yellow**

Epimedium x versicolor

Sulphureum 🍷

Bicolor 1" flowers with yellow petals above cream sepals, on red stems in early spring. Leaves are tinged red in the spring and fall with prominent light green veins. Dainty flowers are held in open sprays above heart-shaped leaves. Good for dry shade, with leaves that appear to float on wiry stems. Makes a nice carpet that suppresses weeds under trees. Shelter from cold, dry winds. Pruning the old semi-evergreen leaves in early spring will allow the flowers to show clearly. 9–12" h by 18" w ○●🍷☺ \$13.00—4.5" pot



Barrenwort

Beardtongue *Penstemon*

Spikes of fragrant flowers in early summer. Drought-tolerant and makes a good cut flower. See also the native beardtongue. The whole plant is a third the size of the Minnesota native beardtongues. ○●

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P030 **Miniature Bells** *P. x mexicali* 🍷—Mix of pink, rose, and purple flowers. 15" h 🍷🍷☺

Beardtongue continued

\$7.00—4.5" pot:

P031 **Pinacolada Blue Shades** **NEW** 🍷—Colors vary from blue to purple to pink. Blooms profusely. Cutting back will extend blooming throughout summer. 8–12" h by 6–8" w

See more BEARDTONGUE, page 52

Bee Balm *Monarda didyma*

Large flower heads in July and August. Best in sun with enough space between plants for good air circulation. Mint family; aromatic leaves are good for tea. Remove spent flowers to prolong blooming. Deer-resistant. ○●🍷🍷

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P032 **Bubblegum Blast**—Fragrant, shaggy deep pink flowers on a fast-growing cultivar. Mildew-resistant. 20–24" h

P033 **Jacob Cline** 🍷—Cultivar with the best red flowers. **** 48" h ☺🍷

P034 **Panorama Red Shades** 🍷—Strong red selection. 30" h ☺🍷

\$6.00—4.5" pot:

P035 **Raspberry Wine** 🍷—Cultivar with burgundy and fuchsia flowers. **** 24–36" h ☺🍷

\$8.00—4.5" pot:

P036 **Balmy Rose** 🍷—Large, mophead pink flowers. Neat, compact cultivar. 10–12" h by 24–36" w 🍷

P037 **Bee-You Bee Pretty** 🍷—New selection with purple-blue flowers and light gray centers. Compact and highly mildew-resistant cultivar. 15–18" h

P038 **Bee-You Bee True** 🍷—Raspberry-magenta flowers with dark centers on bushy plants. Highly mildew-resistant cultivar. 12–15" h 🍷

\$10.00—4.5" pot:

P039 **Grape Gumball** 🍷—Dome of vibrant magenta-purple 2" flowers. Notable resistance to powdery mildew. 20–24" h

P040 **Bee Balm, Bradbury's** *Monarda* Prairie Gypsy

Clusters of 3" fragrant dark magenta floral tubes. Each flower head rests on a whorl of showy, purplish, leafy bracts in May and June. The aromatic gray-green leaves may be used in teas. 18–24" h ○●🍷🍷☺🍷 \$4.00—2.5" pot

See also BEE BALM and BERGAMOT, page 52

P041 **Bellflower, Carpathian** 🍷 *Campanula carpatica* Blue Clips

Dainty and long-blooming. Excellent edging plant. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. **** 8" h ○●🍷☺ \$3.00—2.5" pot

P042 **Bellflower, Clustered** *Campanula glomerata* Joan Elliott

Violet flowers on strong burgundy stems. Large clusters of bell-shaped flowers perch above dense, mounding foliage. Blooming begins June and continues in abundance throughout the summer. When happy, it spreads to form tidy patches, but doesn't spread aggressively. Deer-resistant and durable. 18–20" h ○●🍷🍷 \$8.00—1 quart pot

P043 **Bellflower, Serbian** 🍷 *Campanula poscharskyana* Bellflower, Serbian

Light lavender-blue, star-shaped flowers on trailing plants. Blooms in summer. Drought-resistant. Spreads by underground runners. 4–8" h ○●🍷☺ \$3.00—2.5" pot

See also the native BELLFLOWER, page 52

P044 **Betony** 🍷 *Stachys officinalis* Hummelo

Bottlebrush spikes of densely packed purple-pink tubular flowers in July. Attractive mound of crinkled foliage. Awarded the top rating in the Chicago Botanic Garden trials. Long-lasting as cut flowers. Deer-resistant. 18–24" h ○●🍷☺☺ \$6.00—4.5" pot

See more BETONY, page 41

Black-Eyed Susan *Rudbeckia*

Blooms summer and fall. Drought-tolerant and easy. ○●🍷☺

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P045 **Goldsturm** *R. fulgida* 🍷—Deep yellow daisies with soot-black cones. Performs well. Spreads. **** 24" h

\$8.00—1 quart pot:

P046 **Herbstsonne** *R. nitida*—Bright yellow 5" flowers in fall. Spectacularly tall plant that does not need staking. 72–96" h by 24–36" w

See more BLACK-EYED SUSANS, page 52

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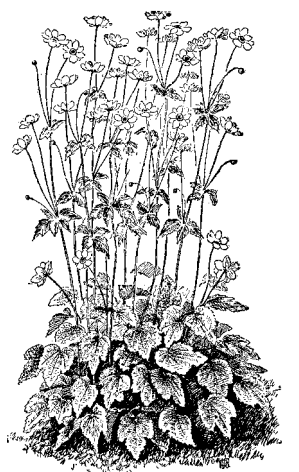
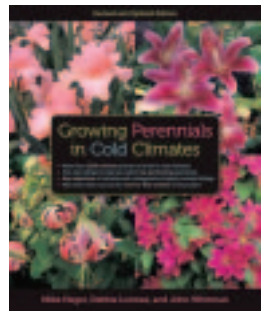
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About those stars...

Throughout, you will notice plants that are marked with five stars (★★★★★). These plants have been awarded five stars by Heger, Lonnee, and Whitman in the 2011 edition of *Growing Perennials in Cold Climates* as some of the very best plants available on the market.



Japanese anemone

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Blackberry lily

P047 **Blackberry Lily** *Iris domestica* 🌿
Speckled orange starry 1.5" flowers with pointed petals on tall, mostly bare stems. Blooms in August. When each flower is done, it twists itself into a cute little spiral (if only daylilies would do that!). Sword-shaped leaves. Clusters of shiny seeds look like blackberries. May self-seed. Formerly *Belamcanda chinensis*. 36–48" h ○ ○ ☹️ **\$3.00—2.5" pot**

Blazing Star, Dense *Liatris spicata*
Long flower spikes. Seeds eaten by birds. Best in groups. Drought-tolerant, but loves water, too. ○ ○ 🌿 🦋 ☹️

\$3.00—10 bulbs:
P048 **Purple**—24–36" h by 12–18" w

\$3.00—7 bulbs:
P049 **Floristan White** *L. spicata*—24–36" h by 16–20" w

\$4.00—4 bulbs:
P050 **Kobold** *L. spicata*—Violet flowers on compact plants. **** 18–24" h by 6–12" w

See also the native **BLAZING STARS**, page 52

P051 **Bleeding Heart, Everblooming** *Dicentra Ivory Hearts*

White elongated flowers. Lovely, fine-cut foliage all summer. Compact and stays neat. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. 10–12" h ○ ○ 🌿 🦋 ☹️ **\$8.00—bareroot**

Bleeding Heart, Fringed *Dicentra*
Small hearts dangle along arched stems. Gray-green ferny foliage. Prefers light soil. At home around rocks or ledges. Dislikes hot, dry locations. Will slowly naturalize in woodland areas. ○ 🌿 ☹️

\$3.00—2.5" pot:
P052 **Pink** *D. eximia* 🌿—Rose-pink to red-purple flowers from late spring to fall. Tolerant of heat and sun. Native to the Eastern U.S. 12–18" h

\$8.00—4.5" pot:
P053 **Luxuriant Red** *D. eximia x formosa* 🌿—Red flowers from mid-spring to midsummer. **** 12" h by 18" w

Bleeding Heart, Old-Fashioned *Dicentra spectabilis*

Each spring, long arching sprays are loaded with dozens of heart-shaped flowers with drooping inner petals. Prefers compost-rich soil and part shade. May become dormant in summer. Syn. *Lamprocapnos spectabilis* ○ ○ 🌿 ☹️

\$3.00—bareroot:
P054 **Pink**—The classic. Root grows a blooming size plant this spring; watch eager sprouts push up through the soil. **** 24" h

\$4.00—bareroot:
P055 **White** *D. spectabilis alba*—Exquisite white blossoms. **** 24" h

\$12.00—4.5" pot:
P056 **Valentine**—Cherry-red hearts on burgundy stems. Foliage turns from plum to gray-green. 24–30" h

\$14.00—4.5" pot:
P057 **Gold Heart** 🌿—Peach-colored stems with bright gold leaves and deep pink flowers. **** 24–36" h

P058 **Bleeding Heart, Yellow** *Pseudofumaria lutea*

Charming, tubular flowers like tiny yellow fish darting around the delicate blue-green foliage. Lovely along rock walls and paths. Blooms until frost. Short-lived perennial that self-seeds nicely. Syn. *Corydalis lutea*. 12" h ○ ○ ☹️ **\$3.00—2.5" pot**

Bluestar *Amsonia hubrichtii*
Scores of star-shaped light blue flowers in early spring. But the real show comes in fall when the willow-like foliage turns gold. Drought-tolerant and deer-resistant. ○ ○ 🌿 ☹️

\$3.00—2.5" pot:
P059 **Threadleaf Bluestar** *A. hubrichtii*—Delicate, feathery appearance. Clump-forming Midwest native. 36" h

\$8.00—4.5" pot:
P060 **Butterscotch**—Electrifying gold-yellow fall color on dark red stems. 30–36" h

P061 **Bowman's Root** *Porteranthus trifolius*

Star-shaped one-inch white flowers with burgundy stems float over the plant for an ethereal effect in the garden. Blooms early to midsummer. Red fall color. Good cut flowers; moist soil. Does not like being transplanted. Syn. *Gillenia*. 24–36" h ○ ○ 🌿 🦋 **\$4.00—2.5" pot**

Bugleweed *Ajuga*

Excellent shade-loving ground cover. Blue flowers in late spring and early summer. Large areas can actually be mowed or cut with a string trimmer to refresh the foliage. Tolerant of poor soils, but does prefer moisture. ○ ○ 🌿 🦋 ☹️

\$5.00—4 plants in a pack:
P062 **Mahogany** *A. reptans* 🌿—Lush black-burgundy leaves. 4–8" h

\$6.00—4.5" pot:
P063 **Feathered Friends Cordial Canary** **NEW**—Bugleweed has an exciting new look. The Feathered Friends series has small, overlapping leaves in a variety of shapes and colors. The bright chartreuse of this variety's spoon-shaped leaves is the perfect background for spikes of purplish blue flowers. Vigorous. 4" h by 18" w

P064 **Feathered Friends Fancy Finch** **NEW**—Narrow leaves are copper, reddish green, and greenish gold. Tousled clumps will stay tidy under large-leaved shade plants or bushy sun plants. More orange in sun, all three colors appear in a bit more shade. 4" h by 18" w

P065 **Feathered Friends Noble Nightingale** **NEW**—Leaves emerge dark green and turn shiny purple. A nice contrast planted around hostas or daylilies. 4" h by 18" w

P066 **Feathered Friends Parrot Paradise** **NEW**—Oval leaves are yellow, orange, and red. They have crinkled surfaces and slightly lobed and wavy edges. Forms a tight cluster. 6" h by 24" w

\$12.00—6 plants in a pack:
P067 **Black Scallop** *A. reptans* 🌿—Large purple-black leaves show off blue flower spikes. Darkest in more sun, it's a great addition to a black-themed garden or combined with silver or chartreuse foliage. 3–6" h by 36" w

P068 **Princess Nadia** *A. tenorei* **NEW** 🌿—Mat of rosettes that resembles a creeping stonecrop until the flower spikes bloom blue. Oval leaves emerge purplish pink and turn light bluish green with creamy margins. Tiny leaves are layered in among the flowers going up the stems. 6–8" h by 12–24" w

\$11.00—1 quart pot

P069 **Bush Clover, Weeping** *Lespedeza thunbergii* Samindare

Spectacular, arching branches of fine leaves loaded with orchid-like magenta-pink flowers in late summer, continuing into fall. Great for cascading over a wall. An easy-care nitrogen-fixer. Becomes quite woody. 36–60" h ○ 🌿 ☹️

P070 **Candy Lily** *Iris x norrisii* Dazzler

Dwarf plants with 2" flowers that may be solid colors, speckled, or striped. Outstanding cross of the vesper iris and blackberry lily, with iris-like leaves and open-faced, six-petaled flowers. The appeal is the wide color range of oranges, yellows, pinks, and purples. Blooms July–September. Formerly *Pardancanda*. 16" h ○ ☹️ **\$3.00—2.5" pot**

P071 **Catchfly, Royal** *Silene regia* 🌿

Star-shaped red 2" flowers grow along tall stems above the foliage in mid- to late summer. Common name refers to the sticky substance on the bud case at the base of the flower. Native to the central Midwest. 36–48" h by 12–18" w ○ ○ 🌿 🦋 🐦 **\$7.00—4.5" pot**

Catmint *Nepeta*

Finely textured gray-green aromatic foliage on tough, unfussy plants. Great for pollinators. Drought-tolerant once established. ○ ○ 🌿 🦋 ☹️

\$3.00—2.5" pot:
P072 **Blue Carpet** *N. nervosa* 🌿—Crinkled leaves and purple-blue flower spikes summer to fall. Bluest of all the catmints. Clump-forming. 10–16" h

P073 **Junior Walker**—Enduring lavender-blue flowers. Will not reseed, and one-third the size of Walker's Low. 18" h

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

Catmint continued
\$8.00—4.5" pot:
P074 **Neptune** *N. kubanica* 🌿—Spires of light purple flowers, larger than those of other catmints above arrow-shaped leaves with serrated edges. A mounded and tidy plant, great for garden edges or in pots. With deadheading, will bloom June–September. 12" h by 10" w 🐦

P075 **Purrsian Blue** *N. faassenii* 🌿—Periwinkle blue flowers with deep purple bud cases. May double in width in its second year. Perfect to edge or underplant a rose. Felines enjoy it as much as catnip. 12–18" h

Catmint, Lesser *Calamintha*

Small, fragrant leaves on a clump-forming plant. Easy-care, drought-tolerant, and deer-resistant. Pollinators love it. ○ 🌿 🦋

\$8.00—4.5" pot:
P076 **Marvelette Blue** *C. nepeta* 🌿—Spikes of early-blooming lavender-blue trumpets. Reliable rebloomer when cut back midsummer. 6–8" h

P077 **Montrose White** *C. nepeta*—White flowers that turn light lavender. 24" h by 30" w

Clematis, Bush *Clematis integrifolia*

Lavender flowers with a prominent cream center, followed by puffs of silvery brown seed heads. Smaller, non-climbing clematis that will grow through neighboring plants such as a rose bush or can be unobtrusively staked or supported by a tomato cage. ○ 🌿 🦋

\$18.00—1 gal. pot:
P078 **Arabella** 🌿—Flowers are open and out-facing, with four to six petals. A reliable bloomer from early summer to fall, its stems become woody and self-supporting as the plant matures. Use at the base of a trellis-grown vine that's become leggy or leave it to ramble. A low-maintenance clematis. Winner of Award of Merit from RHS. 36–60" h 🐦

P079 **Blue** 🌿—Flowers are nodding and down-facing with four curled-back, slightly twisted petals. Prune after its first summer bloom for rebloom. **** 24–36" h

For the climbing CLEMATIS, see page 44

P080 **Cohosh, Black** *Actaea racemosa*

Rosettes of swirling foliage and tall, candelabra-branching stems with pearl-like white buds that open to delicate flowers, attracting bees like crazy in late afternoon. Midwestern native. Syn. *Cimicifuga*. **** 60–84" h ○ ○ 🌿 🦋 ☹️ **\$9.00—1 quart pot**

Cohosh, Japanese *Actaea*

Long bottlebrush flowers light up the back of the garden. Lacy leaves. Strong sweet perfume. Blooms late summer to fall. Syn. *Cimicifuga*. ○ 🌿 ☹️

\$12.00—4.5" pot:
P081 **Brunette** *A. simplex* 🌿—Pink wands of flowers and purple to bronze dark foliage. 40" h

P082 **Chocaholic** 🌿—Bronzy, reddish purple foliage with spikes of mauve-pink flowers that age to white. 24–36" h

Columbine *Aquilegia*

Graceful flowers with an origami-like structure in spring to early summer. Airy, fan-shaped foliage. ○ ○ 🌿 ☹️

\$3.00—2.5" pot:
P083 **Black Barlow** *A. vulgaris* 🌿—Double, spurless purple-black flowers. 28" h

P084 **Early Bird Blue-White** **NEW** 🌿—Dome of loosely packed, up-facing 3" blue and white flowers with wispy yellow centers. Can take full sun, but color is best with some shade. 9–11" h 🐦

P085 **Leprechaun Gold** *A. vulgaris*—Variegated gold, chartreuse, and dark green foliage with spring spikes of violet flowers. Wonderful contrasted with dark foliage plants. **** 24–30" h ☹️

P086 **Songbird Goldfinch**—Lemon yellow. **** 30" h

P087 **Songbird Mix** 🌿—**** 24–30" h

\$6.00—4.5" pot:
P088 **Kirigami Deep Blue and White** 🌿—White and intense blue cups with spiky yellow centers. 14–24" h

P089 **Kirigami Red and White** 🌿—Up-facing 2–3" flowers have red outer petals with red and white inner petals. Yellow center. 14–24" h by 12–20" w 🐦

P090 **Kirigami Yellow** 🌿—Up-facing 2–3" flowers have very pale yellow outer petals with light yellow inner petals. Yellow center. 14–24" h by 12–20" w 🐦

\$7.00—4.5" pot:
P091 **Clementine Blue** *A. vulgaris* 🌿—Double blues. Blue-green foliage remains attractive. Excellent as cut flowers. **** 18–24" h

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Be sure to plant your bareroot daylilies soon after purchase.

Daylilies *Hemerocallis* ○●☞☞

Garden favorites whose abundant flowers each last one day. Very easy to grow. Vigorous but not invasive.

- P133 **Autumn Blush**—Fragrant yellow 6" flower with dappled bands of burgundy along the petal edges. Mid-season. 30"h \$4.00
- P134 **Bela Lugosi**—Deep reddish purple 6" flower with a yellow-green throat. Award-winning rebloomer with dramatic, sun-fast color. Mid-season. **** 33"h ☞ \$6.00
- P135 **Bettylen**—Deep purple 5" flower with frilly white margins and a green throat. Early mid-season bloom. Lightly fragrant. Tetraploid rebloomer. 20–24"h \$7.00
- P136 **Calico Jack**—Bright yellow 5.5" flower with ruffled plum edge, plum eye, and green throat. Early to mid-season. 28"h \$4.00
- P137 **Douglas Clark**—Silvery rose 6–7" flower with a distinct lemon throat and silver midribs. Mid-season with rebloom. 24–36"h \$5.00
- P138 **EDL Punch Yellow**—Yellow-striped orange petals alternate above yellow petals. 3" flower. Early with prolific rebloom. From the Dutch EveryDaylily series. 17"h \$5.00
- P139 **EDL Red Ribs**—Red petals with yellow edges, midrib, and flower center. 3" flowers. Early with prolific rebloom. 17"h \$5.00
- P140 **English Muffin**—Ruffled double bicolor in peach and yellow. Late-season. 36"h \$5.00
- P141 **Firestorm** (NEW)—Curled-back 8" red-orange blossoms with a gold throat and prominent central veins. Early mid-season. Fragrant. 24–36"h \$5.00
- P142 **Flameburst**—Red 6" flower with yellow-green throat. Extended bloom. Very late. 26"h \$5.00
- P143 **Flying Carpet**—Rose and ivory bicolor with a yellow throat. Fragrant 6" flower with extended bloom. Early mid-season rebloomer. Tetraploid. 24–36"h \$6.00
- P144 **Forsyth Yule Tide**—Fragrant red 6" flower with a broad yellow to green throat. Well-branched and reblooms. 40–45 buds. Midseason. 31"h \$4.00
- P145 **Fragrant Returns**—Lemon yellow 3" flower holds up into the evening. Sweet fragrance. Blooms early summer with rebloom. 17–19"h \$4.00
- P146 **Ice Carnival**—The closest thing to a white daylily, with slightly ruffled, near-white petals with a pale yellow watermark and lime green throat. The fragrant 5" flower actually sparkles as if sprinkled with diamond dust. Mid-season. Reblooms. 25–27"h \$5.00

- P147 **Isabel Maraffi**—Vibrant melon 6" flower is double with a yellow-green throat. Mid-season with rebloom. Fragrant. 32"h \$6.00
- P148 **Jekyll Island**—Pinkish red 6" flower with gold wavy edges, white midribs and a yellow throat. Fragrant, mid-season with repeat bloom. Tetraploid. 20"h \$7.00
- P149 **Justin Paul**—Peach 4.5" flower with a red eye and green throat. Curled-back petals. Fragrant rebloomer. Mid-season. 22"h \$5.00
- P150 **Land's End** (NEW)—Magenta 5" flower with a black-purple eye, green throat, and ruffled edges. Mid-season. 24"h \$5.00
- P151 **Laura Ingalls Wilder**—Lemon 4.5" flower. Early season. 28"h \$4.00
- P152 **Lavender Blue Baby**—Pinkish lavender 5.5" flower with a lavender blue eyezone and green throat. Early to mid-season with rebloom. Fragrant. Part of the Rainbow Rhythm series. 28"h \$12.00
- P153 **Lemon Hager**—Yellow 7" flower with greenish throat. Mid-season bloom. 36"h \$3.00
- P154 **Little Business**—Raspberry red 3" flower with a yellow-green throat. Multiple-award-winning, early mid-season rebloomer. 12–18"h \$4.00
- P155 **Little Fantastic**—Rose pink 3" flower with green throat. Early to mid-season. 20"h \$5.00
- P156 **Little Joe**—Rose-red 2.5" bloom with a green throat. Mid-season. 30"h \$4.00
- P157 **Maude's Valentine**—Light creamy pink 5" flower with lavender-pink midribs and blue-lavender to magenta halo. Very large green throat. Mid-season with rebloom. Fragrant. 32"h \$4.00
- P158 **Misty Lavender**—Lavender 6.5" flower with apple green throat. Early to mid-season bloom with rebloom. Very fragrant. 30"h \$4.00
- P159 **Moonlit Masquerade**—Creamy white 5.5" flower with a dark purple eye and picotee edge. Early to mid-season. **** 26"h ☞ \$5.00
- P160 **Moses' Fire**—Double red 6" flower with gold edges and a green throat. Mid-season with rebloom. 22"h \$5.00
- P161 **Night Beacon**—Dark black-purple 5" flowers with chartreuse centers. Blooms early mid-season. Reblooms. 24–36"h ☞ \$4.00
- P162 **Night Embers**—Bing cherry red 5" double flower with white edges and a green throat. Fragrant. Early to mid-season with rebloom. 30"h \$6.00
- P163 **Nosferatu** (NEW)—Ruffled, fragrant 6" purple-burgundy petals and a chartreuse throat. Pronounced purple veining adds texture. Vigorous. Blooms in July. 28"h \$10.00

- P164 **Notify Ground Crew**—Bright yellow 5" trumpets open in late afternoon and stay open through the next morning. Their unfussy look would work well with tall native plants. Slightly fragrant. Mid-season. 60–72"h ☞ \$4.00
- P165 **Pardon Me, Double**—Lightly ruffled 3.5" burgundy red with a yellow throat. Two or three times the usual number of petals. Midsummer rebloomer. 18"h \$5.00
- P166 **Persian Ruby** (NEW)—Impressive 7–8" flower with strong contrast between deep burgundy petals and a yellow-green throat. Mid-season. 24–36"h \$10.00
- P167 **Pink Peppermint**—Double peachy pink 7" flower. Late mid-season. 32"h \$4.00
- P168 **Pink Super Spider** (NEW)—Rosy pink 10" blossom with yellow-green throat, white central veins. Mid-season bloom. 30–36"h \$5.00
- P169 **Prairie Belle**—Coral pink 5" flower with darker pink veins, wide creamy edges, cream midribs, and a green-yellow throat. Mid-season. 24–36"h \$4.00
- P170 **Prairie Blue Eyes**—Not really blue, the 5" dark lavender flower has a plum eyezone and yellow throat. Mid-season. AHS Award of Merit. 28"h \$4.00
- P171 **Prairie Fire**—Ruffled 5.5" creamy yellow flower with rusty coral ring around a green throat. Reblooming. Mid-season. 26"h \$4.00
- P172 **Purple de Oro**—Reddish purple 3" flower with lighter midrib and edge above a gold throat. Mid-season with rebloom. 20"h ☞ \$4.00
- P173 **Raspberry Eclipse**—Pinkish purple 6" flower with a purple eye and greenish yellow throat. Very frilly yellow picotee edges. Fragrant tetraploid. Blooms in July and reblooms. 30"h \$10.00
- P174 **Raspberry Pixie**—Chalky pink 1.5" flower with a luscious lemon throat edged in plum purple. Mid-season. 24"h ☞ \$4.00
- P175 **Regal Air** (NEW)—Deep red 6" blossoms with a ruffled edge. Mid-season, may rebloom. 30"h \$4.00
- P176 **Rocket City**—Halo of bittersweet orange on a 6" gold-orange flower with an orange eye. Throat and midribs are lighter orange-yellow, and the crimped edges lighter still. The many shades of orange make it seem to glow. Blooms last all day. Robust and cheerful: a time-tested, flower-power daylily from 1967. Early to mid-season. 36"h ☞ \$4.00
- P177 **Rosy Returns**—Fragrant 4" rose-pink flower with deeper rose eyes and a yellow throat. Early mid-season bloom with rebloom until frost. 12–14"h \$5.00

- P178 **Shadow Passage**—Reddish purple 6" flower with a rose mauve watermark above green throat. Mid-season. 28"h \$4.00
- P179 **Siloam Ethel Smith**—Creamy, ruffled 3" flowers have a rosy eye and a yellow and chartreuse throat. Very prolific once established. Mid-season. 20"h \$5.00
- P180 **Siloam Fine Art**—Rosy purple 3" flower with smoky purple eyezone and green throat. Petals are ruffled and curled back. Slightly fragrant extended bloomer. Early mid-season. 20"h \$4.00
- P181 **Siloam Pink Petite** (NEW)—Pale pink 3" flower grades to a deep pink eye. Yellow-green throat and ruffled edges. Mid-season bloom. 18–24"h \$4.00
- P182 **So Lovely**—Almost white 5.5" flower with a green throat. Mid-season bloom. 30"h \$4.00
- P183 **South Seas**—Tangerine-coral 5.5" flower with red-coral halo and a yellow-green throat. Fragrant. Mid-season with rebloom. 30"h \$4.00
- P184 **Spacecoast Sea Shells**—Apricot cream 5.5" flower with a large yellow throat surrounded by a wide burgundy eye. Petals are finely outlined with burgundy crinkled edges. Early mid-season. Tetraploid rebloomer. 30"h \$6.00
- P185 **Spindazzle**—Twisty-petaled 6" spider type has coppery red petals with yellow sepals and throat. Mid-season, extended bloom. 26"h \$4.00
- P186 **St. Catherine's Island**—Creamy yellow 6" flower with wavy edges and a pale green throat. Fragrant rebloomer. Tetraploid. 16–24"h \$4.00
- P187 **Stella Supreme**—Soft lemon yellow 3" flowers bloom profusely, like their Stella de Oro parent, and from early summer until frost. Strong citrus scent. 20"h \$4.00
- P188 **Storm Shelter**—Purplish pink 5" blossom with prominent deep purple eye, yellow-green throat, and eggplant picotee along ruffled edges. Mid-season rebloomer. Fragrant. Tetraploid. From Carol Emmerich, a local daylily hybridizer. 20–24"h \$12.00
- P189 **Summer Flair**—Luminous, velvety red flowers with yellow-green throats. Mid-to late season. 30"h \$4.00
- P190 **White Orchid**—Light cream, almost white flowers. Late season bloomer. 30"h \$4.00

All daylilies are bareroot and located in the Bulbs & Bareroots area, OUTSIDE near the Info Desk tent.

Columbine continued

\$7.00—4.5" pot (continued):

- P092 **Clementine Red** *A. vulgaris* ☞—Upward-facing, double fuchsia-red spurless flowers. Blue-green foliage remains attractive. Excellent as cut flowers. **** 18–24"h
- P093 **Clementine Salmon Rose** *A. vulgaris* ☞—Spectacular double blossoms, aging from rosy salmon to lavender. Blue-green foliage remains attractive. Excellent as cut flowers. **** 12–24"h
- P094 **Early Bird Purple Blue** (NEW) ☞—Pale blue inner petals and purple outer petals surround delicate yellow tufts. 20–24"h ☞



Columbine

See also the native COLUMBINE, page 53

Coneflower *Echinacea*

Showy flowers with turned-back petals around a central cone midsummer into fall. Good for naturalizing, including hot, dry conditions. Good cut flower. Deadhead for extended bloom, but in late summer allow some flowers to set seed for winter birds. ○●☞

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

- P095 **Baby White** *E. purpurea* (NEW) ☞—Large white flowers with copper centers on a shorter plant. An improved Baby Swan White. Also known as Cygnet White. 12"h ☞
- P096 **Ruby Star** *E. purpurea* ☞—Intense carmine red. 36"h ☞

Coneflower continued

\$4.00—3.5" pot:

- P097 **Cheyenne Spirit** ☞—You can have it all because this one variety blooms in a rainbow of warm colors: red-orange, yellow, magenta, even white. 24"h ☞
- P098 **Green Twister** ☞—Forward-curving lime green petals on 4" flowers blend to magenta at the center. Each flower is a little different and the color gets even better on older plants. 24–36"h ☞
- \$13.00—4.5" pot:
- P099 **Double Scoop Orangeberry** ☞—Long-lasting double flowers with orange petals surrounding raspberry centers. 24–30"h
- P100 **Pica Bella** *E. purpurea* ☞—Narrow pink petals are slightly rolled as they extend straight out from the burnt orange cone. Rated one of the best coneflower cultivars for pollinators by Mt. Cuba Center botanical garden and recommended in *Northern Gardener* magazine. 24–36"h by 18–24"w ☞
- P101 **Sombrero Adobe Orange**—Orange 3" flowers with overlapping petals around a prominent bronzy orange center. Blooms abundantly all summer. 18–24"h
- P102 **Sombrero Baja Burgundy**—Deep purplish red 3" flowers with overlapping petals around a prominent bronzy orange center. Blooms abundantly all summer. 18–24"h
- P103 **Sombrero Salsa Red** ☞—Bright orange-red 3" flowers with large orange-brown cones. Color deepens with age. Blooms June–August with scattered fall bloom. 18–24"h
- P104 **SunSeekers Rainbow** ☞—Semi-double flowers open yellow to orange, then turn pink, coral, lavender, and salmon on their way to magenta. Plant multiples for a full rainbow effect. Large bronze-orange cone. 24–30"h ☞

Coneflower continued

\$13.00—4.5" pot (continued):

- P105 **SunSeekers White Perfection** (NEW) ☞—Double row of short, pointed petals in creamy white surrounding a yellow-green cone. 20"h ☞
- P106 **Supreme Cantaloupe** ☞—Yellow-orange double flowers with mild fragrance. Strong, upright plant. Especially attractive planted with blue-flowered plants like catmint. 24–26"h
- P107 **Coneflower, Pale Purple** ☞
Echinacea pallida
Lavender flowers June–July. Native to the prairies of the Great Plains. Tolerates drier soils. 24–48"h ○●☞ \$4.00—3.5" pot
- See also the native CONEFLOWERS, page 53

Coral Bells *Heuchera*

Arching sprays of fragrant flowers held well above dense mounds of foliage, late spring into summer. Most are grown for their dramatic, lobed leaves, but some have showy red or pink flowers. Red-flowered varieties are good for hummingbirds. ○●

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

- P108 **Firefly** *H. x brizoides* ☞—Vermilion flowers on 12–24" stems. Scalloped, slightly mottled leaves. 6"h ☞☞☞
- P109 **Melting Fire** *H. micrantha* ☞—Strongly curled foliage with intense purple-red color on mature leaves. The young leaves on a full grown plant are bright blood red, creating an exciting hot center in each plant. Clusters of very small white flowers on 18" spikes May–June. 8"h ☞☞☞

CORAL BELLS CONTINUED ON PAGE 34

Perennials

Key

- Full sun
- ◐ Part sun/part shade
- Shade
- 🐝 Attractive to bees
- 🦉 Audubon-endorsed
- 🦋 Butterfly-friendly
- 🐦 Hummingbird-friendly
- 🌿 Attractive foliage
- 🍷 Culinary
- 🌸 Edible flowers
- 🌱 Ground cover
- 🏠 Houseplant
- 🩹 Medicinal
- 🇺🇸 Minnesota native
- 🌳 Rock garden
- ❄️ Cold-sensitive: keep above 40°F
- ☹️ Toxic to humans
- 🔄 Saturday restock



Delphinium



Coreopsis

About those stars...

Throughout, you will notice plants that are marked with five stars (*****). These plants have been awarded five stars by Heger, Lonnee, and Whitman in the 2011 edition of *Growing Perennials in Cold Climates* as some of the very best plants available on the market.



Coral Bells *continued*

\$13.00—4.5" pot:

- P110 **Black Forest Cake** 🌿—Dark bluish purple leaves (more like licorice than chocolate) are reddish purple underneath. 12" sprays of bright pinkish red flowers May–June. 6"h by 12"w 🌿
- P111 **Frilly** 🌿—Lively caramel to peachy orange foliage. Each little leaf is so ruffled that its curly edges reveal its magenta underside. Forms a dense mound. Small pale pink flowers on fuzzy magenta stems. 12–14"h
- P112 **Grande Amethyst** 🌿—Large magenta purple leaves with dark veins and ruffled edges. Older leaves become silvered. 30" sprays of pink flowers on burgundy stems. 18"h by 28"w
- P113 **Lemon Love** 🌿—Bright yellow or lime leaves, slightly ruffled on the edges, with delicate cream flowers on 20" stems. Greener in the shade. Foliage does not burn in the sun. 10–14"h by 28–32"w 🌿🌿🌿
- P114 **Lime Marmalade** 🌿—Ruffled yellowish green foliage that keeps its color. Near-white flowers on 16" stalks in early summer. 10"h by 15–18"w
- P115 **Paris** 🌿—Reblooming deep pink flowers on 14" stems. Silvery foliage. Vigorous. 7–9"h by 14"w 🌿
- P116 **Smoke and Mirrors** 🌿—Rounded 4.5" gray leaves are blushed purplish in spring and become silver with dark veins. Light rose flowers on dark stems. 8–10"h by 14–16"w 🌿🌿
- P117 **Snow Angel** *H. sanguineum* 🌿—Light green foliage with light cream marbling. Showy pink flowers. 10–15"h 🌿🌿🌿
- P118 **Zipper** 🌿—Glossy, ruffled amber-orange leaves become golden amber in summer, remaining so deeply crinkled and folded that the magenta undersides of the leaves show around the edges. Holds color well. White flowers on 18" stems in early summer. 8"h 🌿🌿🌿

Coreopsis *Coreopsis*

Daisy flowers in summer. Lacy foliage. ○🌿

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

- P119 **Early Sunrise** *C. grandiflora* 🌿—Gold double flowers all summer. ***** 24"h 🌿
- P120 **Sunfire** *C. grandiflora* 🌿—Gold-yellow flowers with a burgundy ring. ***** 20"h 🌿

\$5.00—3.5" pot:

- P121 **American Dream** *C. rosea*—Pink petals surround a yellow center. Spreads about 10" a year. 9–15"h by 24–40"w 🌿

\$8.00—4.5" pot:

- P122 **Zagreb** *C. verticillata* 🌿—Clear yellow flowers on bushy, slowly spreading plants. Dependable and easy; the hardiest coreopsis. It has five stars for a reason! ***** 15"h by 24"w

See also the native COREOPSIS, page 53

Cranesbill *Geranium*

Low-growing plant with great aromatic foliage and bronzy red fall color. ○🌿

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

- P123 **Dwarf Bloody** *G. sanguineum nanum* 🌿—Pink to reddish purple flowers throughout the summer. ***** 12"h

\$6.00—4.5" pot:

- P124 **Walter Ingersen** *G. macrorrhizum* 🌿—Pale pink flowers in spring with fuzzy, five-lobed leaves. One of the U of M's Tough and Terrific perennials. Spreads by weed-suppressing rhizomes (the species name means "bigfoot.") ***** 12–15"h by 18–24"w

\$8.00—4.5" pot:

- P125 **Biokovo** *G. x cantabrigiense* 🌿—Masses of delicate-looking light pink flowers with long pink stems. Blooms in late spring, then off and on all summer. Dense, low mat of grayish green leaves. Clip plants lightly after blooming to promote bushy growth from the middle. One of the U of M's Tough and Terrific perennials. ***** 12"h by 30–36"w 🌿🌿

- P126 **Samobor** *G. phaeum*—Small eggplant purple flowers and green leaves with purple-black markings to match. Easy-to-grow spreader that's charming in a woodland garden. Blooms late spring to early summer. Also called dusky cranesbill. 18"h 🌿

\$12.00—4.5" pot:

- P127 **Rozanne**—Violet-blue 2.5" flowers with marbled green foliage that turns deep red in fall. Famous for blooming throughout the summer. 12–18"h

See also GERANIUM, WILD, page 53

P128 Culver's Root, Blue

Veronicastrum sibiricum

Multiple 8"-long clusters of pinkish lavender flowers resemble elegant candelabras midsummer to fall, followed by attractive seedheads. Evenly spaced horizontal whorls of pointed grayish green leaves. Best with very good drainage and regular water, but adaptable and low maintenance. Tolerates dappled shade. Native to northern Asia and Russia, so it's very hardy. 36–60"h by 12–36"w ○🌿🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

See also the native CULVER'S ROOT, page 53

Daisy, Shasta *Leucanthemum superbum*

Classic summer bloomer for cut flowers. May need winter protection. ○

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

- P129 **Alaska** 🌿—White with yellow centers. 24"h
- P130 **Crazy Daisy** 🌿—Fluffy double white flowers. 30"h

\$8.00—4.5" pot:

- P131 **Sweet Daisy Birdy** 🌿—White 5" daisies with bent-back petals and an extra row of short frilly white petals around their yellow button centers. Long-lasting, blooms early summer. A 2021 AAS Perennial Winner last year. 18–24"h

P132 Daisy, Thread Petal

Inula orientalis Grandiflora

Gold daisies whose wavy, shaggy, spidery petals are reminiscent of a Van Gogh painting. Makes a good cut flower. Forms a dense clump of long, pointed leaves and stiff, unbranched stems with bright flowers. 30"h by 18–24"w ○🌿🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

Daylily see box, page 33

Delphinium *Delphinium*

Colorful flower spikes rise above lobed leaves. Taller varieties do best with staking. Prune after the spring bloom for rebloom in September. ○🌿🌿🌿

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

- P191 **Blue Butterfly** *D. chinensis* 🌿—Very blue. 14"h
- P192 **New Millennium Blue Lace** *D. x elatum* 🌿—Stately, strong stems support elegant double flowers, sky blue with lavender-pink tints. New Millennium hybrids are hardier and more tolerant of heat and humidity than older varieties. 48–70"h 🌿

\$7.00—4.5" pot:

- P193 **New Millennium Cobalt Dreams** *D. x elatum* 🌿—Dark blue flowers with white centers on sturdy stems of densely flowered, multiple spikes. 48–60"h 🌿

P194 **New Millennium Double Innocence** *D. x elatum* 🌿—Frilly white doubles with light green centers. Strong stems. ***** 36"h

P195 **New Millennium Pagan Purples** *D. x elatum* 🌿—Double flowers in rich purples and blues on sturdy stalks. ***** 60–72"h by 18–24"w 🌿🌿

P196 **Summer Cloud** 🌿—Sky blue flowers with a white eye and dark center. Compact and cute. 10–12"h

\$16.00—4.5" pot:

- P197 **Red Lark** 🌿—Double and triple red-coral blossoms. 30–36"h by 18–24"w

See also LARKSPUR, pages 25, 36, and 54

P198 **Fern, Hart's Tongue** 🌿

Asplenium scolopendrium Undulata

Upright, arching clump of shiny 8–16" leaves shaped like deer's tongues. Leaves are evergreen with crinkled and wavy edges. Prefers alkaline soil. This is a wild selection from Europe, not the one that's native to several isolated areas in the U.S. 9–12"h \$12.00—4.5" pot

See also FERN, JAPANESE PAINTED *Athyrium*

Soft silvery, burgundy, and green fronds bring light and color into shady corners. Deer-resistant. ○🌿

\$12.00—1 gal. pot:

- P199 **Ghost** 🌿—Lovely silvery appearance. Cross of American and Japanese painted ferns. ***** 24–36"h

\$13.00—4.5" pot:

- P200 **Regal Red** *A. niponicum* 🌿—Arching, slightly ruffled 8–20" fronds are dark violet red in the center with silver edges and red stems. Over-fertilizing mutes the color. 12–18"h by 18–24"w

See also the native FERNS, page 54

P201 **Flax, Blue** *Linum perenne* 🌿

Feathery sprays of blue flowers all summer. Blooms late spring through summer on wiry stems. May be short-lived, preferring dry and well-drained sites, but self-seeds. 18"h ○🌿🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

P202 Fleceflower

Persicaria amplexicaulis Blackfield

Tiny deep red flowers in slender spikes bloom from dark buds July–October. Lance-shaped leaves turn gold in fall. Distinctly jointed stems. Clump-forming. Rabbit-resistant. 36"h ○🌿🌿 \$13.00—4.5" pot

P203 Fleceflower, Giant

Persicaria polymorpha

Plumes of fluffy white flowers like giant astilbe or goatsbeard early June–September. Pinkish seed heads. Even more magnificent and shrub-like in its second year. One of Wolfgang Oehme's favorite plants. Very slow to emerge in the spring, then takes off. Drought-tolerant and very hardy. 60"h ○🌿

Foamflower *Tiarella*

Numerous showy spikes of tiny, starry white flowers that bloom from pink buds in spring. Lightly fragrant. Deer-resistant. ○🌿🌿🌿 \$8.00—1 quart pot

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

- P204 **Wherry's Foamflower** *T. wherryi* 🌿—Maple-like leaves turn pinkish burgundy in fall. Clump-forming. 10"h

\$8.00—1 quart pot:

- P205 **Heartleaf** *T. cordifolia*—Mound of fuzzy, toothed, heart-shaped leaves. Midwest native that spreads by stolons. 6–12"h

P206 Forget-Me-Nots

Myosotis alpestris Bobo Blue

Masses of little flowers bloom late spring and summer. Prefers moist soil. Self-seeding biennial that tends to form mats. 8"h ○🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

Foxglove, Common *Digitalis purpurea*

Tall spikes of tubular flowers, heavily speckled inside. Blooms in late spring and again in fall if cut back after the first blooming. Poisonous leaves. Blooms the first year. Needs winter mulch. Biennial to short-lived perennial. ○🌿🌿🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot:

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

- P207 **Camelot Lavender** 🌿—Shades of light purple. 40"h by 24"w

P208 **Camelot Rose** 🌿—Deep rose pink flowers with a burgundy interior. 40"h by 24"w

\$7.00—4.5" pot:

- P209 **Candy Mountain** 🌿—Unusual, up-facing foxglove. Fat spires of rose-pink flowers on strong stems. Best in full sun. 36–56"h by 12–18"w
- P210 **Panther** 🌿—Flowers, bright raspberry-pink with prominent spots at the throat, are sterile and long-lasting from May–August. Multiple spikes per plant create a bushy effect. 18–22"h

P211 Foxglove, Yellow *Digitalis grandiflora*

Funnel-shaped creamy yellow 1–2" flowers with interior or purple-brown netting in early summer. If cut back after the first blooming, they will bloom again in September. Perennial. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. Syn. *D. ambigua*. 30"h by 18"w ○🌿🌿🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

P212 Gas Plant, Pink *Dictamnus purpureus*

Star-shaped flowers on multiple spikes in early summer. It resents being disturbed once established. Oil evaporating from the leaves can be lit and it will cause a little burst of flames, quickly, not harming the plant itself. Can cause skin irritation; wear long pants, sleeves and gloves when working around it. 36"h ○🌿🌿🌿 \$4.00—2.5" pot

P213 Gentian, Crested

Gentiana septemfida var. *lagodechiana*

Open-throated, intense blue flowers on an easily grown fall-blooming gentian from Asia Minor. Especially good for rock or wild gardens. 4–6"h by 10–12"w ○🌿🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

P214 Gentian, Yellow *Gentiana lutea*

Whorled clusters of long-petaled starry flowers surround a thick stem at intervals, each cluster sitting above a pair of opposing leaves. It takes the 24" rosette of large, handsome, ribbed leaves several years to send up its unusual blooming spire in late summer, but it is worth the wait. It resents being disturbed once established. Native to Alpine meadows, it prefers alkaline soil and consistent moisture. The taproot (up to 36" long) is traditionally used as a bittering agent. 36–60"h by 24–36"w ○🌿🌿🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

See more GENTIANs, pages 18 and 53

P215 Ginger, European *Asarum europaeum*

A beautiful evergreen ground cover for moist shade gardens. 2–3" leaves are leathery and glossy. Bell-shaped greenish purple or brown flowers are hidden beneath foliage. Blooms in early spring. Prefers slightly acidic soil. Spreads slowly. 4"h ○🌿🌿 \$11.00—4.5" pot

See also GINGER, WILD, page 53

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Perennials

Hostas

Hostas are shade-tolerant, but grow best with full morning sun in northern climates such as ours. See our website for an article on growing hostas and about Hosta Virus X: www.FriendsSchoolPlantSale.com/hosta-takeover

All hostas are in 4.5" pots unless noted otherwise

Most hostas are mounding. Some characteristics described do not show up until the plant is a few years old, so younger plants may not express them at the time of purchase.

- P241 **Above the Clouds** **NEW** —Cupped blue leaves are nearly round and acquire some corrugation. Lavender flowers. 35" h by 60" w **\$18.00**
- P242 **Aureo Marginata** *H. montana*—Classic whose dark green undulating leaves with a yellow margin create a waterfall effect. 27" h by 48" w **\$18.00—1 gal. pot**
- P243 **Autumn Frost** —Broad, pointed gray-blue leaves with wide bright yellow margins. Margins age to nearly white. Light lavender flowers in summer. 10–12" h by 20–24" w **\$12.00**
- P244 **Beyond Glory** —Heart-shaped, corrugated leaves are slightly rippled with 3" dark green margins and gold centers. Pale lavender flowers in midsummer. 16" h by 40" w **\$12.00**
- P245 **Blueberry Muffin** —Blue foliage deepens to blue-green late in the season. Medium-sized mound of rounded, puckered leaves with attractive light mauve stems. Lavender flowers. 14" h by 18" w **\$12.00**
- P246 **Captain Kirk** —Wider dark green leaves with heavier substance distinguish this sport of Gold Standard. Yellow-green leaf with darker margins. Pale lavender flowers. 18" h **\$10.00**
- P247 **Curly Fries** —Bright gold with very narrow, heavily rippled leaves and purple flowers. An impressive container plant. 11" h by 20" w **\$12.00**
- P248 **Dancing Queen** —Broad, wedge-shaped leaves of bright yellow-green with rippled edges. Vigorous. Lavender flowers. 22" h **\$16.00**
- P249 **Drop Dead Gorgeous** **NEW** —Green leaves with brightly contrasting yellow margins. Edges are heavily rippled. White flowers. 30" h by 86" w **\$18.00**
- P250 **Echo the Sun** **NEW** —Wedge-shaped yellow leaves with thick substance and heavily rippled edges. 19" h by 45" w **\$18.00**
- P251 **Fire Island** —Vibrant bright yellow in spring changes to greenish yellow in summer. Red stems with some of the red coming up into the leaf. Grow it in shade, as too much sun fades it. 14" h by 34" w **\$12.00**
- P252 **Great Expectations** —Thick, puckered leaves with wide, irregular, blue-green margins. Creamy yellow to white centers with green feathering towards the center. White flowers. 24" h by 50" w **\$12.00**

- P253 **Guacamole** —Wide green leaves develop dark green margins and brighter chartreuse centers. Color intensifies with more light. Large, fragrant near-white to lavender flowers emerge from lavender buds. More sun-tolerant and a fast grower. Multiple award-winner. 22" h by 36" w **\$12.00**
- P254 **Hans** —Thick blue-green leaves highlighted by cream centers and a narrow pattern between the blue and cream. Leaf centers flush with green streaks in late summer. Leaves are corrugated, puckered, and folded, with ruffling at the base. Light lavender flowers. Vigorous. 21" h by 32" w **\$12.00**
- P255 **Humpback Whale** —Heart-shaped, lightly corrugated blue-green leaves are bluest in spring and have a hump in each leaf that angles the tip down. Forms an impressive dome-shaped mound. Near-white flowers on 48" stalks in early summer. 36" h by 84" w **\$12.00**
- P256 **Island Breeze** —In early spring, wide dark green margins are a strong contrast to the yellow centers. Centers become more chartreuse with more shade, a lighter yellow with more sun. Showy red-speckled stems percolate red up into the leaves. Thick leaf substance and strong growth rate. Dark lavender flowers. 21" h by 18" w **\$12.00**
- P257 **Mighty Mouse** —Mouse ear-shaped leaves emerge bluish green with a bright creamy yellow edge. By summer, they turn grayish green with a creamy white edge. Incredible substance. Lavender flowers. Excellent for troughs and containers. 8" h by 12" w **\$12.00**
- P258 **Mini Skirt** —Thick gray-green leaves each surrounded by a heavily ruffled, wide creamy white border. Short 8" spikes of small lavender flowers with deeper purple stripes in summer. Tight full mound, great in troughs. Has a sassy appearance. 7" h by 14" w **\$12.00**
- P259 **Miss America** **NEW** —Heart-shaped green leaves have a white center with green streaking. Near-white flowers. 19" h by 55" w **\$20.00**
- P260 **One Last Dance** —Dark green centers and very wide, intense yellow margins that mellow to chartreuse by midsummer. Gently rippled leaves. Margins have irregular patterns, creating a feathery look. Pale lavender flowers. 16" h by 40" w **\$16.00**

- P261 **Party Streamers** **NEW** —Narrow, wiggly yellow leaves with rippled edges. Contrasting deep purple flowers. Arching mound that grows quickly. 12" h by 30" w **\$16.00**
- P262 **Prairie Sky** **NEW** —Slightly cupped powdery blue leaves with thick substance. One of the bluest and stays blue. Pale lavender flowers over a tight clump. 14" h by 36" w **\$12.00**
- P263 **Praying Hands** —Narrow, wavy leaves stand straight up, unusual for a hosta. Bright yellow edges in spring change to apple green. Good substance. 16" h by 30" w **\$14.00**
- P264 **Rainforest Sunrise** —Charming, with thick, corrugated, gold leaves edged by dark green. Pale lavender flowers in early summer. 10" h by 25" w **\$12.00**
- P265 **Royal Wedding** —Gold margins that fade to white by midsummer when fragrant white flowers appear. 12" h by 20" w **\$14.00**
- P266 **School Mouse** —Thick, wavy leaves have blue-green to green centers and creamy yellow margins. Looks bright and crisp. Lavender flowers. 8" h by 12" w **\$14.00**
- P267 **Seasons in the Sun** **NEW** —Bright yellow leaves are flat, but with deep veins and gently wavy edges. Bell-shaped near-white flowers. 28" h by 50" w **\$16.00**
- P268 **Silly String** **NEW** —Narrow blue leaves with very wavy edges. Pale purple flowers. 14" h by 28" w **\$16.00**
- P269 **Silver Bullet** **NEW** —Densely packed clump of rounded blue leaves. Slightly reversed cupping creates a perfect dome. Resembles Blue Mouse Ears, but much bigger. Very thick leaves for great slug resistance. Near-white flowers just above the foliage. 11" h by 23" w **\$16.00**
- P270 **Sister Act** —Gold center with blue-green margins in spring. Becomes brighter gold with dark green margins in summer. Near-white flowers in early summer. 18" h by 40" w **\$14.00**
- P271 **Spartacus** **NEW** —Deeply veined green leaves with strongly rippled yellow edges. Pale lavender flowers. 17" h by 36" w **\$14.00**
- P272 **Stained Glass** —Brilliant yellow-green leaves with wide green margins. Fragrant flowers. 22–24" h **\$12.00**
- P273 **Sun Mouse** —Mini Mouse with slightly wavy yellow 3" by 2" leaves. Lavender flowers. 6" h by 15" w **\$14.00**

- P274 **Tears in Heaven** **NEW** —Wedge-shaped blue leaves with ruffled edges. More upright than other blue hostas. Pale lavender flowers with darker stripes in the center of the petals. 15" h by 20" w **\$18.00**
- P275 **Terms of Endearment** **NEW** —Cascading blue-green leaves with yellow-green margins. Moderately corrugated. White flowers. 29" h by 60" w **\$18.00**
- P276 **Time in a Bottle** **NEW** —Narrow yellow leaves are moderately wavy and become more chartreuse as the season progresses. Contrasting purple flowers last longer because they do not open. 12" h by 36" w **\$18.00**
- P277 **Trendsetter** **NEW** —Heart-shaped green leaves with rippled edges and wide yellow margins that turn creamy white. Pale lavender flowers. 12" h by 40" w **\$16.00**
- P278 **Twin Cities** **NEW** —Thick blue-green leaves with 2" chartreuse margins that change to gold. Develops corrugation as the plant matures. Light lavender flowers. Upright, spreading clump. A sport of Hosta St. Paul with the colors reversed. 32" h by 60" w **\$16.00**
- P279 **Voices in the Wind** **NEW** —Wedge-shaped blue-green leaves with very ruffled edges and creamy yellow margins. The tip of each leaf curls and twists. Pale lavender flowers. 17" h by 46" w **\$18.00**
- P280 **When I Dream** **NEW** —Creamy white centers and very wide blue-green margins and rippled edges. Chartreuse feathering separates the center and margin colors. Mounded. White flowers. 28" h by 62" w **\$16.00**
- P281 **Wide Brim** **NEW** —Broadly heart-shaped, puckered dark green leaves with a blue cast and wide, irregular buttery yellow margins. Dome-shaped mound. Pale lavender flowers are striped with violet. 16" h by 32" w **\$12.00**
- P282 **Wild Imagination** **NEW** —Narrow blue leaves are twisted and ruffled. Exceptionally large plant for a strap-leaf hosta. More than twice the size of the similar-looking Silly String hosta. Lavender and white striped flowers. 22" h by 50" w **\$16.00**
- P283 **Wind Beneath My Wings** **NEW** —Ruffled blue leaves. Each heart-shaped leaf can be 14" long with a sharply pointed tip. Pale lavender flowers. 30" h by 80" w **\$16.00**
- P284 **Wu-La-La** —Blue-green 24" corrugated leaves are outlined with yellow-green that becomes yellow in more sun. A sport of Empress Wu. Pale lavender flowers. 36–48" h by 60" w **\$16.00**

Globe Flower *Trollius*

Truly the queen of the buttercup family. Cupped 2–3" flowers. Spring-blooming. Thrives in moist conditions and poorly drained soils, but will adapt to well-drained soil if kept moist. 24" h **\$3.00—2.5" pot**

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

- P216 **Golden Queen** *T. chinensis* —Orange-yellow outer petals and feathery central petals.

\$7.00—4.5" pot:

- P217 **New Moon** —Creamy yellow flowers.

Globe Thistle *Echinops*

Buds are silver, opening to dark blue perfect spheres June–July. Dramatic, prickly leaves. Can self-seed. They're not really thistles. **\$3.00—2.5" pot:**

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- P218 **Globe Thistle** *E. ritro* —24–48" h

\$7.00—4.5" pot:

- P219 **Blue Glow** *E. bannaticus* —Perfectly round 1.5" balls of silvery blue spikes. Blooms July–August. Makes a great cut or dried flower. Genus name *Echinops* comes from the Greek word "echino" which means "hedgehog." 36–48" h by 12–24" w

- P220 **Goatsbeard** *Aruncus dioicus*

Feathery plumes of tiny cream flowers, May–June. Showy, very hardy, and heat-tolerant North American native. Slow to establish. 60–72" h **\$8.00—4.5" pot**

P221 **Goatsbeard, Dwarf**

Aruncus aethusifolius Noble Spirit

Panicles of tiny white flowers bloom June–July over dainty foliage. 10" h **\$3.00—2.5" pot**

P222 **Goldenrod**

Solidago rugosa Fireworks

Rated #1 in the goldenrod trials at the Chicago Botanic Garden. Showy, arching stems of tiny yellow flowers cascade in all directions above the compact foliage. It doesn't get mildew or rust, nor is it at all aggressive. 36–48" h **\$12.00—4.5" pot**

See also the native GOLDENROD, page 53

Helen's Flower *Helenium*

Late-season color on numerous daisy flowers with turned-back petals. One of the easiest of all perennials. Rabbit- and deer-resistant. **\$12.00—4.5" pot:**

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- P223 **Mariachi Siesta** —Almost crimson, so the bit of blue in the red helps it go well with blue flowers. The chocolate-maroon cone is ringed with gold. Dutch-bred for compactness and mildew resistance. Blooms late June–September. 24–26" h

- P224 **Moerheim Beauty** —Dark copper-red 2–3" flowers with swept-back, notched petals like a badminton birdie, and a prominent central dome of chocolate encircled with yellow. Blooms for about two months in late summer and fall, with the color finally aging to a rusty gold. 24–48" h

See also the native HELEN'S FLOWER, page 54

Hen and Chicks *Sempervivum*

Attractive succulent rosettes tolerate hot, dry conditions. Grown on thatched roofs, their other common name is house leeks. Needs good drainage. **P225 **Chick Charms Gold Nugget****—Yellow-green with red tips in early spring (a new color for hen and chicks), bright green in summer, acquiring red tips in fall. Pink flowers. 2" h by 2–5" w **\$7.00—3" plug**

- P226 **Chick Charms Lotus Blossom**—Deep rose and white variegated leaves. Summer heat changes tips to green. 3" h **\$7.00—2.5" pot**

- P227 **Chick Charms, Assorted**—Colorful hen and chicks with a variety of textures that look good in the garden or add some novelty to a container. 2–4" h **\$3.00—2.5" pot**

- P228 **El Toro**—Reddish brown to red-purple 7–9" rosettes. 4–6" h **\$7.00—3" deep pot**

- P229 **Mrs. Giuseppi** *S. calcareum*—One of the most interesting color and geometric patterns. Gray-blue leaves have eye-catching, triangular maroon tips. Each hen grows up to 4" wide with a flock of bright chicks. 3" h **\$3.00—2.5" pot**

- P230 **Royal Ruby** —Ruby red leaves. Holds color all season. 3–4" h **\$12.00—6 plants in a pack**

- P231 **Supersemp Jade** **NEW** —Large maroon and green rosette with short-stemmed pink flowers. 8" h **\$12.00—4.5" pot**

- P232 **Supersemp Onyx** *S. calcareum* —Mahogany-black 8" rosettes. 2–8" h **\$12.00—4.5" pot**

See the mini HEN AND CHICKS, pages 41 and 42

Plants marked with



are good for bees

Perennials

Key

- Full sun
- ◐ Part sun/part shade
- Shade
- 🐝 Attractive to bees
- 🦉 Audubon-endorsed
- 🦋 Butterfly-friendly
- 🐦 Hummingbird-friendly
- 🌿 Attractive foliage
- 🍷 Culinary
- 🌸 Edible flowers
- 🌿 Ground cover
- 🏠 Houseplant
- 🩹 Medicinal
- 🇺🇸 Minnesota native
- 🪨 Rock garden
- ❄️ Cold-sensitive: keep above 40°F
- ☹️ Toxic to humans
- 🔄 Saturday restock



Hibiscus *Hibiscus moscheutos*

Dinnerplate flowers and maple-shaped leaves. Remarkably easy, with a long bloom time starting in late summer. Breaks dormancy very late; mark the spot so you don't dig it up by mistake. ○🐝

\$4.00—2.5" pot:

P233 **Pink Clouds**—Intense pink flowers. Robust. 48–60" h

\$12.00—4.5" pot:

P234 **Midnight Marvel**—Slightly purplish deep red flowers with purple-tinted foliage that turns orange in fall. 36–48" h

Hollyhock *Alcea*

Towering spires of big blossoms resembling ruffled petticoats, essential for the cottage garden. Self-seeds for next year. Rabbit-resistant. ○🐝🦋

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P235 **Russian A. rugosa**—Radiant light yellow. Blooms May–September. Perennial. 48–84" h 🦋

\$7.00—4.5" pot:

P236 **Spotlight Blacknight**—Satin purple-black flowers with creamy yellow centers bloom early summer until fall. Cut plants back to 8" after blooming. The Spotlight series was bred in Germany to be perennial, rust-resistant, bushy, and upright without staking. Blooms the first year. 60–70" h by 18–24" w

P237 **Spotlight Mars Magic**—Satin red flowers with creamy yellow centers bloom early summer until fall. Cut plants back to 8" after blooming. 60–70" h by 24" w

P238 **Spotlight Radiant Rose**—Crepe-paper rosy pink flowers in summer. Cut plants back to 8" after blooming. 60–70" h by 24" w

P239 **Hollyhock, French** 🐝

Malva sylvestris Zebrina

White with purple veining. Grown by Thomas Jefferson at Monticello. Considered a biennial to short-lived perennial, but can be treated as a self-seeding annual. Drought-tolerant. 48" h ○ \$5.00—3.5" pot

P240 **Hollyhock, Mini** *Sidalcea Rosaly* 🐝

Blooms in summer the first year, and if cut back may rebloom. Spires of satiny pink flowers that really do look like miniature hollyhocks. Winter protection. Also known as prairie mallow and checkermallow. 30–40" h by 18–24" w ○🐝🦋 \$7.00—4.5" pot

Hosta see box, page 35

Iris see box below

P304 **Ironweed** 🐝 **NEW**

Vernonia Summer's Surrender

Long-blooming, fluffy 1" bunches of tiny deep purple florets cover a mound of mildew-resistant foliage in late summer and fall, making the pollinators happy. A cross between two ironweed species at the Chicago Botanic Garden. Give this shrub-like plant plenty of room. Adapts to different soils and even some flooding, but appreciates good drainage. Deer-resistant. 36–48" h by 50–75" w ○🐝🦋 \$12.00—4.5" pot

P305 **Jacob's Ladder** 🐝 **NEW**

Polemonium Golden Feathers

Gold and green variegated leaves are the star attraction. Bluish lavender flowers in early summer. Fern-like leaves with up to 20 neatly arranged "rungs" and an abundance of silky, cup-shaped flowers. Prefers moist, cool conditions. 🐝🌿 \$13.00—4.5" pot

See also the native JACOB'S LADDER, page 54

P306 **Joe Pye Weed**

Eutrochium dubium Baby Joe

Dusky purple clusters on dark red stems bloom summer into fall. Compact cultivar for smaller gardens. The species is native to the East Coast as far north as Maine. Good for rain gardens. Tolerates afternoon shade and road salt. Deer-resistant. Formerly *Eupatorium*. 24–48" h ○🐝🦋 \$13.00—1 gal. pot

See also the native JOE PYE WEED, page 54

P307 **Jupiter's Beard** 🐝

Centranthus ruber Rosy Red

Clusters of small red flowers bloom the first season. Tolerates poor soil. 30" h ○🐝🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

P308 **Lady's Mantle** 🐝

Alchemilla mollis Thriller

Large silver-green rounded leaves that are scalloped and serrated. Each leaf holds droplets of water like little jewels. Clusters of tiny greenish yellow star flowers in July. Attractive as edging or ground cover. A staple of English gardens. **** 18" h ○🐝🦋🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

Lamb's Ear *Stachys byzantina*

Fuzzy silvery leaves and lavender flowers. Great for a "touch" garden. Children love this plant. Self-seeds if not deadheaded. ○🐝🦋

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P309 **Lamb's Ear**—Grown for its silver gray, soft, furry leaves. Good edging plant. 15" h

\$8.00—4.5" pot:

P310 **Helene von Stein**—Taller with huge woolly leaves. 30" h

Lamium *Lamium maculatum*

A great ground cover that adapts to dry shade. Most varieties have white-variegated leaves. Blooms in spring. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. ○🐝🌿

\$4.00—2.5" pot:

P311 **Beacon Silver**—Pink flowers. Foliage is almost entirely silver-white with a green edge. 7" h

\$5.00—3.5" pot:

P312 **Aureum**—Enchanting rose-purple flowers and the glow of its chartreuse and silver variegated leaves light up any shady spot. 6–8" h by 15–24" w

\$5.00—4 plants in a pack:

P313 **Pink Pewter**—Light pink flowers and green-edged silver leaves. 6" h by 15–24" w

P314 **White Nancy**—White flowers and mostly white leaves. 6" h by 15–24" w

\$12.00—6 plants in a pack:

P315 **Purple Dragon**—Silver leaves with thin green edges. Large purple flowers. 4–8" h by 18–24" w

P316 **Larkspur, Tall** *Delphinium exaltatum* 🐝

Bluish purple to lavender 1" flowers in airy, graceful spikes, July–September. Not fussy about soil, but in the parts of the Midwest where it's native, it grows in well-drained, slightly alkaline soils in dappled shade. Will seed itself pleasantly around. Naturally adapted to heat and humidity. Deer-resistant. 48–72" h by 24" w ○🐝🦋🌿 \$4.00—3.5" pot

See more LARKSPUR, pages 25 and 54

Ligularia *Ligularia*

Dramatic foliage with gold flowers July–August. Needs consistent moisture. Great with astilbes and ferns. Deer-resistant. 🐝

\$8.00—4.5" pot:

P317 **Desdemona L. dentata**—Huge, rounded, toothed, leathery purple leaves with red undersides. Upright daisies above the foliage. 36" h 🦋

\$12.00—1 gal. pot:

P318 **Pandora**—Almost round, glossy leaves with serrated edges emerge dark burgundy. By midsummer the leaves become dark green flushed with burgundy, almost black, and burgundy underneath. Large, shaggy daisies on 15" stems. 12–14" h

\$13.00—4.5" pot:

P319 **Shavalski's L. przewalskii**—Spikes of yellow flowers with black stems. Large, jagged leaves. Part shade. Not as sensitive to drying out as other ligularia. 48" h 🦋

\$16.00—4.5" pot:

P320 **Tractor Seat** **NEW**—Dark green 16" leaves with deeply serrated edges. Gold flowers with long petals. Happiest in morning sun or filtered shade. 42" h by 54" w 🦋

Lily see page 37

Lungwort *Pulmonaria*

One of those really nice plants with a terrible name (the spotted leaves were once thought to cure lung diseases). Native to moist European woodlands. Young leaves are edible cooked or raw. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. 🐝🌿

\$5.00—bareroot:

P388 **Majeste P. longifolia**—Long leaves turn silver. Blue and pink flowers. **** 10" h

\$12.00—4.5" pot:

P389 **Raspberry Splash**—Profusely blooming raspberry-coral flowers in spring. Very pointed leaves. **** 12" h

P390 **Shrimps on the Barbie**—No, not shrimps on a Barbie doll. That would be silly. "Barbie" is Australian slang for "barbecue." Coral pink flowers in the spring. Leaves have white spots. 10" h by 24" w

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Iris 🌸

Clump-formers that grow from rhizomes. Sword-like upright foliage and intricate flowers.

Bearded Iris *Iris germanica*

Easy to grow, blooming May–June. Clump-formers, best in groups. Highly drought-tolerant; well-drained soil. Plant and weed only shallowly. The top of the rhizomes should be exposed, so clean soil off them in April to let the sun hit them. Should be lifted and divided every few years. ○🌸

P285 **Harvest of Memories**—Yellow standards and beard. Slight sweet fragrance. Mid-season bloom with rebloom. 38" h \$9.00—4.5" pot

P286 **Immortality**—Ruffled pure white flowers with white beards. Slight sweet fragrance. Reblooms. 36" h \$9.00—4.5" pot

P287 **Mariposa Autumn**—Lightly ruffled white falls edged in purple-violet, rosy violet standards, and a lemon yellow beard. Might rebloom. 32" h \$7.00—3" plug

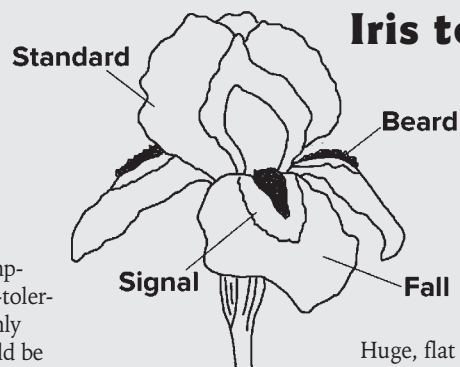
P288 **Oui Madame**—Ruffled lavender flowers with bright orange beards on white-centered lilac falls. Floriferous. Early- to mid-season. 36–38" h \$7.00—3" plug

P289 **Peggy Sue**—Fragrant, ruffled pink flowers with pale pink falls and orange beards. May rebloom in late summer under perfect conditions. Recipient of Award of Merit from the American Iris Society. 32–34" h \$7.00—3" plug

P290 **Savannah Sunset**—Strong orange petals with tangerine beards. Early to late season bloom. 38" h \$9.00—4.5" pot

P291 **Crested Iris** *Iris cristata*

Sweet pale blue and yellow. Low-growing, early-blooming woodland iris. 3–8" h ○🐝🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot



Iris terms

P292 **Dwarf Wild Iris**

Iris setosa canadensis

Purple and white flowers in summer are accented with dark veins. Native to the northeastern U.S. and Canada. Prefers moist soil. Syn. *Iris setosa nana*. 12–15" h ○🌸🌿 \$4.00—2.5" pot

Japanese Iris *Iris ensata*

Huge, flat iris blossoms. Native to Japanese and Siberian pond edges, so they require moisture, but will do well in gardens if watered regularly. Blooms about a month after bearded iris, from late June into early July. ○🌸

P293 **Eileen's Dream**—Double velvet purple flowers with yellow signals. 36" h \$5.00—bareroot

P294 **Ice Cream**—Bluish lavender 6" flowers with petals outlined in white. Yellow-green centers. From the Dinnerplate collection. 36–40" h \$5.00—bareroot

P295 **Variiegata**—Purple flowers with white-striped leaves. 28" h \$5.00—bareroot

Siberian Iris *Iris sibirica*

Blooms June–July, after the bearded iris, extending the iris season. Graceful, sword-like foliage. Does well in most kinds of soil, though native to moist areas. ○🌸

P296 **Butter and Sugar**—Butter yellow falls and ivory standards. Reblooms. 28" h \$8.00—4.5" pot

P297 **Caesar's Brother**—Velvety blue purple. 24–36" h \$8.00—4.5" pot

P298 **Kaboom**—Double blue-violet 6" flowers are ruffled, with gold and white sunburst-blaze falls. 34" h \$8.00—4.5" pot

P299 **New Hybrids** **NEW**—Various bluish purple, lavender, or white 3" flowers. 30" h \$4.00—3.5" pot

P300 **Pink Parfait**—Double 7" lavender-pink flowers that look more like a rose than an iris. 24–28" h \$13.00—4.5" pot

P301 **Ruffled Velvet**—Reddish purple standards, darker purple falls, black and yellow blaze. 24–30" h \$8.00—4.5" pot

P302 **Sky Mirror**—Light violet-blue standards with greenish blue centers. Light and dark violet-blue falls with a small yellow signal. 34–38" h \$13.00—4.5" pot

P303 **Welcome Return**—Velvet deep purple flower that reblooms. 24" h \$8.00—4.5" pot

See also BLACKBERRY LILY and CANDY LILY, page 32, and IRIS, BLUE FLAG, page 54

Any iris listed as bareroot can be found in the Bulbs & Bareroots section, now located OUTSIDE near the Info Desk tent.

In the Bulbs & Bareroots section now OUTSIDE

Lilies *Lilium*

Most lilies prefer to be planted with their “heads in the sun, feet in the shade” in well-drained soil. They show off best in your garden planted in groups. Plant several groups with different bloom times for continuous show.

In the Bulbs & Bareroots section, now OUTSIDE, near the Info Desk tent and priced per bulb.

Asiatic Lilies ○●

Strong, lasting color. Scentless. These bulbs increase year after year. Divide when their stems are crowded. They bloom from the end of June into July.

- P324 **Black Beard** **NEW**—Deep red with dark-er spots in the center. 36–48”h **\$6.00**
- P325 **Brunello**—One of the best oranges. Good cut flower. Four to seven flowers per stem. 32”h **\$4.00**
- P326 **Double Sensation**—Unique bicolor double with deep purplish red petals and showy white centers. Side-facing flowers. Produces four to five flowers per stem. 24”h **\$4.00**
- P327 **Fata Morgana**—Bright yellow double flowers. 24–36”h **\$4.00**
- P328 **Forever Susan**—Out-facing burgundy 4” flowers with gold-orange brushed onto the tips, edges, and spotted base of each petal. 24–36”h **\$4.00**
- P329 **Heartstrings**—Raspberry-tipped petals with yellow centers. 48”h **\$4.00**
- P330 **Landini**—Deep black-burgundy makes a spectacular focal point anywhere you place it. **** 36–48”h **\$4.00**
- P331 **Njoyz**—Bubblegum pink with white centers. Variety name is pronounced “enjoys.” 36”h **\$4.00**
- P332 **Pink Flight**—Abundant pink flowers with slightly curled-back petals and peach tones near the center. They face more outward than downward. 42–48”h **\$4.00**
- P333 **Purple Marble**—Large magenta-purple trumpets are out-facing to slightly down-facing. 36–48”h **\$4.00**
- P334 **Secret Kiss** **NEW**—Almost black with plum-red overtones that show in the sun. Black stems. 36–48”h **\$6.00**
- P335 **Strawberry Event**—Dark red-orange and heavily speckled with maroon-purple spots in the center. Out-facing. 36–48”h **\$4.00**
- P336 **Sundew**—Double pollen-free yellow with speckles. Dark stems. Long-lasting as a cut flower. 36–40”h **\$4.00**
- P337 **Tiger Babies**—Pale apricot 3–4” flowers with deep peach throats and dark spots ringing the center. Lightly fragrant. Up to 18 flowers on a stem. 36–48”h **\$4.00**
- P338 **Tiny Comfort**—Dark red flowers with even darker red speckles and shading toward the center. 12–16”h **\$3.00**
- P339 **Tiny Diamond**—Rose with white centers. 12”h **\$3.00**
- P340 **Tiny Dino**—Up-facing orange. 12–14”h **\$3.00**
- P341 **Tiny Double You**—Bright orange double. 12”h **\$3.00**
- P342 **Tiny Epic**—Dark burgundy centers and cream yellow tips. 14–16”h **\$3.00**
- P343 **Tiny Ghost**—Deep red flowers will remind you of ripe raspberries. 18”h **\$3.00**
- P344 **Tiny Moon**—Big light apricot flowers. 12–14”h **\$3.00**
- P345 **Tiny Pearl**—Large vivid pink flowers. 14–16”h **\$3.00**
- P346 **Tiny Poems**—Purple-black petals with pink tips. 12”h **\$3.00**
- P347 **Tiny Shadow**—Dark maroon petals with burnt orange tips. 12”h **\$3.00**

LA Lilies ○●

Combining the best features of the Easter (longiflorum) and Asiatic lily. Fragrant, fast multipliers, and easy to grow. They bloom in July. Upfacing.

- P348 **Forza Red** **NEW**—Named for the power of its nonfading strong red color, with red anthers. 36–48”h **\$6.00**
- P349 **Summer Scarlet**—Red 8” flowers, four to six per stem. Up-facing. 18–20”h **\$5.00**
- P350 **Summer Sky**—Bright pink 8” flowers with yellow centers, four to six per stem. Up-facing. 18–20”h **\$5.00**
- P351 **Summer Snow**—White 8” flowers, four to six per stem. Up-facing. 18–20”h **\$5.00**
- P352 **Summer Sun**—Sunny yellow 7” flowers with dark speckles. Three to five per stem. Up-facing. 18–20”h **\$5.00**

Orienpet Lilies ○

Cross between the Oriental and Trumpet lilies. Exceptional vigor and fragrance. They bloom July into August.

- P353 **Avinger** **NEW**—Deep red-violet petals with magenta flares and ruffled edges. 48”h **\$6.00**
- P354 **Batavus**—Up-facing deep red flowers. 33”h **\$5.00**
- P355 **Beverly Dreams**—Very large, waxy flowers with dark red centers, soft white borders, and green-furrowed throats. Fragrant. 48–72”h **\$5.00**
- P356 **Black Beauty**—Deep crimson, curled-back petals. Vigorous, heavy bloomer. **** 60”h **\$5.00**
- P357 **Conca d’Or**—A magnificent cheerful yellow that will reach right up to your face as you admire it in the garden. 48–60”h **\$5.00**
- P358 **Corinthe** **NEW**—Light pink flowers with a star-shaped center of white and green. 36–48”h **\$6.00**
- P359 **Corvette**—Showy pink flowers, up-facing. 48”h **\$5.00**
- P360 **Frontera** **NEW**—Light pink flowers with bands of deeper pink and a sprinkle of spots and green at the throat. 36–60”h **\$6.00**
- P361 **Miss Peculiar**—White 10” trumpets brushed with burgundy on the backs of the petals. Gold-orange throats. 48–60”h **\$5.00**
- P362 **Mister Pistache** **NEW**—Huge white flowers with golden yellow flares, lightly freckled with red and a deep green central star. 36–60”h **\$6.00**
- P363 **Northern Delight**—Wisconsin-bred lily with up to 20 sunny yellow 8” out-facing trumpets per stem. Bright green nectar grooves. Light fragrance. Vigorous, fast-growing. 60”h **\$14.00**
- P364 **Orange Space**—Glowing orange, out-facing flowers. Lightly scented. 48–60”h **\$5.00**
- P365 **Red Morning**—Dark red flowers are outlined and tipped with golden orange. Out-facing and lightly fragrant. 48”h **\$5.00**
- P366 **Scheherazade**—Curled-back burgundy red petals are edged in gold shading into white, and the throat shows the same dramatic color pattern. Can easily reach 96” or more when established. 48–72” in the first year; blooms mid-August. **** 48–96”h **\$5.00**

AOA Lilies ○

A cross between Asiatic and Oriental lilies, crossed back with an Asiatic lily. They bloom in June, well before the Oriental lilies. Very fragrant.

- P321 **Child in Time**—Up-facing flowers start out deep pink and get paler as they mature. Darker pink throat. 42”h **\$5.00**
- P322 **Hotel California**—Golden orange 7” flowers with rosy red flames on the curled-back petals. Maroon spots around the throat. 44–52”h **\$5.00**
- P323 **Viva La Vida**—Out-facing 7–8” flowers are sunny yellow merging into red flames with darker red spots. Curled-back petals. 48–52”h **\$5.00**

Oriental Lilies ○

Oriental lilies are incredibly fragrant hybrids of species from Japan. Usually out-facing, they bloom from the end of July into August and prefer acidic soil. Likely to be short-lived in Minnesota. Doubles are also called “roselilies.”

- P367 **After Eight**—Reddish pink flowers with white edges. Pixie. 18”h **\$4.00**
- P368 **Anouska** **NEW**—Double with pinkish white petals outlined with pink when first opening. 36–48”h **\$5.00**
- P369 **Captain Tricolore**—Up-facing 6” flowers have white petals with yellow central bars and slightly ruffled purplish pink edges. 43–54”h **\$4.00**
- P370 **Casa Blanca**—Huge white blossoms. Three to six flowers per stem. **** 48”h **\$4.00**
- P371 **Elena**—Double. Dark pink with a lightly spotted center. 36–40”h **\$4.00**
- P372 **Firebolt**—Up-facing deep red flowers. 36”h **\$4.00**
- P373 **Jaybird** **NEW**—Pale pink and lavender up-facing flowers with red flares and dark spots. 36–48”h **\$6.00**
- P374 **Johanna** **NEW**—Pale pink double with white at the center. 24–30”h **\$6.00**
- P375 **Lotus Joy**—Large double flowers are pink with lightly speckled throats. 36”h **\$5.00**
- P376 **My Wedding** **NEW**—Double white flowers with a touch of green at the base. 36–48”h **\$6.00**
- P377 **Primrose Hill**—Large white flowers with yellow centers and rippled margins tinted with lilac. 48–60”h **\$4.00**
- P378 **Starfighter**—Deep magenta flowers with a wide white edge. 48”h **\$4.00**
- P379 **Stargazer**—Dark pink flowers with white edges and darker red spots. **** 24–36”h **\$4.00**
- P380 **Sunny Keys**—Vibrant dark pink-red flowers with white edges. 16–18”h **\$4.00**



Note: While lilies are nontoxic to humans, they are extremely poisonous to cats.



Other Lilies ○

Lilies crossed between lily divisions or species, or lilies that are the same as a wild species. Bloom times are noted with each variety.

- P381 **Bazin** **NEW**—Super-saturated orange color makes this Trumpet x Asiatic cross a standout. Light fragrance. 36–48”h **\$6.00**
- P382 **Henry’s Lily** *L. henryi*—Large, down-facing orange flowers with brown spots and whisker-like protrusions called papillae on their petals. Green centers. This species lily from China has been a parent to many hybrid lilies. August. **** 48”h **\$5.00**
- P383 **Miracle** *L. longiflorum*—Prolific white fragrant flowers, six to eight per stem. Hybrid Easter lily, blooming in mid- to late summer. 12–14”h **\$6.00**
- P384 **Regal Lily** *L. regale*—White with a pink reverse and yellow throat. The first fragrant trumpet lily to appear each year. A species lily originally from China. June–July bloom. **** 36–72”h **\$5.00**
- P385 **Rising Moon**—Trumpet lily with fragrant 8” flowers are soft yellow with wide pink margins on the petals. Green throat. Blooms in July. Best in sunny, well-drained locations. Mulch for winter protection. 48–60”h **\$6.00**
- P386 **Uchida** *L. speciosum rubrum*—Curled-back deep pink petals with darker speckles are outlined in white. Easy to grow and late blooming. Light fragrance. A species lily native to Japan. 48”h **\$5.00**
- P387 **Zeba**—Soft green petals, burgundy centers, and light fragrance. Cross of *L. nepalense* and an Oriental lily, it is related to the Kushi Maya lily. Blooms midsummer. 48”h **\$6.00**

See more LILIES, pages 18 and 54

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Key

- Full sun
- ◐ Part sun/part shade
- Shade
- 🐝 Attractive to bees
- 🐦 Audubon-endorsed
- 🦋 Butterfly-friendly
- 🐦 Hummingbird-friendly
- 🌿 Attractive foliage
- 🍷 Culinary
- 🌸 Edible flowers
- 🌱 Ground cover
- 🏠 Houseplant
- 🩹 Medicinal
- 🇺🇸 Minnesota native
- 🪨 Rock garden
- ❄️ Cold-sensitive: keep above 40°F
- ☠️ Toxic to humans
- 🔄 Saturday restock

Lungwort *continued*

\$14.00—1 gal. pot:

P391 **E. B. Anderson** *P. longifolia*—Narrow leaves are up to 18" long and spotted with silver. Small bright blue flowers emerge from red buds just above the foliage. Also known as Bertram Anderson. 6–8"h by 10"w

P392 **Maltese Cross** 🌿

Lychnis x haageana Molten Lava

Red-bronze foliage and sizzling orange-red flowers make an excellent combination. The botanical name, *Lychnis*, is Greek for "lamp" and refers to the plant's fiery flowers. Easy to grow. 18"h ○ ○

\$3.00—2.5" pot

P393 **Masterwort** 🌿 **NEW**

Astrantia major Burgundy Manor

Domed clusters of tiny flowers and bracts. Both the large outer bracts and the ball of minuscule flowers are deep burgundy. Large, star-shaped leaves. Excellent cut flower, fresh or dried. Long bloom time. A cottage garden favorite also known as melancholy gentleman and Hattie's pincushion. 24"h ○ ○ 🌿 🦋

\$13.00—4.5" pot

P394 **Meadow Rue, Columbine** 🌿

Thalictrum aquilegifolium

Lavender powderpuffs in early summer with columbine-like leaves. Fluffy clouds of many small flowers float above the foliage in summer. Likes the dappled shade under tall trees. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. 36–48"h ○ ○

\$3.00—2.5" pot

See more MEADOW RUE, pages 41 and 54

P395 **Mistflower** 🌿

Conoclinium coelestinum

Fluffy blue flowers in fall brighten the late season. Slow to appear in the garden each spring, but may spread. Long-lasting cut flowers on this Midwestern native. Formerly *Eupatorium*. 12–36"h ○ ○ 🌿 🦋 ☠️

\$3.00—3.5" pot

P396 **Moneywort** 🌿

Lysimachia nummularia Goldilocks

Glossy, with brighter yellow-green foliage than the usual golden moneywort, and spreads more strongly, even on drier soils. Flowers look like gold coins scattered on the ground. The species is native in European woodlands and wetlands. 4"h ○ ○ 🌿

\$12.00—6 plants in a pack

Monkshood *Aconitum*

Hooded flowers inspire its common name. Its other common name, wolf's bane, came from the supposed ancient use as a wolf poison. Graceful plants that can be used in place of delphiniums when the soil is heavier. ○ ○ ☠️

\$11.00—1 quart pot:

P397 **Royal Flush** *A. carnichaelii*—Dark bluish purple 2" flowers on thick, upright red stems. Spring foliage is red. Blooms September–October. 24–28"h 🌿

\$11.00—4.5" pot:

P398 **European Monkshood** *A. napellus* 🌿—Purple. 60"h

Mum, Hardy *Chrysanthemum*

Remember to plant for fall color! Compact mounds in a wide variety of colors blooming even after frost. Morden mums were bred for winter-hardiness in Manitoba. The Firecracker series is also from Manitoba. ○ ☠️

\$5.00—3.5" pot:

P399 **Dreamweaver**—Semi-double rosy lavender flowers have rolled and spoon-tipped outer petals and yellow centers. From the Firecracker series. 30"h

P400 **Firestorm**—Bright red daisy with a yellow center. 22"h

P401 **Morden Cameo White**—White petals emerge light yellow from the flower centers. 15"h

P402 **Morden Canary Yellow**—Bright yellow flowers are somewhat touseled. 15"h

P403 **Morden Delight Bronze** *C. x morifolium*—Orange-red with gold undertones. 15"h

P404 **Morden Fiesta Purple** *C. x morifolium*—Dark lavender pink. 15"h

P405 **Morden Garnet**—Deep red. 15"h

P406 **Power Surge**—Fully double dark red from the Firecracker series. 18"h

P407 **Prairie Lavender**—Lavender-pink double with newer center petals in light gold. 18–24"h

P408 **Showbiz**—A prolific bloomer covered with small lavender pink pompoms. 18"h

P409 **Stardust**—Dusty bronze flowers fade to rose. 22"h

P410 **Suncatcher**—Sunny yellow pompoms with rolled and spoon-tipped outer petals. A Morden cross. 30"h

P411 **Tiger Tail**—Bronzy peach double flowers mature to yellow. Both colors at once. 30"h

P412 **Mum, Minnesota**

Chrysanthemum x morifolium North Star

Cheerful double yellow flowers with no central "button." Tough and reliable selection from the late Art Boe of North Star Nursery in Faribault. Blooms through hard frost. Low-maintenance and deer-resistant. 12"h ○ ☠️ \$6.00—2.5" pot

Onion, Ornamental *Allium*

Spheres of tiny flowers on bare stems look like lollipops. Attractive, easy, and reliable. Rabbit- and deer-resistant, too. ○ ○ 🌿 🦋

\$5.00—2.5" pot:

P413 **Millennium** 🌿—These rosy purple globes are among the showiest. Does not self-seed. August bloom. 15–18"h ☠️

\$10.00—4.5" pot:

P414 **Summer Beauty** 🌿—Lavender-pink 2" globes. Long-blooming because sterile. Noted for its bee-appeal at the St. Anthony Park library. 12–18"h

See more ONIONS, pages 18 and 55

P415 **Pachysandra** 🌿

Pachysandra terminalis Green Carpet

Great for shade. A low ground cover that will not distract from your larger plantings. Honey-scented flowers in spring. 6–12"h ○ ○ 🌿 ☠️

\$12.00—6 plants in a pack

Pasque Flower *Pulsatilla vulgaris*

Pointed petals and yellow centers in April and May with fuzzy stems and foliage, followed by large, silky seed heads. Fragrant. These are European varieties, not the native wild flower. Easy to grow. ○ ○ 🌿 ☠️

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P416 **Blue Bells** 🌿—Slightly bluish purple. 10–12"h

P417 **Red Bells** 🌿—Bright red. 4–12"h

See more PASQUE FLOWER, page 55

Peony see box, page 39

Periwinkle *Vinca minor*

Evergreen, trailing ground cover for shady areas, including slopes and woods. Tubular five-petaled flowers in spring, then at times through fall. Does well under shrubs or interplanted with spring bulbs; good for summer containers, too. Takes dry shade when established. Mowing it low after blooming every couple of years helps keep it dense. ○ ○ 🌿 ☠️

\$12.00—6 plants in a pack:

P438 **Bowles Cunningham** 🌿—Larger blue-lavender flowers. 4–8"h by 10–14"w

P439 **Illumination** 🌿—Lavender flowers. Leaves are bright yellow with green edges. 4"h by 24"w 🌿

P440 **Purple** *V. minor atropurpurea* 🌿—Deep plum flowers in spring dot a thick mat of glossy dark green leaves. 1–4"h by 24–36"w

Phlox, Earlibeauty *Phlox*

Dense clusters of 1" flowers. Developed in Pennsylvania by hybridizing several Eastern native phlox. The Earlibeauty series is similar in appearance to our native *Phlox paniculata*, but extremely mildew-resistant. Flowers are fragrant and sterile. ○ ○ 🌿

\$12.00—4.5" pot:

P441 **Daughter of Pearl** 🌿—White with blended purple centers, on upright and mounding plants. Summer bloom time. 20–36"h

P442 **Rose Bouquet** 🌿—Clear pink flowers in summer on spreading plants. 16"h

See also PHLOX, GARDEN page 55

Phlox, Moss *Phlox subulata*

The foundation of the spring rock garden. Low, spreading plants absolutely covered with flowers in May. Neat mounds of juniper-like foliage after blooming stops. Can be sheared in summer to refresh the foliage. Deer tend to avoid it. Prefers well-drained, sandy soil with regular water. ○ 🌿 ☠️

\$8.00—4.5" pot:

P443 **Woodlander Pink** 🌿—Rosy pink flowers, larger than other phlox and stays in bloom longer. Mounded in full sun, slightly trailing in partial shade. Cross between *P. subulata* and *P. stolonifera*, it tolerates light shade. 4–6"h by 8–10"w

\$12.00—6 plants in a pack:

P444 **Amazing Grace** 🌿—White flowers with fuchsia pink central whiskers. 4–6"h by 18"w

P445 **Drummond's Pink** 🌿—Extra large bubblegum pink flowers with purple eyes and whiskers. 4–8"h by 16–24"w

P446 **Oakington Blue Eyes** 🌿—Pale lavender. 4–8"h by 16–24"w

P447 **Purple Beauty** 🌿—Lilac-purple flowers with deeper purple snowflake centers punctuated with a yellow dot. Sweet fragrance. 4–6"h by 12–24"w 🌿

Phlox, Moss *continued*

\$12.00—6 plants in a pack (continued):

P448 **Scarlet Flame** 🌿—Dark magenta with a darker magenta center. 4"h by 16–24"w

See also PHLOX, WOODLAND page 55

P449 **Pigsqueak** *Bergenia* Red Beauty 🌿

Red flowers. Leaves turn red in the fall. Also known as Red Start. Large, shiny, heart-shaped leaves. Native to Siberia, which tends to be good news for Minnesota gardeners. A quintessential shade plant, also called heartleaf. 18"h ○ ○ 🌿 \$3.00—2.5" pot

P450 **Pincushion Flower** 🌿 **NEW**

Scabiosa caucasica Fama Deep Blue

Nectar-rich 3–4" flowers with double layers of ruffled lilac-blue petals ringing a white center. Deadhead for prolonged bloom, but allow some later flowers to form their quirky seed pods. Flowers resemble delicate pincushions. A prodigious bloomer and a tough, hardy garden performer. Blooms early to late summer. Requires good drainage. 12–24"h ○ ○ 🌿 🦋

\$4.00—3.5" pot

Pinks, Hardy *Dianthus*

Contrary to their common name, not all pinks are pink. The name refers to the jagged edges of the petals (as in pinking shears). Compact, mat-forming favorites for lining paths and beds in cottage gardens. Narrow blue-green leaves. The Latin name, *Dianthus*, means "divine flower." Needs well-drained soil. ○ ○ ☠️

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P451 **Spotty** *D. gratianopolitanus*—Eye-catching deep pink flowers with white sprinkles and edges. Mounding. Blooms May–July and again in September. Also called Cheddar pinks. 6–12"h by 12–24"w 🌿 ☠️

\$5.00—2.5" pot:

P452 **Firewitch** *D. gratianopolitanus* 🌿—Clove-scented magenta flowers, spring through fall. The petals are sweet and tasty in a salad once the white base of each petal is pinched off. Do not eat the leaves or let your pets eat them. Heat-resistant and cold-tolerant. **** 6–12"h by 12"w 🌿 🦋 ☠️

\$6.00—2.5" pot:

P453 **Pink Lemonade** *D. plumarius*—Hot pink petals are flecked with gold. Blooms May–August. Best in full sun. 8"h

\$8.00—4.5" pot:

P454 **Cherry Pie** **NEW** 🌿—Neat mound of cherry red flowers. Long-lasting cut flowers with a spicy fragrance. Deer-resistant and drought-tolerant once established. From the American Pie series. 8–11"h 🌿 🦋

P455 **Pretty Poppers Double Bubble** 🌿—Flowers are pink, just like Dubble Bubble gum. Super floriferous, starting in late spring. 6–8"h ☠️

See more PINKS, pages 26 and 41

P456 **Poppy, Iceland** 🌿

Papaver nudicaule Wonderland Mix

Blooms the first year in late spring and early summer. Long-blooming, fragrant, delicate flowers. Short-lived perennial. 12–24"h ○ ☠️ \$3.00—2.5" pot

Poppy, Oriental *Papaver orientale*

Large, glossy cups of tissue-paper petals with fluffy purple-black centers in early summer. When it's done blooming, the foliage dies back and can be removed. Needs well-drained soil and does not like to be moved. Both the flowers and the unusual seed heads are great in arrangements. ○ ○ ☠️

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P457 **Allegro** 🌿—Dazzling scarlet flowers. Shorter. 16"h

P458 **Pizzicato** 🌿—Mixed red and orange shades. 20"h

P459 **Royal Wedding** 🌿—White. 30"h

P460 **Victoria Louise** *P. orientale* 🌿—Salmon. 36"h

See more POPPIES, page 27

Primrose *Primula*

Sweet woodland flowers in early spring. Primroses appreciate full sun in spring, but must have semi-shade as temperatures warm. They need to be grown in rich soil that never dries out. ○ ○ ☠️

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

P461 **Drumstick** *P. denticulata*—Dense clusters of flowers in red-purple to white above a whorl of textured leaves. 12–14"h

P462 **Piano Blue** *P. x polyanthus* **NEW** 🌿—Large bright blue flowers with a yellow eye. 6"h

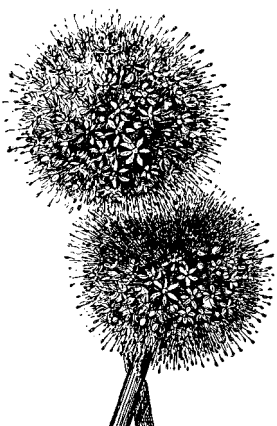
P463 **Super Nova Mix** *P. x polyantha* 🌿—6"h

\$5.00—3.5" pot:

P464 **Miller's Crimson** *P. japonica*—Red 1" flowers with a darker eye over felted foliage. 18–24"h 🌿



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P465 Pussytoes, Red *Antennaria dioica* 🌿
Groups of round puffballs make this plant a colorful addition to Minnesota's native white pussytoes. Its spring to early summer flowers attract pollinators, and its gray-green foliage lends interest to rock gardens all summer. Native to Alaska and the Pacific Northwest. Spreads by rhizomes and tolerates drought. Likes very good drainage. 3–6" h ○ 🌿 🌱 🌿 🌱 **\$4.00—3.5" pot**
See more PUSSYTOES, page 55

P466 Red Feathers *Echium amoenum*
Long-blooming spikes of rusty red flowers in spring turn to shades of pink and purple. Will rebloom in summer and fall if deadheaded. Drought-tolerant once established. Tends to be short-lived, so let it self-seed a bit. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. 10–16" h by 6–8" w 🌿 🌱 🌿 🌱 **\$7.00—4.5" pot**

P467 Rock Cross 🌿
Aubrieta hybrida Cascade Blue
Three to four weeks of plentiful violet-blue flowers with tiny yellow centers in late spring and early summer. Wonderful cascading over walls or providing a colorful carpet under tulips and other spring flowers. Likes alkaline soil and good drainage. Deer-resistant. 4–6" h by 12–24" w ○ 🌿 🌱 🌿 🌱 **\$3.00—2.5" pot**

P468 Rodger's Flower **NEW**
Rodgersia aesculifolia Fingerleaf Rodgersia
Seven crinkled leaflets radiating from the center form bold 12" leaves. Pyramidal flower clusters of fragrant creamy white or light pink florets bloom on 24" stalks June–August. Reddish brown hairs cover the stalks, stems, leaf veins, and leaf edges. Architectural drama for moist, dappled shade, but tolerates full sun with enough water. Large, veined, sawtoothed, compound leaves. Flowers on tall, bare stems. Native to China and Japan. Also known as the chestnut-leaved Rodgersia. Suitable for pond sides and wet areas. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. 36" h by 72" w ○ 🌿 🌱 **\$16.00—4.5" pot**

P469 Rose Campion
Lychnis coronaria Blood Red
Dark red 1" saucers. After it blooms June–August, cut the plant back to enjoy the furry silver foliage as an attractive ground cover. Easy and adaptable cottage garden plant. Self-seeds. Syn. *Silene coronaria*. 24–36" h ○ 🌿 🌱 🌿 🌱 **\$6.00—1 quart pot**

Sage, Flowering *Salvia*
Upright flower spikes above dense, aromatic foliage. Easy to grow. Cut back to 4" to promote rebloom. Prefers well-drained soil. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. ○ 🌿 **\$4.00—3.5" pot:**
P470 Merleau Blue **NEW** 🌿—Early blooming bluish purple spires. 12–16" h 🌿 **\$7.00—4.5" pot:**

P471 Caradonna *S. nemerosa* 🌿—Eye-catching violet-blue flowers on dark purple stems in early summer. 24–36" h 🌿 **\$7.00—4.5" pot:**

Peony *Paeonia* ○ 🌿 🌱 🌿 🌱

A classic garden favorite with large flowers on a bushy perennial. Easy to grow. Different varieties bloom during a seven-week period from late May–early July. (Mid-June blooms unless noted.)

- P418 Adrienne** *P. lactiflora* **NEW**—Pinkish red flowers with several layers of petals around its yellow center. Vigorous. 36" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P419 Albert Niva** *P. lactiflora* **NEW**—Scarlet red double, ball-shaped. Fragrant and early. 24–36" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P420 Benjamin Franklin** *P. lactiflora* **NEW**—Crimson red double that blooms high above compact foliage. Vigorous. Lightly fragrant. 30–36" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P421 Charlie's White** *P. lactiflora* **NEW**—Double white with large outer petals framing a globe of creamy inner petals. Lightly fragrant. Vigorous and makes a good cut flower. One of the best whites. Early. 32" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P422 Claudia** *P. lactiflora*—Semi-double flowers open a strong coral-pink and mellow to a pale salmon. 28–36" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P423 Coral Sunset** 🌿—Ruffled, semi-double, cupped 5" flowers open apricot-coral blended with rose-pink in June and slowly turn pale apricot. Flowers last so long that many different color stages show at once. Gold centers. Fragrant. Early. 30–36" h **\$16.00—1 gal. pot**

Sage, Flowering *continue*
\$7.00—4.5" pot (continued):
P472 May Night *S. x sylvestris* 🌿—Back by popular demand, this garden classic starts blooming in early summer and, with deadheading and watering, will rebloom. Dense spikes of violet to purple flowers attract pollinators, but not four-legged critters. 18–24" h by 12–18" w 🌿 **\$12.00—4.5" pot:**

P473 Ballerina Pink—Big, bold, curved flowers in soft pink are held in purple cups against the stems. Blooms early summer. Dried seed heads in fall. Fragrant. 18–20" h

P474 Bumbleberry *S. nemerosa*—Petite with purple-stemmed dark fuchsia-pink flowers. Early summer bloom. 10–12" h 🌿

P475 Moulin Rouge—Dark pink buds open to large pink to lavender-pink flowers in late spring to early summer. 24–26" h 🌿

See SAGE and SALVIA, pages 9, 27, and 28

Sage, Russian *Salvia yangii*
Open and wiry, with clouds of tiny violet flowers July–October. The gray-green foliage smells of sage when crushed. Give it a hot, sunny site with sharp drainage and you'll be rewarded with extended summer bloom. Prune in March or April, cutting back to 6–12". Deer-resistant. Formerly *Perovskia*. ○ 🌿 🌱 **\$3.00—2.5" pot:**

P476 Filigran—Soft, lacy presence in the garden. 36–54" h by 36–42" w

P477 Little Spire—Compact, with long bloom time. Good for small gardens. 24" h **\$8.00—4.5" pot:**

P478 Blue Jean Baby 🌿—Sprays of bluish lavender flowers emerge from furry purple bud cases. Vigorous and early. Highly rated by the Chicago Botanic Garden. 28–34" h by 36" w

P479 Crazy Blue 🌿—One of the most compact. 14" h 🌿

P480 Little Lace 🌿—Bluish lavender flowers and purple bud cases. Highly rated by the Chicago Botanic Garden. 18–24" h by 16–18" w 🌿

Sea Holly *Eryngium*
Offbeat, fanciful plants seem to be from an alien planet. Minute flowers are packed into small cones with a collar of spiny bracts (petal-like leaves) so that the whole resembles a bizarre daisy. Stiff, branching stems with prickly leaves. Color remains when cut or dried. Best in hot, full sun and actually likes poor, dryish soil. Drought-tolerant and deer-resistant. July–September. ○ 🌿 🌱

\$4.00—2.5" pot:
P481 Amethyst *E. amethystinum*—Gumdrop-shaped silver cones and long, thin silver bracts become silvery blue. Serrated leaves are green with lighter veins and fringed edges. 24" h

Sea Holly *continued*
\$4.00—2.5" pot (continued):
P482 Blue Eryngo *E. planum*—Egg-shaped, thimble-sized green cones turn lavender-blue and are encircled with narrow, pointed silvery blue bracts. Upper stems also become blue. (Pronounced like "eh-RING-o.") 24–36" h by 12–24" w 🌿
See also RATTLESNAKE MASTER, page 55

P483 Self-Heal, Large-Flowered 🌿
Prunella grandiflora Bella Blue
Clusters of many small bluish purple flowers late spring to late summer on compact, neat plants that form dense mats. 6–8" h by 18–36" w ○ 🌿 🌱 🌿 **\$12.00—6 plants in a pack**
See more SELF-HEAL, page 9

P484 Senna, American *Cassia hebecarpa*
Butter yellow pea-flower clusters that arise from the upper-tiered leaves of pea-like foliage. Numerous seed pods follow bloom and cause the plant to lean over from the weight. Deadheading the seed pods keeps plants in vertical posture. This drought buster is a survivor; its stubborn root system keeps it alive in times of stress. Give this stately, late summer-blooming native plenty of room to grow. Native as nearby as Wisconsin. 48–72" h ○ 🌿 **\$4.00—3.5" pot**

P485 Siberian Heartleaf 🌿
Brunnera macrophylla Alexander's Great
Greenish silver leaves with green veins and narrow green margins. A larger version of Jack Frost. Heart-shaped foliage with clusters of small true blue flowers like forget-me-nots, May–June. 14–18" h by 24–30" w ○ ○ **\$13.00—4.5" pot**

P486 Silver Mound 🌿
Artemisia schmidtiana Silver Mound
Fragrant, lacy plant grown for its silvery foliage. It makes a nice accent to fresh or dried flower arrangements or in containers of annuals. 12" h ○ 🌿 🌱 **\$4.00—3.5" pot**

P487 Solomon's Seal, Variegated
Polygonatum multiflorum Variegatum
Leaves have wide white to cream stripes. Tiny white bell flowers hang below arching stems in spring. Adds airy contrast to large-leaved plants like hostas. 24" h ○ 🌿 🌱 🌿 **\$8.00—1 quart pot**

Speedwell *Veronica longifolia*
Dense, tapered flower spikes rise above lower foliage. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. ○ 🌿 🌱 🌿 🌱 **\$4.00—2.5" pot:**

P488 First Love—Fluorescent pink flower spikes. Blooms all summer, and especially attention-getting planted in a group. Great cut flower. 6–12" h by 8–12" w **\$12.00—4.5" pot:**

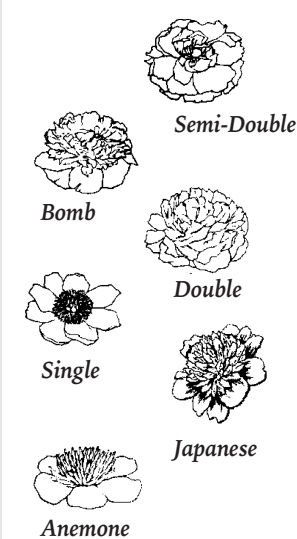
P489 Eveline **NEW** 🌿—Tiny violet to purple-red blossoms on sturdily upright stems. 12–20" h by 12" w



Sea holly

Peonies bloom over seven weeks in the Twin Cities, late May to early July.

Very early: late May
Early: June week 1–2
Mid: June week 2–3
Mid-late: June week 3–4
Late: late June–early July
Very late: early July



Wondering what the rest of these peony terms mean? Check out our article with definitions at www.FriendsSchoolPlantSale.com/peonies

- P424 Cytherea** **NEW**—Semi-double 6" flowers with strongly cupped cherry rose petals that form a bowl. Color softens to peachy pink. Fragrant. Late spring to early summer bloom. Cytherea is another name for the goddess Venus. 24–30" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P425 Do Tell** *P. lactiflora* **NEW**—Pale pink outer petals around a frilly lilac-pink and white center. Japanese-style 7" blossom with a mild fragrance. Early. 32" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P426 Duchesse de Nemours** 🌿—150-year-old creamy white classic with large, double flowers on sturdy stems. The center of the flower is a light yellow. Blooms early mid-season. Fragrant. 34–48" h **\$16.00—1 gal. pot**
- P427 Flame**—Hot pink single hybrid with orange tones. Strong stems. Early-blooming. 24" h 🌿 **\$16.00—1 gal. pot**
- P428 Geraldine** *P. lactiflora* **NEW**—Purplish pink color is deeper in cool climates. Japanese type with wide outer petals around a large cluster of narrow, pointed inner petals. Vigorous. 30" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P429 Joker** **NEW**—Ruffly pink 6–8" double. Opens pink with deep pink edges, then its petals become white outlined with pink. Fragrant. Early. 32" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P430 Kansas** 🌿—Fragrant red double flowers in early to mid-season. 36" h **\$16.00—1 gal. pot**
- P431 Karl Rosenfield** 🌿—Double red. Early to mid-season. 20–36" h **\$16.00—1 gal. pot**
- P432 Myrtle Gentry**—Double 10" flowers are blush pink. One of the most fragrant peonies with a tea-rose scent. Named for the woman who started as a secretary working for the Brands at their Faribault peony farm and became their partner. It won the silver medal at the American Peony Society in St. Paul in 1923. 36" h 🌿 **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P433 Paladin** **NEW**—Bowl-shaped pinkish red semi-double. A paladin is a champion or knight. 20" h 🌿 **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P434 Paula Fay** 🌿—Fragrant, semi-double bright pink flowers early mid-season. American Peony Society Gold Medal winner. 36" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P435 Sarah Bernhardt** *P. lactiflora* 🌿—Double pink. Fragrant. 20–36" h **\$16.00—1 gal. pot**
- P436 Sword Dance** *P. lactiflora*—Cupped dark red flowers with curly red and yellow stamens. Japanese form. Non-fading and wind-resistant. Does not need staking. June bloom. 34" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**
- P437 White Sands** *P. lactiflora* **NEW**—White outer petals surround a frilly light yellow center. 5–6" flower. Very fragrant. 32" h **\$29.00—2 gal. pot**

See also PEONY, ITOH, page 18

Perennials

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

Stonecrop sedum ○●☀️🐝🐇🐇🐇🐇

Fine Gardening magazine called these succulents the “most versatile, drought-tolerant, and easy-to-grow perennials, producing carpets of bloom that look spectacular.” Best color in full sun.

Creeping

Carpets of small but thick leaves in a variety of shapes, colors, and arrangement on the stems. Widths vary, but plant them where they have room to spread. Clusters of starry flowers. Easy and deer-resistant.

- P493 **Angelina** *S. rupestre* ☀️—Brilliant gold leaves on trailing stems. Orange fall color. Discovered in a private garden in Croatia. 6–8”h by 12–24”w
\$12.00—6 plants in a pack
- P494 **Atlantis** *S. takesimense* ☀️—Stacked rosettes of small, serrated leaves with wide pale yellow margins that blush pink in fall. Tiny yellow flowers just above the foliage in midsummer. 4–6”h by 10”w
\$12.00—4.5” pot
- P495 **Blue Spruce** *S. pinifolium* ☀️—Dense mats of blue-green spiky foliage. Yellow flowers. 2–4”h
\$12.00—6 plants in a pack
- P496 **Coral Carpet** *S. album* **NEW**—Rounded leaves emerge pinkish orange in spring, change to green, then redden in fall. White or very pale pink flowers. 1–3”h by 12–18”w
\$12.00—6 plants in a pack
- P497 **Dragon’s Blood** *S. spurium* ☀️—Bright pinkish red flowers and crimson-edged foliage that turns completely red as the weather cools. A German variety (Schorbuser Blut), bred to have a brighter red color. 3–5”h by 12–18”w
\$3.00—2.5” pot

- P498 **Golden Carpet** *S. acre*—Yellow flowers in summer. Best in full sun. 2–3”h by 12–24”w
\$3.00—2.5” pot
- P499 **Kamchatka** *S. kamtschaticum*—Yellow flowers in early summer. Green leaves. More shade-tolerant. **** 6”h
\$3.00—2.5” pot
- P500 **Kamchatka, Variegated** *S. kamtschaticum variegatum* ☀️—Yellow flowers with orange centers in early summer. Leaves are outlined with creamy white and can become tinged with pink. Can take part shade. **** 6”h
\$12.00—6 plants in a pack
- P501 **Lemon Drop**—Tidy with bright yellow flowers in late summer and fall. Can take more shade than most stonecrops. 6”h by 12”w
\$7.00—3” deep pot
- P502 **Lidakense** *S. caucicola*—Great for rocks or walls. Compact mounds of rounded blue to bronzy red foliage with clusters of starry pink flowers in late summer. **** 2–4”h
\$3.00—2.5” pot
- P503 **Mediovariegatum** *S. sieboldii*—Cream leaves edged in gray-blue on slender arching stems resemble sprays of eucalyptus. Gets hints of pink in sun. Fluffy pink flowers in October. **** 4–8”h by 12–18”w
\$4.00—2.5” pot
- P504 **October Daphne** *S. sieboldii*—Foliage is attractive throughout the season with pink-edged blue-green pads low to the ground. The pink flowers don’t appear until well into autumn, providing great late-season interest. 4”h by 12–15”w
\$7.00—3” deep pot

- P505 **Old Man’s Bones** *S. globosum* ☀️—Like a packed collection of green rattlesnake rattles or columns of fat beads. Acquires a bronzy red cast later in the season. Yellow flowers in early summer. 2–4”h by 8–12”w
\$12.00—6 plants in a pack
- P506 **Oracle** *S. forsterianum* ☀️—Blue-gray, needle-like foliage. Large gold flower clusters July–September. 4–8”h by 9–12”w
\$3.00—2.5” pot
- P507 **Pink Stonecrop** *S. ewersii*—Round blue-green leaves topped with clusters of purple-pink flowers. Named for Johann Philipp Gustav von Ewers, a promoter of Siberian botanical exploration. Best in dry sites and full sun. 4–6”h
\$5.00—3.5” pot
- P508 **Purple Form** *S. hispanicum*—Diminutive, dense gray-blue leaf clusters transition to deep blue as fall approaches, and finally to purple. Star-shaped pink flowers. 2–4”h by 12–15”w
\$12.00—6 plants in a pack
- P509 **Turkish Delight** *S. ussuriense*—Deepest burgundy, almost black foliage and carmine-red flower clusters the color of the Turkish candy. 4–6”h
\$7.00—3” deep pot
- P510 **Voodoo** *S. spurium* ☀️—Brilliant rose red, star-like flowers and rounded burgundy foliage. Eye-catching. 4–6”h by 12–18”w
\$5.00—4 plants in a pack

Upright

- Dramatic, taller succulents with fragrant flower clusters that bloom summer into fall. Keep untrimmed for winter interest.
- P511 **Autumn Fire** ☀️—Autumn Joy has a big sibling. Taller, with denser foliage and extended bloom of rose-pink flowers on flattened, rounded heads. 24–30”h
\$8.00—4.5” pot
- P512 **Brilliant** *S. spectabile*—Rose-pink star flowers in 3–6” wide clusters bloom August–October. Upright gray-green stems hold thick leaves. 18–24”h
\$3.00—2.5” pot
- P513 **Cherry Truffle** ☀️—Multiple crowns of bicolor purple-black and gray-green leaves in spring change to purple-black in the summer on this compact grower. Warm pink flowers midsummer. 16”h by 24”w
\$8.00—4.5” pot
- P514 **Edelweiss** *S. spectabile* **NEW**—Flowers bloom very pale pink, then become white. Sturdy stems with jagged-edged leaves. Developed by Edelweiss Nursery in Duluth, now closed. 15–18”h by 18–24”w
\$7.00—3” deep pot
- P515 **Emperor’s Wave** *S. telephium* ☀️—Blue-green pointed leaves, dark stems, and reddish purple flowers. Umbrella-like flower heads August–September. 16–18”h
\$3.00—2.5” pot
- P516 **Snow Banks** *S. spectabile* **NEW**—White flowers emerge from light green buds and remain white. 15”h by 20”w
\$7.00—3” deep pot
- P517 **Thunderhead** ☀️—Dark rose flower clusters and bronzy gray-green foliage that tints burgundy in early fall. 30”h
\$8.00—4.5” pot



See also STONECROP, MINIATURE, pages 41 and 42



Pearl yarrow

- P490 **Spikenard, Japanese Golden** ☀️ *Aralia cordata* Sun King
Red-brown stems lined with 6” bright gold leaves bring a tropical look to any shady area. Tall spikes of white flowers are followed by decorative black fruit. Edible shoots in spring, like asparagus. 48”h by 36”w
\$13.00—4.5” pot
- Spurge, Cushion** *Euphorbia polychroma*
Electric color for spring. ○●☀️🐇🐇
\$3.00—2.5” pot:
- P491 **Spurge, Cushion** ☀️—Showy yellow-green bracts in early spring. Foliage turns maroon in fall. Avoid the irritating sap. **** 16–24”h
\$12.00—4.5” pot:
- P492 **Bonfire** ☀️—This plant will stop you in your tracks with its color variation. It has deep purple, red, and orange leaves with crackling yellow bracts in spring. **** 18”h

See more SPURGE, pages 28 and 56

Stonecrop see box, above

- P518 **Sweet Woodruff** *Galium odoratum* ☀️
Sweetly fragrant tiny white flowers. Blooms May–June. Sometimes used to stuff pillows. Strong spreader, will grow in difficult places. 6”h ○●☀️🐇🐇
\$12.00—6 plants in a pack

Thyme, Creeping *Thymus*

Spreading herb with a carpet of small flowers. Perfect for rock gardens, between paving stones, or on the edge of a garden bed. Tolerates light foot traffic. Releases a spicy aroma when stepped on. May be mowed. Very hardy and extremely drought-tolerant. Happiest in well-drained soil. ○☀️🐇🐇🐇

- \$3.00—2.5” pot:
- P519 **Mother-of-Thyme** *T. serpyllum* ☀️—Deep pink to lilac flowers. 3–6”h by 12–18”w
\$12.00—6 plants in a pack:
- P520 **Caborn Wine and Roses** ☀️—Purplish pink flowers. 2–4”h by 8–12”w
- P521 **Red** *T. coccineus* ☀️—Bright red-purple flowers and tiny, rounded leaves. 2”h by 12–18”w
- P522 **Spicy Orange** ☀️—Also prized for cooking. Pink flowers. 2–3”h by 12”w

See more THYME, pages 9 and 41



About those stars...

Throughout, you will notice plants that are marked with five stars (*****). These plants have been awarded five stars by Heger, Lonnee, and Whitman in the 2011 edition of *Growing Perennials in Cold Climates* as some of the very best plants available on the market.

- P523 **Toad Lily, Japanese** *Tricyrtis hirta* ☀️
Maive with spots. Intriguing small flowers. Prefers moist soil, forming colonies in good sites. Protect from early frost so you don’t miss the flowers on this late fall bloomer. Native to China and Japan. 24”h ○
\$3.00—3.5” pot
- Turtlehead, Pink** *Chelone lyonii*
Short spikes of 1” deep pink flowers resembling snapdragon buds bloom August–September. Glossy, toothed foliage. Happy in moist or even poorly drained soil. Rabbit- and deer-resistant. ○●☀️
\$4.00—3.5” pot:
- P524 **Hot Lips** ☀️—Fun to watch bees get into the flowers. 24–30”h
\$12.00—4.5” pot:
- P525 **Tiny Tortuga** ☀️—Bronzy dark green leaves. Bred in the Netherlands, it resembles a smaller version of Hot Lips. “Tortuga” means “turtle” or “tortoise” in Spanish. 18–24”h by 12–16”w 🐇🐇

See also TURTLEHEAD, WHITE page 56

- P526 **Umbrella Plant** *Darmera peltata*
Small clusters of pink and white flowers in early spring before the foliage emerges, but grow it for its glossy, lobed 18–24” leaves in mounds. Leaves are cupped, upward-facing, and collect pools of rainwater. Scarlet fall color. Prefers cooler summers and needs consistent moisture. Tolerates clay soils. Western U.S. native. A tropical look for northern gardens. 36–60”h ○●
\$12.00—4.5” pot

Wild Indigo *Baptisia australis*

A classic garden favorite with pea-blossom flowers and gray-green foliage. Blooms in June. Black seed pods are good for dried arrangements. Snubbed by deer. Tolerates poor, dry soil. Does not transplant once established. ○●🐇🐇

- \$3.00—2.5” pot:
- P527 **Blue** ☀️—One of the U of M’s Tough and Terrific perennials. **** 36–48”h 🐇🐇
\$16.00—4.5” pot:
- P528 **American Goldfinch**—Bright yellow. Blooms heavily for many weeks. 36–42”h by 54–60”w 🐇
- P529 **Pink Lemonade** ☀️—Blossoms emerge butter yellow, turn pink, then dusty mauve. All colors seen at once. 42–48”h
- P530 **Plum Rosy** **NEW** ☀️—Flowers open mauve pink and lighten to almost white. Both colors show at once. 42–48”h 🐇

See more WILD INDIGO, page 56

- P531 **Wood Poppy** *Stylophorum diphyllum* ☀️
A nice spot of bright yellow in the late spring to early summer woodland. Fuzzy green flower buds and pleasant, long-lasting foliage. A self-seeding Midwestern native. 12–18”h ○●
\$4.00—3.5” pot

Yarrow *Achillea*

Clusters of small flowers on upright plants with narrow foliage. Clip down to 6” after blooming for rebloom. ○●☀️

- \$4.00—3.5” pot:
- P532 **Love Parade** *A. sibirica* subsp. *camschatica* **NEW** ☀️—Light pink flowers and toothed, leathery foliage. Blooms the first year. Native to the Kamchatka Peninsula in Siberia. 12–24”h ☺️
\$5.00—3.5” pot:
- P533 **Peter Cottontail** *A. ptarmica*—Covered with half-inch double white blossoms like well-groomed bunny tails from early summer to early fall. Popular in Edwardian gardens, although not well-known now. These vigorous, easy plants are fragrant and left alone by deer and rabbits. Also called sneezewort because the dried leaves were used for cheap snuff. 18–24”h by 28–30”w 🐇

- P534 **Yarrow, Ground Cover** ☀️ *Achillea x lewisii* King Edward
Unlike its tall cousins, this yarrow forms a small carpet of olive green leaves topped with clusters of tiny pale yellow flowers. Leaves are evergreen and fuzzy. Blooming is extended by deadheading. 6–10”h by 12”w ○☀️🐇🐇
\$12.00—6 plants in a pack
See more YARROW, page 56

- P535 **Yucca** *Yucca filamentosa* ☀️
Rosette of bluish green sword-shaped, spine-tipped leaves. Long, curly white threads line the margins. When plant is mature, tall stalks of fragrant white flowers bloom in summer. Drought-tolerant. Also known as Adam’s needle. Native in Wisconsin. 30–45”h ○🐇🐇
\$4.00—3.5” pot

- P536 **Zinnia, Hardy** ☀️ **NEW** *Zinnia grandiflora*
Summer-blooming Southwestern native wild flower with 1” yellow daisies over needle-like leaves. Of special value to native bees. Likes dry, sandy, very well-drained soil. Spreads by rhizomes. Deer- and rabbit resistant. Also known as prairie zinnia and Rocky Mountain zinnia. 6–8”h by 10–15”w ○☀️🐇
\$4.00—3.5” pot