



**Howard
Nurseries Ltd**

**Hardy Perennials
2021-2023**

Where tradition & values flourish



The late David Howard

Welcome to our 2021-2023 Wholesale Catalogue

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"... We just worked very hard and always achieved the best possible standard." – one of Dad's reflections on our family-run business.

2020 was a year in which we all worked very hard to achieve our best in exceptional circumstances. It's certainly been a bumpy roller-coaster ride we've collectively been on as a nursery team and the horticultural industry as a whole. A witty spoof image, based on the film *Back To The Future*, has the caption: Whatever you do, don't set it to 2020! In amongst the busyness of running a business, I aim to regularly get out in one of our fields and have a therapeutic dig. There's nothing like the space and calm provided by getting outdoors, away from it all, to ground you and put things into perspective. Across the nation, across the world, we have seen the evidence of the benefit of green outdoor spaces in peoples' lives. The horticultural industry has reeled a little under the pressure this reawakened pleasure has sparked. Here at Howard Nurseries Ltd, we are rising to this challenge through innovative and modern means: three new electric buggies aid the transportation of containers around the site; plans are afoot for increasing our glasshouse capacity and the Propagation Team has grown in number! Preserving the environment has always been high on our agenda: we have an ambitious environmental policy and engage with new ideas and processes. On one end of the scale, Two Tesla Powerwalls are soon to be installed to capture the energy generated from our solar panels; on the other, a bird's nest in a pot stacking area was left undisturbed for the season.

Our customer base continues to grow, I am looking forward to welcoming back customers to the nursery for a catch-up, a stroll around the plants, and the sharing of ideas and experiences. Hopefully we can offer this again soon. In the mean-time, perhaps you have been dipping into our Instagram feed for inspiration and support? To our customers – be you a regular, returnee or new; large, expanding or small – we continue to value you and your support, a sincere thank you!

And to our fantastic team here at Howard Nurseries Ltd - a massive thank you for your part in getting us through. We're coming out the other side stronger and well prepared to maintain a continuous thriving business!

Christine Howard

Christine Howard, Managing Director

Howard Nurseries Limited

We are specialist producers of Herbaceous Perennial Plants, growing two million plants annually in over 1600 varieties, as either field grown plants or in a range of container sizes, predominantly 9 cm or 2 Litre. Our main markets are other nurseries, garden centres, garden designers, landscapers and local authorities.

Howard Nurseries was founded over fifty years ago and has steadily grown so that it now covers over 150 acres of land employing approximately 40 people plus seasonal staff as required.

As a wholesale nursery we are almost unique in the United Kingdom in offering an extensive range of field and container grown perennials. By propagating over 90% of our crops in house, we have control of quality and trueness to type. We have a good reputation for the generous size of our field grown plants. At all times we will strive to provide the best quality plants. We take great pride in our plants and to ensure they reach you in good condition we use our own transport and drivers where possible.

Visits Welcome to the Nursery

We welcome and encourage visitors to the nursery within our opening hours, as mentioned below. Nursery visits are by appointment only.

Monday –Thursday 8.00am – 4.30pm
and Friday 8.00am – 3.30pm

We regret we are not normally open on a Saturday or Sunday.

Prices

Prices will continue to be shown solely on our regularly refreshed Availability List ensuring you can make your selection from our widest and most up to date range at the best price available. We have included a Recommended Retail Price (RRP) for our garden centre customers but those can change to suit customer requirements.

Payment

We accept payment by credit and debit cards, but we will be phasing out cheques and cash.

Ordering and Availability

All plants are offered subject to availability at the point of call-off, e.g. advanced orders for spring can be affected by weather induced losses. We will not knowingly oversell but will contact you if orders seem to be lingering to free up stock in time if necessary. Orders are processed in order of receipt and an acknowledgement is emailed as appropriate. Retail nurseries and landscapers are able to order online.

Deliveries

We deliver throughout the UK 12 months of the year and have varying transport options available to cater for all sizes of order.

Whether it's a small carrier delivery or a lorry full, our sales team review each order and will always work with you to find the most practical and cost-effective delivery option based on your requirements and delivery timescale.

For more information on delivery costing, please contact our sales team with your requirements.

RHS Plant Finder






Where ever possible we use the 'RHS Plant Finder' as our guide to correct naming of plants. The details of the plants however are still under their "old" names. We have introduced the RHS hardiness scale in the catalogue. H1 (soft) to H7 (fully hardy).

Catalogue legend

Agastache ('Giant Hyssop')

Great for butterflies and sun!

'Blue Fortune' – spikes of deep violet flowers

	90h	July-Oct				
<p>Plant description</p> <p>Full sun, half shade, shade</p>	<p>Flower Colour indicator</p>	<p>plants for pollinators</p>	<p>AGM</p>	<p>frost hardiness</p>	<p>3-4 per m²</p>	<p>H6</p>

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Slot pot label.

Locks in place on the rim of a 2L pot



Slot pot label

Locks in place on the rim of a 9cm pot



Spike label

Ideal when potting up bare-root or when buying stock to grow on.



Garden Centre labels are made in house and are adjustable to our customers' needs. You can choose to have fields included or excluded as you wish. The background colour will match your house style or logo and we can add your logo, barcode, retail price, Suffolk or Norfolk grown, British grown flag, AGM logo and Pollinators logo are standard.



www.howardnurseries.co.uk

You can now catch up on our Latest News, download our Availability List, email us direct from the site or if you are new to us, use the application form to contact our Office Team.

Find Us On Twitter and Instagram

Keep up to date with our latest News and events by following [Twitter @HowardNurseries](#). [Instagram @howardnurseries](#)



Forthcoming Shows

We will be attending shows again in the future, but for now we will concentrate on communicating via social media and email.

As soon as we feel it is safe for you and us to attend shows again we will let you know and we are really looking forward to meeting you again when it is safe to do so.

Some of our New Additions Available This Year



**Achillea
'Pomegranate'**



**Achillea
'New Vintage White'**

NEW



**Agastache
'Blue Boa'**



**Agapanthus
'Charlotte'**

Some of our New Additions Available This Year



**Anemone
'Ruffled Swan'**



**Aster nb.
'Crimson Brocade'**

NEW



**Baptisia a.
'Caspian Blue'**



**Bergenia
'Fire and Ice'**

Note: PBR = Plant Breeders Right. Propagation for sale illegal without authorisation

Some of our New Additions Available This Year



**Centaurea
'Amethyst Dream'**



**Digitalis
'Goldcrest'**

NEW



**Eryngium
'Pen Blue'**



**Gaura
'Papillon'**

Some of our New Additions Available This Year



**Hakonechloa m.
'Sunflare'**

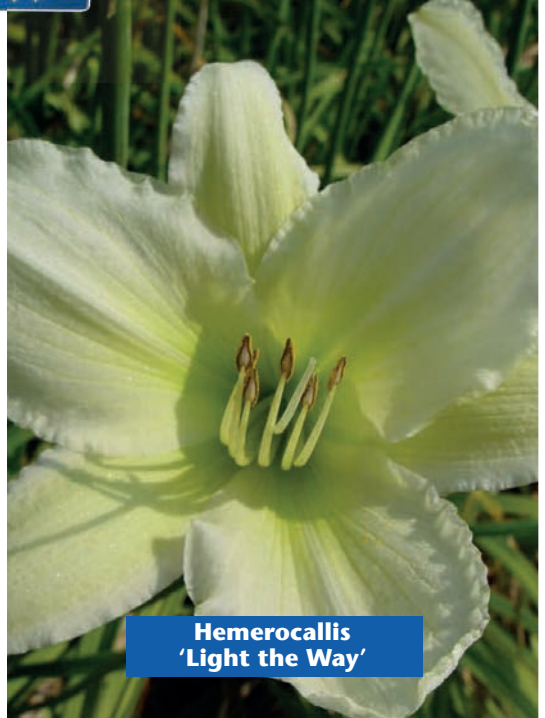


**Helenium
'Wesergold'**

NEW



**Hemerocallis
'Charles Johnston'**



**Hemerocallis
'Light the Way'**

Some of our New Additions Available This Year



**Heuchera
'Forever Red'**



**Hosta
'Blue Vision'**

NEW



**Hosta
'First Frost'**



**Persicaria
a. 'Fascination'**

Some of our New Additions Available This Year



**Rudbeckia
t. 'Blackjack Gold'**



**Salvia
'Bumbleblue'**

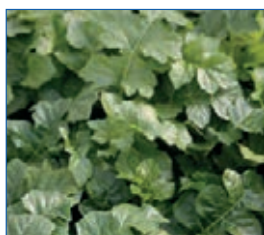
NEW



**Scabiosa c.
'Flutter Pure White'**



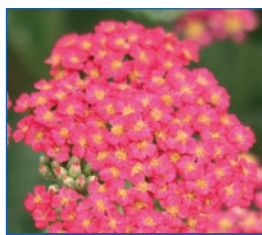
**Tiarella 'Pink
Skyrocket'**



Acanthus mollis



Achillea 'Credo'



Achillea 'Fanal'



Achillea 'Cerise Queen'

Acanthus (Bear's Breeches')

Architectural plant for hot sunny borders.

3-5
per m²

mollis – dark green pinnate foliage, tall spikes of prickly white and mauve flowers		100-150h 100-150s	July Sept		
- 'Hollard's Gold' – broad shining golden yellow leaves especially pronounced in spring, mauve and white flower spikes on mature plants		100-150h 100-150s	June Sept		
spinusosus – deeply segmented, dark shiny green leaves, impressive mauve spikes		100-150h 50-100s	July Sept		

Achillea ('Yarrow')

Best in sun and good drainage. For repeat flowering, cut back spent flower stems.

3-5
per m²

'Apfelblüte' – (Galaxy Series) (Appleblossom) – two-tone pink as flowers mature		50-100h 10-50s	June Aug		
'Coronation Gold' – true form, bright yellow		50-100h 10-50s	June Aug		
'Credo' – good creamy yellow flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June Aug		
'Fanal' – (The Beacon) – strong red, fading as flowers mature		50-100h 10-50s	June Aug		
'Feuerland' – bright fiery red flowers with yellow eye, fading to burnt orange, sturdy		50-100h 10-50s	June Sept		
filipendulina 'Gold Plate' – large flat yellow heads held on tall stiff stems		100-150h 50-100s	June Aug		
'Fornsett Fletton' – (Fornsett Series) – two-tone brick orange		50-100h 10-50s	June Aug		
'Inca Gold' – terracotta orange flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June Aug		
'Lachsschönheit' – (Galaxy Series) (Salmon Beauty) – light salmon pink		50-100h 50-100s	June Aug		
'Little Moonshine' ^{PBR} – compact form of 'Moonshine'		20-30h	May Sept		
'Martina' – large pale yellow flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June Oct		
millefolium 'Cerise Queen' – rosy cerise		50-100h 10-50s	June Aug		
- 'Red Velvet' – red flowers which may darken to crimson		50-100h 50-100s	June Sept		



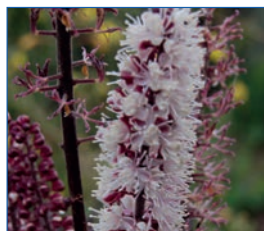
Achillea 'Paprika'



Achillea 'Terracotta'



Aconitum 'Newry Blue'



Actaea 'Brunette'

Achillea ('Yarrow')

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3-5
per m²

'Rose Madder' – bright salmon-pink flowers		10-50 h 10-50s	June Aug				
'Moonshine' – soft yellow heads, soft silvery foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June Aug				
nobilis subsp. neilreichii – greyish-green foliage, creamy-ivory flowers		10-50h 10-50s	July Aug				
'Paprika' – (Galaxy Series) – scarlet-red flowers, fern-like feathery foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June Aug				
'Summerwine' – clusters of deep claret flowers, slender stems		50-100h 10-50s	July Sept				
'Terracotta' – brown-orange maturing to pale yellow		100-150h 10-50s	June Sept				
'Walther Funcke' – – orange-red flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June Aug				

Aconitum ('Monk's hood')

An underrated plant with distinctive erect flower spikes for part shade or sun.

Toxic if eaten/
harmful via skin.

3-5
per m²

carmichaelii 'Arendsii' – upright spires of deep blue flowers, of rich green divided foliage		100-150h 10-50s	July Aug				
'Newry Blue' – outstanding tall, narrow flower spikes, of rich, deep blue flowers adding a strong vertical to a border		100-150h 10-50s	July Sept				

Actaea ('Bugbane')

Actaea thrive in shade and partial shade, although they dislike boggy conditions.

3-5
per m²

'Chocoholic' – tall spikes of fragrant mauve-pink flowers that fade to white with age above contrasting deep purple foliage		100-150h 50-100s	Aug Sep				
simplex 'Brunette' – tall spikes of scented white bottle-brush-like flowers against contrasting dark purple foliage and dark stems		100-150h 50-100s	Sept Oct				
- 'Pink Spike' – fluffy white flowers open from pink buds on tall, slender stems above divided mahogany leaves		100-150h 50-100s	Aug Sep				


Agapanthus 'African Queen' PBR














































Agapanthus campanulatus

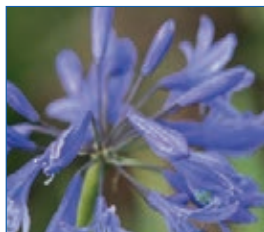
Agapanthus 'Lilliput'

Agapanthus Queen Mum PBR

Agapanthus ('African Lily') Increasingly popular for spectacular displays in sunny border or container. Flowers best in pot when restricted.

3-5
per m²

'African Queen' PBR® – Deep purple buds open to purple-blue flowers with a darker purple central midrib		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep		
'Black Beauty' – very dark violet-blue flowers with paler centres, ideal habitat for the front of border or container, prefers full sun and a free draining soil		50-100h 10-60s	July- Aug		
'Black Pantha' PBR – rounded umbels of dark violet-blue flowers on upright stems above broad, evergreen leaves		50-100h 10-50s	July- Aug		
'Blue Dot' – compact growth, light blue flowers with darker veining		10-50h 10-50s	July- Aug		
campanulatus – rounded umbels of blue flowers, clump forming, strong stems above narrow grey-green leaves		100-150h 10-50s	July- Aug		
– var. albidus – graceful heads of white flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July- Aug		
– 'Cobalt Blue' – violet-blue flowers, slightly darker base, anthers purple turning black		50-100h 10-60s	July- Aug		
'Gayle's Lilac' – inside of flower very pale violet, margin pale violet, mid rib violet, anthers purple with yellow pollen		50-100h 10-50s	July- Aug		
Headbourne hybrids – a selection of blue shades		50-100h 10-50s	July- Aug		
'Lilliput' – dark violet blue, anthers violet with yellowish pollen, deciduous leaves		10-50h 10-50s	July- Aug		
'Midnight Star' ('Navy Blue') – rather glossy, dark violet-blue, upright buds opening to very deep violet-blue flowers on long stems		50-100h 10-50s	July- Aug		
'Peter Pan' – dwarf, with flared, light blue flowers, noticeably darker over mid-rib, above glossy, evergreen leaves		10-50h 10-50s	July- Aug		
Queen Mum' PBR – a beautiful new cultivar producing an abundance of extra-large dual coloured white and blue flowers above dark green clumping foliage		100-150h 10-50s	July- Aug		
'Sea Coral' – palest white-blue, coral hints		60-80h	July- Aug		
'Sandringham' – light violet-blue flowers on tall stems, contrasting with the mid-green leaves		50-100h 10-50s	July- Aug		


Agapanthus 'Torbay'

Agapanthus 'White Heaven' PBR
















Agastache 'Blackadder'

Agastache 'Alabaster'

Agapanthus ('African Lily')

















































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 3-5
per m²

'Streamline' – violet blue flowers, small grass like leaves, dwarf habit		10-50h 10-50s	July-Aug			H5
'Torbay' – free flowering with loose, sky blue heads		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep			H5
'Twister' PBR – crystal white flutes turning inky blue at the tips		10-50h 10-50s	July-Aug			H4
white dwarf hybrids – compact forms with heads full of white flowers		10-50h 10-50s	July-Sep			H5
'White Heaven' PBR – pure white trumpet-shaped flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug			H4

Agastache ('Giant Hyssop') Great for butterflies and sun!

 3-5
per m²

'Blackadder' – upright lilac blue flowers, aniseed scent		50-100h 10-50s	July-Oct				H4
'Blue Boa' PBR – spikes of deep violet flowers		60h	July-Oct				H5
'Blue Fortune' – spikes of deep violet flowers		90h	July-Oct				H6
'Firebird' – intense aromatic grey foliage and short spikes of copper-red flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep				H2
mexicana 'Red Fortune' PBR – spikes of coral and mulberry pink flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep				H2
'Raspberry Summer' PBR – large, dark raspberry pink blooms above attractive aromatic, green foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June-Oct				H2
rugosa f.albiflora 'Liquorice White' large white flower spikes, aromatic leaves		50-100h 100-150s	July-Sep				H4
- 'Golden Jubilee' – blue flowers, unique golden foliage		50-100h 50-100s	June-Oct				H5
- 'Liquorice Blue' – large blue flower spikes, aromatic leaves		50-100h 50s	July-Sep				H3
- 'Alabaster' – spikes of bottlebrush-like white flowers above light green aromatic foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July-Oct				H3
'Summer Glow' PBR – apricot-yellow flower spikes, grey-green aromatic foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July-Oct				H3
'Summer Sunset' PBR – spikes of warm orange flowers above dense green foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep				H3


Agastache x Beelicious® Purple PBR

Ajuga 'Black Scallop' PBR









Albuca shawii

Allium senencens

Agastache ('Giant Hyssop')

Continued




3-5
per m²

'Tangerine Dreams' – narrow spikes of soft tangerine flowers, grey-green leaves		50-100h 10-50s	June- Sep			
x Beelicious® Purple PBR – large purple flowers, compact bushy habit		10-50h 50s	July- Oct			

Ageratina ('Snakeroot') Can be found under its previous genus Eupatorium.

Ajuga ('Bugle') Excellent groundcover for moisture retentive, part shady, borders or containers.

5-7
per m²

reptans 'Black Scallop' PBR – bold, very dark purple foliage, blue flowers	 	10-50h 50-100s	April- June			
'Catlin's Giant' – large purple foliage, rich blue flowers	 	10-50h 50-100s	May- June		 	

Albuca South African bulb. Sheltered, sunny and free draining positions. Good in pot.





5-7
per m²

shawii – stems of yellow bell-shaped flowers, scented		10-50h 0-10s	July- Aug			
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Alchemilla ('Lady's Mantle') Hardly needs introducing!

Brilliant for edging in sun or shade, will gently seed about.







3-5
per m²

mollis – sulphur yellow flowers and sculptured leaves which hold water droplets	 	10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug			
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Allium ('Decorative Onion') Best in a well-drained soil and sun.

A magnet for butterflies & bees.

7-8
per m²

schoenoprasum 'Forescate' – globular heads of rosy-red flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug			
senencens – mauve flowers and rosettes of twisted prostrate leaves, good for front of border/rockery		10-20h 5-20s	Aug			

Alstroemeria ('Peruvian Lily')

Prefers moist conditions, making an impact in the midst of mixed borders

3-4
per m²

psittacina 'Royal Star' – branched clusters of dark red flowers over leaves with irregular cream edges		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug			
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N.B. Look out for the extensive range of modern Alstroemeria hybrids on our Looking good/Availability Lists.



Anaphalis 'Sommerschnee'



Anchusa 'Loddon Royalist'



Anemone 'Andrea Atkinson'



Anemone 'Königin Charlotte'

Amsonia ('Blue Star')

Easy and adaptable, for summer flowers and brilliant autumn colour.

5-7
per m²

tabernaemontana – clusters of light blue starry flowers, fine narrow leaves with a conspicuous pale green central vein, leaves turning yellow in autumn



50-100h
10-50s

May-
Aug



Anaphalis ('Pearl Everlasting')

Useful groundcover in sun or part shade, especially if moist. Repeat flowering when cut back hard after flowering

3-5
per m²

triplinervis 'Sommerschnee' (Summer Snow) – silvery grey foliage, small bunched papery heads of white flowers



10-50h
10-50s

July-
Sep



Anchusa ('Alkanet')

Richest blue flowers for a sunny position. Repeat flowers when cut back hard after flowering

3-5
per m²

azurea 'Loddon Royalist' – the most popular variety, for good reason, bright blue



50-100h
10-50s

May-
July



- '**Opal**' – a rarely offered form, notable for its light Cambridge blue flowers



90h

May-
July



leptophylla incana – bright blue flowers with white eyes and loose rosettes of dark green leaves



25h

May-
Aug



Anemone ('Windflower')

Long flowering at useful time of year. For sun or part shade.

3-5
per m²

- **hupehensis var. japonica 'Pamina'** very symmetrical dainty deep pink double flowers



50-100h
10-50s

Aug-
Oct



- '**Praecox**' – single, dark pink flowers



10-50h
10-50s

Aug-
Oct



x hybrida 'Andrea Atkinson' – single, white



50-100h
50-100s

Aug-
Oct



- '**Honorine Jobert**' – ('Alba') – strong grower with large white flowers



100-150h
50-100s

Aug-
Oct



- '**Königin Charlotte**' – (Queen Charlotte) – semi-double, pink



100-150h
50-100s

Aug-
Oct



- '**Lady Gilmour**' – (hupehensis 'Crispa') – unique heavily crested and fringed leaves, pink flowers



60-100h

Aug-
Oct




Anemone 'Whirlwind'

Anemone 'Rubra'






















Angelica gigas

Anthemis 'Wargrave Variety'

Anemone ('Windflower')











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5-7
per m²

– 'Richard Ahrens' – semi-double, deep pink flowers,		100h	Aug-Nov		
– 'Robustissima' – light pink flowers, vigorous		100-150h 10-50s	July-Aug		
– 'Whirlwind' – semi-double, white		50-100h 10-50s	Aug-Oct		
multifida – creamy yellow flowers followed by cottony seed heads		30h	May-June		
– 'Rubra' – carmine red flowers		30-40h	May-June		
sylvestris – large white flowers followed by woolly seed heads, yellow centre, good ground cover		50-100h 10-50s	May-July		
tomentosa – lilac-pink		100-150h 50-100s	Aug-Oct		

Angelica Great for adding height and structure to the border.










1-3
per m²

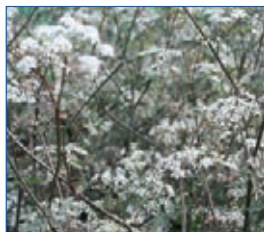
archangelica – ('Angelica') – greenish-white to cream umbels		150-250h 50-100s	June-Aug			
atropurpurea – fine and noble plant, dark purple-red stems, handsome bi-pinnate foliage, emerging a rich claret-red and maturing to red-veined green, large umbels of white flowers		150-180h 100-150s	June-Aug			
gigas – showy, beetroot-red flowers on thick branched stems up to 200cm		150-250h 100-150s	July-Aug			

Anthemis ('Chamomile') Ideal clump forming perennial for full sun.

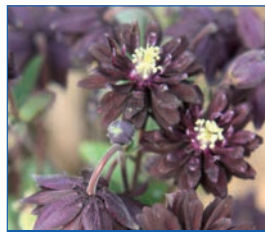
Cut back after flowering to encourage new growth.

3-5
per m²

tinctoria 'E.C. Buxton' – ferny green leaves, creamy- yellow daisies		50-100h 50-100s	June-Nov				
– 'Wargrave Variety' – large lemon-yellow flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug				



Anthriscus 'Ravenswing'



Aquilegia 'Black Barlow'



Aquilegia 'White Star'



Artemisia 'Powis Castle'

Anthriscus ('Cow Parsley') Suitable for flower meadows and wild gardens as well as a feature in borders.

3-5
per m²

syvestris 'Ravenswing' – purple bronze divided foliage, white flowers



100-150h
10-50s

June-Aug



Aquilegia ('Columbine') Another classic favourite. Gently seeds around in sun or part shade.

5-7
per m²

'Blue Star' – (Star Series) blue with creamy white centre



100h

May-June



'Red Star' – (Star Series) – red with creamy white centre,



100h

May-June



– **var. stellata 'Black Barlow'** – (Barlow Series) – double upright purple-black flowers



50-100h
10-50s

May-July



– – **'Blue Barlow'** – (Barlow Series) – double upright violet-blue flowers



50-100h
10-50s

May-July



– – **'Nora Barlow'** – (Barlow Series) – double red flowers, pale green tips



50-100h
10-50s

May-July



– – **'Ruby Port'** – dark ruby, double



50-100h
10-50s

June-Aug



– **'William Guinness'** – unusual dark purple-black flowers with white trumpet



50-100h
10-50s

April-June



'White Star' – (Star Series) – early white flowers with creamy yellow centres



60-90h
35s

May-July



'Yellow Star' – (Star Series) – Large up facing yellow flowers



60h
30s

May-June



Artemisia ('Wormwood') Superb silver foliage for full sun. Trim in late spring if straggly.

1-3
per m²

'Powis Castle' – non-flowering, billowing clump of silver filigree foliage



10-50h
50-100s





Artemisia 'Silver Queen'



Arum pictum



Asclepias tuberosa



Aster 'Brilliant'

Artemisia ('Wormwood')

Continued

1-3
per m²

absinthium 'Lambrook Mist' – soft, misty grey-green aromatic foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug		
lactiflora Guizhou Group – mahogany-brown stems, black-green foliage, creamy-white flowers		100-150h 50-100s	Aug-Oct		
ludoviciana 'Silver Queen' – attractive silver-white foliage, free flowering		50-100h 50-100s	July-Sep		
– 'Valerie Finnis' – very silver foliage, shorter in stature		50-100h 50-100s	July-Sep		
stelleriana 'Boughton Silver' – excellent silver foliage, short, spreading ground cover, yellowish flowers		10-50h 10-50s	Aug-Sep		

Arum ('Snakeshead') Tuberos perennials with arrow-head shaped leaves and tiny flowers at the base of a yellow or purple spadix, within a showy, hood-like spathe.



3-5
per m²

pictum – green leaves develop creamy-white veins during the winter months, followed by a purple-black spathe in the autumn		30h	Sep-Oct		
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Aruncus ('Goat's Beard') Very accommodating handsome plant for almost any soil or site, especially moist.

3-5
per m²

dioicus – stunning ivory plumes		150-250h 50-100s	June-July				
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Asclepias ('Milk Weed') Tuberos perennial for sunny position. Exudes milky sap when cut.

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per m²

tuberosa – unusual flower heads of brilliant orange		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		
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Asphodeline ('Jacob's Rod') Dry open positions and sunny meadows.

5-7
per m²

lutea – rosettes of long grey-green leaves, tall, stiff spikes of fragrant bright yellow flowers		100-150h 10-50s	June-Sep		
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Aster amellus ('Michaelmas Daisy') Excellent mildew resistant Asters for late summer colour.

3-5
per m²

'Brilliant' – bright pink		60h 30s	Aug-Sep				
'King George' – ever popular violet blue		50-100h 10-50s	Aug-Sep				


Aster 'Harrington's Pink'

Aster 'Herbstschnee'









Aster 'Lady in Blue'

Aster 'Snowsprite'

Aster *amellus* ('Michaelmas Daisy')

Continued

3-5
per m²
















'Rosa Erfüllung' – (Pink Zenith) – good clear pink, erect growth		60h 45s	Aug- Sep			
'Veilchenkönigin' (Violet Queen) – deep violet flower heads		10-50h 10-50s	Aug- Oct			

Aster *novae-angliae* ('New England Aster')

Aster novae-angliae is now classified under the genus *Symphotrichum*.

Very hardy and accommodating. Divide every 2-3 years to maintain vigour.

3-5
per m²



















'Andenken an Alma Pötschke' – large salmon-tinged rose pink flowers		100-150h 50-100s	Aug- Oct		
'Barr's Purple' – bright lilac-purple flowers on tall stems		130h	Sep- Oct		
'Harrington's Pink' – clear rose-pink, good for cutting		100-150h 50-100s	Aug- Oct		
'Herbstschnee' (Autumn Snow) – large white flowers		100-150h 10-50s	Aug- Oct		
'Purple Dome' – smothered in vivid violet purple flowers, compact		60h 45s	Sep- Oct		

Aster *novi-belgii* (dwarf varieties) ('New York Aster')

Aster novi-belgii is now classified under the genus *Symphotrichum*.

These Asters offer late colour for front of the border. Need dividing every 2-3 years to maintain vigour.

3-5
per m²

'Dandy' – purple-red		30h	Sep- Oct		
'Jenny' – beetroot red, double		10-50h 10-50s	Sep- Oct		
'Kristina' – strong dark green clumps producing crisp, semi-double white flowers		30h	Sep- Oct		
'Lady in Blue' – rich blue, semi-double, compact habit		10-50h 10-50s	Aug- Oct		
'Little Pink Beauty' – clear pink		30h 30s	Sep- Oct		
'Snowsprite' – compact, white, popular variety		30h	Sep- Oct		


Aster 'Ada Ballard'

Aster 'Marie Ballard'

Aster divaricatus































Aster 'Pink Cloud'

Aster novi-belgii (taller varieties) ('New York Aster')

Aster novae-belgii is now classified under the genus *Symphyotrichum*

These Asters offer late colour for mid-back of the border. Need dividing every 2-3 years to maintain vigour.

















3-5
per m²

'Ada Ballard' – violet blue, large well-formed flowers		50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Oct		
'Blandie' – tall, white semi double for a great show of colour in the autumn		120h	Aug- Oct		
'Chequers' – violet purple flowers on a busy plant from modest clumps		60h	Aug- Oct		
'Fellowship' – tall stems of clear double pink flowers with yellow centre		50-100h 10-50s	Sep- Oct		 
'Marie Ballard' – large daisy-like, blue, double and full flower heads		50-100h 10-50s	Sep- Oct		
'Patricia Ballard' – tall, pink semi-double for a great show of colour in the autumn		90-120h 45s	Sep- Oct		
'Porzellan' – pale china blue flowers, very dark green foliage		50-100h 10-50s	Sep- Oct		
'White Ladies' – white double flowers, deep-green glossy foliage		70h	Aug- Oct	 	
'Winston Churchill' – bright cerise semi-double flowers on tall stems		80h	Sep- Oct	 	

Aster

An assortment of Asters nearly all requiring sun and well-drained soil.

3-5
per m²

'Aqua Compact' – (Autumn Jewels Series) now classified under the genus <i>Symphyotrichum</i> – brilliant turquoise blue flowers with sunshine yellow centres and compact green foliage		35h	Sep- Oct		
divaricatus – now classified under the genus <i>Eurybia</i> <i>divaricata</i> – shiny black stems with star-like white flowers		50-100h 50-100s	Aug- Sep		
– 'Beth Chatto' – small starry white flowers with yellow-pink centres		30-60h	June- Sep		
ericoides 'Pink Cloud' – now classified under the genus <i>Symphyotrichum</i> – forms wide sprays, densely set with small starry pink flowers		50-100h 50-100s	Sep- Oct	 	
x frikartii – Lavender blue		90h	Aug- Oct		



Aster 'Mönch'



Aster 'Rose Crystal'



Astilbe 'Aphrodite'



Astilbe 'Bressingham Beauty'

Aster

Continued

3-5
per m²

– 'Mönch' – lavender-blue, very long flowering period		50-100h 10-50s	July- Oct				
– 'Wunder von Stäfa' – bright lavender-blue		50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Oct				
x herveyi (macrophyllus 'Twilight') – now classified under the genus Eurybia– violet flowers, large leaves, part shade	 	50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Sep				
lateriflorus var. horizontalis now classified under the genus Symphyotrichum – tiny foliage turning coppery purple by September, tiny pale white flushed pink flowers		10-50h 10-50s	Aug- Sep				
– 'Lady in Black' – bright bronze-purple spring foliage maturing to dark purple-green, tall graceful flowering with masses of white flowers		100-150h 50-100s	July- Oct				
'Little Carlow' (cordifolius hybrid) now classified under the genus Symphyotrichum – masses of violet-blue single flowers	 	50-100h 10-50s	Sep- Oct				
pyrenaicus 'Lutetia' – single, light lilac blue	 	50-100h 50-100s	Aug- Sep				
'Rose Crystal' – (Autumn Jewels Series) now classified under the genus Symphyotrichum – strong rose purple blooms with fine, almost filament-looking properties to the petals, compact green foliage	 	30h 30s	Sep- Oct				
sedifolius – neat clumps of grey-green grassy foliage, massed lavender blue flowers		80h	Aug- Sep				

Astilbe *Happiest in rich, moisture retentive soil in sun or part shade.*

3-5
per m²

'Aphrodite' (simplicifolia hybrid) – dark green leaves, oval plumes of light red-purple flowers	 	50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug				
'Bressingham Beauty' (x arendsii) – rich pink plumes, free flowering	 	50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug				
chinensis var. pumila – bright lilac-rose plumes	 	10-50h 10-50s	July- Oct				
– var. taquetii 'Purpurlanze' (Purple Lance) – thick, erect plumes of purple flowers, statuesque	 	100-150h 10-50s	Aug- Sep				
– 'Veronika Klose' – purple pink plumes	 	10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug				


Astilbe 'Vision In Red' PBR

Astilbe 'Irrlicht'





















































Astilbe 'Red Sentinel'

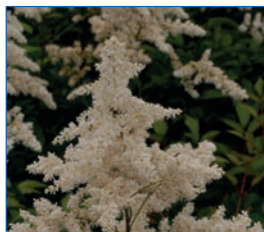
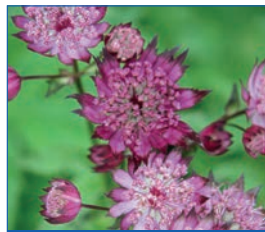
Astilbe 'Snowdrift'

Astilbe

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3-5
per m²

– 'Vision in Red' PBR – dark glossy foliage and upright red plumes		10-50h 10-50s	June-Aug		
'Deutschland' (japonica hybrid) – white, dense spikes		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		 
'Dusseldorf' (japonica hybrid) – cerise-pink compact plumes		10-50h 10-50s	June-July		
'Elizabeth Bloom' PBR ('Eliblo') (x arendsii) – full spikes of pink flowers, dark green leaves		60h	June-Aug		
'Etna' (japonica hybrid) – intense salmon-red plumes above vigorous foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
'Europa' (japonica hybrid) – feathery plumes of soft pink flowers, divided deep-green leaves		50-100h 50-100s	June-Aug		
'Federee' (x arendsii) ('Catherine Deneuve') – fluffy plumes of deep salmon-pink		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
'Glut' (x arendsii) (Glow) – clear deep red plumes		80h	June-Aug		
'Granat' (x arendsii) – deep rose pink		90h	June-Aug		
'Irrlicht' (x arendsii) – snow white plumes, dark, vigorous foliage		60h	June-Aug		
'Montgomery' (japonica hybrid) – deep red plumes on tapering sprays, with very attractive dark foliage		60h	June-Aug		 
'Red Sentinel' (japonica hybrid) – deep crimson-red open plumes, dark tinted foliage		50-100h 50-100s	June-Sep		
'Rheinland' (japonica hybrid) – clear pink		10-50h 10-50s	June-July		 
'Rotlicht' (x arendsii) (Red Light) – mid green leaves, tinged red in spring, dark red flowers in feathery plumes		60h	June-Aug		
'Snowdrift' (x arendsii) – white flowers, set against bright green leaves		50-100h 50-100s	June-Aug		
'Sprite' (simplicifolia hybrid) – compact, shell pink flower spikes, dark foliage		10-50h 10-50s	Aug-Sep		 


Astilbe 'Weisse Gloria'

Astrantia 'Hadspen Blood'


















Astrantia Gill Richardson Group

Astrantia 'Shaggy'

Astilbe

Continued
















































3-5
per m²

'Straussenfeder' (thunbergii hybrid) (Ostrich Plume) – arching, coral pink plumes	 	50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		 
'Walter Bitner' – striking pink with excellent form	 	50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
'Weisse Gloria' (x arendsii) (White Gloria) – large clear white plumes	 	50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
'Willie Buchanan' (simplicifolia hybrid) – dwarf, crimson tinged foliage, creamy-white flower spikes	 	10-50h 10-50s	June-Aug		

Astrantia ('Masterwort') Forming dense clumps in moisture retentive soils.

Happy in sun or part shade.

5-7
per m²

'Hadspen Blood' – (true) superb, deep blood red flowers. Do not put undercover as flowers will turn white.	 	50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
major – pale green, suffused rose-white	 	50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug	 	
– 'Alba' – pure white flower heads	 	30h 45s	June-Sep		
– Gill Richardson Group – a fine selection with excellent deep crimson flowers	 	50-100h 10-50s	May-July	 	
– subsp. involucrata 'Shaggy' – exceptionally large flower heads formed by long white bracts, tipped green, held well over deeply divided dark green leaves	 	50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug	 	
– 'Ruby Wedding' – top class dark cultivar, flowers deep ruby-red over purple-red flushed foliage	 	50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug	 	
– 'Sunningdale Variegated' – pink-green flowers with striking early season yellow-green variegated foliage	 	50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	  	
– var. rosea – masses of tiny star-like pink flowers with white bracts	 	75h	June-Aug		
– George's form – beautiful, improved form, pinker, very free flowering/branching – came from George Smith of York	 	80h	June-Aug		
maxima – pale pink flowers surrounded by pink bracts	 	10-50h 10-50s	June-Aug		 



Propagation at Howard Nurseries

Our propagation department is responsible for producing more than 90% of our own stock for both field and container production. Propagation methods include, division, seed sowing, stem/tip cuttings, root cuttings as well as the pricking out of tissue culture. We utilise 6 different growing environments, 5 of which can be controlled for optimum growing conditions, before finally going outside to harden off before planting out or potting on. We clean and reuse our plug trays every year, some are now more than 15 years old and still going strong!




Astrantia 'Sheila's Red'

Baptisia australis
















Bergenia 'Baby Doll'

Bergenia 'Bressingham White'

Astrantia ('Masterwort')

Continued

5-7
per m²

'Moulin Rouge' ^{PBR} – very dark red flower heads	 	50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug			
'Roma' ^{PBR} – candy-pink flowers with green veins	 	10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug			
'Sheila's Red' – Excellent dark crimson red flowers, flowers do fade with age or if put undercover	 	60-75h	June- Aug			

Ballota ('False dittany') Perfect for poor, perfectly drained soil in full sun.

3-5
per m²

pseudodictamnus – very dark red flower heads		10-50h 10-50s	May- Aug			
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Baptisia ('False Indigo') Deep rooted plant from the American plains.

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australis – violet blue flowers		100-150h 50-100s	June- July			
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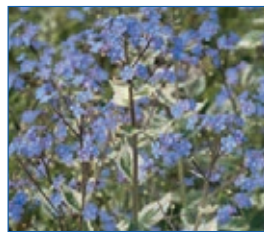
Bergenia ('Elephant Ears') Invaluable for bold evergreen groundcover. Grows almost anywhere.

5-7
per m²

'Abendglut' – leaves turn dark purple in winter, deep magenta blooms	 	10-50h 10-50s	April- May			
'Apple Blossom' – deep red stems, pale bell-shaped flowers above dark leaves	 	10-50h 10-50s	April- May			
'Baby Doll' – neat, compact form with apple-green foliage, rounded flower heads, individual blooms starting a delicate pink, intensifying with age	 	10-50h 10-50s	April- May			
'Bach' – neat glossy red-flushed winter foliage with massive heads of lovely pale sugar-pink flowers that mature into a soft white	 	10-50h 10-50s	April- May			
'Bressingham Ruby' ^{PBR} – neat, compact, leaves rich dark ruby red in winter, strong red-pink flowers	 	10-50h 10-50s	April- May			
'Bressingham White' – rich green leaves, abundant white flowers, blushing pink with age	 	10-50h 10-50s	April- May			
cordifolia 'Purpurea' – bright magenta flowers	 	10-50h 50-100s	April- May			
– 'New Hybrids' – varying shades of pink and red flowers on red flushed stems, large green evergreen foliage	 	45h	April- May			


Bergenia 'Fire & Ice'








































Bergenia 'Pink Dragonfly' PBR

Brunnera macrophylla

Brunnera 'Dawson's White'

Bergenia ('Elephant Ears')






















Continued

5-7
per m²

'Eden's Magic Giant' – impressively large glossy foliage, turning deep red in winter, pale pink flowers on striking red stems		50-100h 50-100s	April- May	   
'Fire & Ice' – low mounding foliage, contrasting pink-red calyces with white flowers		30-40h	April- May	  
'Ice Queen' – creamy-green flowers above red-flushed edged leaves		25h	April- May	  
'Kerstin' – mid-pink flowers, large green evergreen foliage		40h	Mar- April	  
'Overture' – fine compact selection, leaves turn rich claret-red in winter, striking magenta-red flowers		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- April	  
'Pink Dragonfly' PBR – pink flowers with darker centres, red flushed stems above evergreen foliage, good autumn colour		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- April	  
'Silberlicht (Silverlight)' – white bell like flowers with pink calyces, broad green heart shaped foliage		10-50h 10-50s	April- May	   
'Spring Fling' PBR – eye-catching magenta flowers above glossy green foliage which turns purple-black in winter		30h	April- June	  
'Sunningdale' – deep reddish pink flowers, bronze red foliage		10-50h 50-100s	April- May	   

Brunnera ('Perennial forget-me-not') Happiest in light shade in moisture retentive soil.

3-5
per m²

macrophylla – blue 'forget-me-not' type flowers, bold foliage		10-50h 10-50s	April- May	  
– 'Betty Bowring' – pure white 'forget-me-not' type flowers above large green leaves		10-50 10-50s	April- May	   
– 'Blaukuppel' – excellent blue flowers		45h	April- May	  
– 'Dawson's White' – grey-green, leaves boldly edged with white, blue flowers		10-50h 50-100s	April- May	  
– 'Langtrees' – large silver grey spotted dark green leaves, sprays of tiny blue flowers		10-50h 10-50s	April- May	  


Calamintha 'White Cloud'

Caltha palustris 'Plena'









Campanula 'Caroline'

Campanula 'Joan Elliott'

Calamintha ('Calamint')













Magnets for bees and butterflies on sunny, well-drained soil.

3-5
per m²

nepeta – thyme-like lilac flowers, crushed leaves smell of mint		50-100h 50-100s	Aug- Oct	 	
– subsp. glandulosa 'White Cloud' – clouds of petite white flowers hover above fragrant, dark green foliage		<30h	Aug- Oct	 	





Caltha ('Marsh Marigold') Glorious spring flowers for an open, moist position.

5-7
per m²

palustris – deep golden yellow cups		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- May	 	
– var. alba – early flowering, single white		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- May	 	
– var. palustris 'Plena' – fully double, rich yellow flowers		50-100h 50-100s	Mar- May	 	




































Camassia ('Cussick's camass') Great for naturalising in wild areas.

5-7
per m²

cusickii – clumps of long leaves well-established by flowering time. Delicate, pale starry flowers upon a dense raceme	 	60-80h	May- June		
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Campanula ('Bellflower') Offer easy grace and style for every garden, in sun or shade.

3-5
per m²

alliariifolia ('Ivory Bells') – cream flowers on arching stems	 	50h 45s	June- Aug		
garganica 'Dickson's Gold' – mats of vivid golden foliage, blue flowers	 	<10h 10-50s	July- Aug		
glomerata var. alba – erect stems of white flowers	 	10-50h 50-100s	May- July	 	
– 'Caroline' – clusters of tubular, mauve-pink flowers tinged with darker markings on the petal edges	 	10-50h 50-100s	May- July	  	
– 'Joan Elliott' – large violet flowers	 	10-50h 50-100s	June- July	 	
– 'Superba' – clusters of bright violet flowers	 	10-50h 50-100s	June- July	  	
'Kent Belle' – stunning, tall stems of large rich violet flowers	 	50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug	 	


Campanula 'Monica's Dream'

Campanula 'Prichard's Variety'




























































Campanula 'White Pouffe'

Campanula 'Wortham Belle'

Campanula ('Bellflower')

Continued

3-5
per m²

lactiflora – shades of light blue, bushy habit	 	100-150h 10-50s	June- Sep	  
– 'Loddon Anna' – soft pink	 	100-150h 10-50s	June- Sep	  
– 'Assendon Pearl' – an elegant white-flowering form of lactiflora bearing tall stems of white bell-shaped flowers	 	100h	June- Sep	 
– 'Monica's Dream' – discovered in 2015 on the nursery by Michael Steggles and named in honour of his granddaughter, Monica. Beautiful white flowers fade to a pale cloudy white, remains strong and compact, if trimmed lightly after flowering	 	90-120h	June- Sep	 
– 'Prichard's Variety' – deep violet blue flowers	 	50-100h 10-50s	June- Sep	  
– 'White Pouffe' – mounding foliage, white	 	10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep	 
latiloba 'Hidcote Amethyst' – light lilac-pink flowers	 	50-100h 10-50s	May- July	 
– 'Highcliffe Variety' – violet-blue flowers	 	50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug	 
– 'Percy Piper' – glossy, bright green leaves on erect stems, rich lavender-purple flowers	 	50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug	 
– 'Telham Beauty' – large blue cups	 	100h	July- Sep	 
– 'Wortham Belle' – Introduced by founder of Howard Nurseries, David Howard. Found as chance seedling in stock beds in 1993, released in 1996. A beautiful selection with light blue double flowers, a very upright variety, strong grower	 	75h	June- July	 
punctata f. rubriflora – cream bells, flushed purple, heavily speckled bright red inside	 	10-50h 10-50s	July- Aug	 
– Wedding Bells – vigorous, forming a colony of soft, slightly hairy stems, heart shaped leaves, pale pink flushed, creamy white, hose in hose, double flowers	 	50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug	 
'Samantha' – creeping foliage, large violet cup-shaped flowers	 	20h	June- Aug	 



Campanula 'Elizabeth'



Catananche 'Alba'



Centaurea 'John Coutts'



Centaurea 'Purple Heart'

Campanula ('Bellflower')

Continued

3-5
per m²

'Sarastro' – nodding, deep violet-blue, tubular bell shaped flowers over clump of downy leaves		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug		
takesimana – bright green leaves, white-lilac bells, maroon inside		50-100h 50-100s	June-Aug		
– 'Elizabeth' – large, pendulous plum pink flowers, suffused with white and maroon inside and out		30-60h 60s	July-Sep		

Catananche ('Cupid's Dart') Happiest in free-draining soil and full sun.

Excellent for cut and dried flowers. Can be short lived.

3-5
per m²

caerulea – swaying stems, covered in bright blue cornflowers with papery calyx		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug		
– 'Alba' – pure white with a hint of blue in centre completing the look		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug		

Centaurea ('Knapweed') Impressive plants for open, sunny position.

Magnets for butterflies and bees.

3-5
per m²

bella – tidy clumps of pink flowers, silver-grey leaves		30h	June-Aug		
'John Coutts' – leaves finely cut and silver backed, large rich mauve-pink		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep		
montana 'Alba' – white flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep		
– 'Parham' – purple flowers, fragrant		30-60h 75s	June-Sep		
– 'Purple Heart' – large white-fringed flower heads with striking deep-purple centres		50-100h 50-100s	May-July		
orientalis – masses of papery buds opening to yellow thistle-like flowers over long period		60-90h	June-Sep		

Centranthus ('Valerian') Thrives in poor, chalky soils and exposed position.

Gently seeds around. Keep dead-headed for repeat flowering.

3-5
per m²

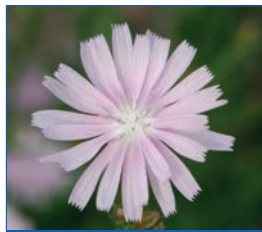
ruber 'Albus' – white flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
– var. coccineus – clouds of red flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June-Sep		



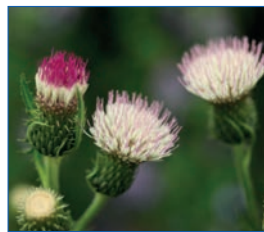
Cephalaria gigantea



Ceratostigma plumbaginoides



Cichorium 'Roseum'



Cirsium 'Mount Etna'

Cephalaria ('Giant Scabious')

Tall border plant often effective planted with late flowering grasses.

1-3
per m²

gigantea – large primrose yellow flowers



150-200h
50-100s

June-
Aug



Ceratostigma ('Leadwort') Marvellous for late colour in a sheltered sunny border.

5-7
per m²

plumbaginoides – clusters of sky-blue flowers, crimson-red autumn foliage



10-50h
10-50s

July-
Sep



Chelone ('Turtle-head') Arresting late summer flowers for partial shade and moisture retentive soil

3-5
per m²

obliqua – dark green leaves, lilac pink flowers



50-100h
10-50s

Aug-
Sep



Chrysanthemum ('Mums') Having investigated the morphology of the whole genus, botanists now appear to be satisfied that these Hardy Border Chrysanthms no longer belong to Leucanthemum (generally the white flowered forms) or Dendranthemum.

3-5
per m²

'Clara Curtis' – a good clear single pink



50-100h
50-100s

Aug-
Oct



Cichorium ('Chicory') Beautiful perennials for sunny, open position.

3-5
per m²

intybus f. album – long branched spikes of pure white flowers



100-150h
50-100s

July-
Oct



– **'Roseum'** – beautiful spikes of rose-pink flowers



100-150h
10-50s

July-
Oct



Cirsium ('Plume Thistle') Magnetic attraction for butterflies and bees.

3-5
per m²

'Mount Etna' – pastel-coloured form of thistle



50-100h
10-50s

July-
Sep



rivulare 'Atropurpureum' – heads of deep purple, thistle like flowers



100-150h
10-50s

May-
June



– **'Trevor's Blue Wonder'** – tall ornamental thistle with rich blue-purple flower-heads on silver-purple stems



100-120h
75s

May-
June




Clematis 'Cassandra'
















Coreopsis 'Astolat'

Coreopsis 'Moonbeam'

Crambe cordifolia


































Clematis *These herbaceous forms are worthy of all gardens. Easy, long-lived and hardy for good soil in sun or part shade.*

 3-4
per m²

x diversifolia 'Hendersonii' – deep blue 'turks'-cap' flowers		45h	June-Sep		
heracleifolia 'Cassandra' – clusters of superb Oxford blue, tubular flowers, heavily scented, compact, self-supporting habit, magnet for butterflies and bees		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	  	
'Praecox' – clusters of small fragrant pale blue flowers		250-400h 150-250s	Aug-Oct	 	
tubulosa 'Wyevale' – large fragrant blue flowers with wavy petal edges on strong stems		50-100h 50-100s	June-Aug		


Coreopsis (*'Tickseed'*) *Easy and reliable for well-drained sunny borders. Good cut flower.*

 3-5
per m²

'Astolat' – yellow flowers, maroon centre, green oval leaves		75h	June-Aug		
grandiflora 'Mayfield Giant' – large deep yellow flowers, broader leaves		75h	June-Aug		
– 'Sunray' – double and semi-double, rich golden yellow flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June-Aug		
lanceolata 'Walter' – dwarf form, producing a long succession of golden daisy like flowers, wine-red centre		15h	June-Aug		
rosea 'American Dream' – rich pink flowers, narrow dark green pointed leaves		10-50h 10-50s	July-Aug	 	
verticillata 'Golden Gain' – bright yellow flowers, robust habit		45h	July-Sep		
– 'Grandiflora' – long lasting yellow daisy-like flowers, neat bushes of fine wiry leaves		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep	  	
– 'Moonbeam' – primrose yellow flowers, dark wiry leaves		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep	 	
– 'Zagreb' – compact with golden yellow flower		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep	  	

Crambe (*'Flowering Sea Kale'*) *Spectacular when in flower. Sun or part shade, good drainage.*

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per m²

cordifolia – impressive panicles of small white flowers		150-250h 100-150s	June-July	  	
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Crocsmia 'Coleton Fishacre'














































Crocsmia 'James Coey'

Crocsmia 'Emberglow'

Crocsmia 'Orange Devil'

Crocsmia ('Montbretia') *Happiest in sun and well-drained soil that doesn't dry out.*
Excellent cut flower/seed heads.

5-7
per m²

x crocosmiiflora 'Citronella' – upright slightly arched clear yellow flowers, grey-green leaves		30-60h 50s	July-Aug		
– 'Coleton Fishacre' ('Gerbe d'Or') – copper-brown leaves, apricot flowers, similar to C. 'Solfatare' but more vigorous/hardy		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		
– 'George Davison' – masses of soft yellow flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		
– 'Honey Angels' – large yellow flowers, free flowering		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		
– 'James Coey' – nodding dark orange-red flowers, pale inside with yellow throat		80h 10s	July-Aug		
– 'Saracen' – bright red flowers with small yellow centres, bronze foliage		75s	July-Sep		 
– 'Solfatare' – apricot yellow, protection needed in winter, bronze foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		
– 'Zeal Tan' – attractive, medium sized, bright orange-red flowers with a fine yellow eye		60s	July-Sep		
x crocosmioides 'Castle Ward Late' – burnt orange-red flowers on tall slender stems with pleated leaves		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		
'Emberglow' – masses of rich, sultry red flowers		50-100h <10s	July-Aug		
'Limpopo' – dense flower heads of large, broad, pink flowers with apricot throat		50-100h 10-50s	July-Oct		
'Lucifer' – stunning bright flame-red flowers, ideal for cutting, good clumper		100-150h 10-50s	June-July		 
masoniorum – beautiful large sprays of orange, flame red flowers held against sword-like leaves		100-150h 10-50s	July-Sep		 
'Orange Devil' – rich orange-red flowers with prominent suffusion of golden orange inside the centre of flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		


Cynara cardunculus

Dahlia 'Cheerio'

Dahlia 'David Howard'

Dahlia 'Piper's Pink'

Cynara ('Cardoon' or Globe Artichoke')

A popular plant for adding structure and interest to any border.

1-3
per m²

cardunculus – magnificent and statuesque! Huge silver-grey deeply divided leaves, stout stems topped by enormous prickly purple thistle-heads. Pick flowers just before opening, place in water where they will open fully and remain so for drying.



150-250h
100-150s

July-
Sep



Cynoglossum ('Hound's Tongue') Best in sun but not over-rich soil.

3-5
per m²

nervosum – spectacular blue flowers



30-60h

June-
July



Dahlia Increasingly popular and more widely used in plantings with hardier herbaceous plants.

May require winter protection and are still best stored in a frost-free shed for winter.

3-5
per m²

'Andries' Orange' – pale tangerine-orange intensifying in centre with a hint of yellow at petal base		90-120h	July- Sep					
'Bishop of Llandaff' – a tall, stately Dahlia with purple-bronze, deeply divided foliage and large, single, open centred vivid red flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep					
'Cheerio' – bright red petals, set off by white tips		100h	July- Sep					
'David Howard' – Introduced by the owner of Howard Nurseries, David Howard. A seedling from D. 'Bishop of Llandaff', raised in the late 1950s. Burnt orange flowers, with dark foliage, ideal for the herbaceous border		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep					
'Doctor John Grainger' – light orange flowers, rounded in both form and curve of petals		90-120h	July- Sep					
'Ella Britton' – semi-double, apricot-yellow flowers, with red flushed reverses and smokey-purple leaves		60-90h	July- Sep					
'Madame Stappers' – a striking plant combining bright red flowers with contrasting bronze foliage		60-90h	July- Sep					
'Moonfire' – a striking introduction, bronze foliage providing the ideal foil to coppery-yellow flowers with a red centre		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep					
'Piper's Pink' – a brilliant, intense pink unfurling from a solid pink centre		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep					
'Roxy' – attractive bronze-purple foliage, contrasting well with hot cerise pink flowers		60h 45s	July- Sep					


Dahlia 'Sarah'

Darmera peltata














Delphinium Black Knight Group

Delphinium 'Morning Lights'

Dahlia






Continued

3-5
per m²

'Sarah' – dark leaves contrast with many stunning bright red flowers		60-70h	July-Sep		
'Tally Ho' – purple-green foliage with flame red flowers, yellow stamens over a dark eye,		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	   	
'Twynings After Eight' – white petals with yellow centres set against very dark to blackish foliage		50-100h 50-100s	July-Sep	   	

Darmera (*'Umbrella Plant'*) A slowly spreading rhizomatous perennial that is native to woodland mountain streams in the western United States.





























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per m²

peltata – wide leaves set on single stems, flowers are starry pink set in large round heads	 	100-150h 50-100s	Mar-April	  
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Delphinium No introduction is necessary, as both gardeners and slugs appreciate their beauty!

 Toxic if eaten.

3-5
per m²

Astolat Group – large, rose tinted flowers on stately spikes, giving a stunning display, likes a good rich soil in sun		170h 75s	June-Aug	 
Black Knight Group – stately spikes of beautiful dark violet blue blooms with black centres, plant in rich soil in sun		150-200h 50-100s	June-Aug	 
'Blue Lace' – (New Millennium Series) – pale blue flowers with a pink flush, above deeply divided green foliage		120-150h	June-Aug	 
elatum 'Double Innocence' (New Millennium Series) – double white flowers with a green eye above deeply divided green foliage		100-150h 50-100s	June-Aug	 
– 'Morning Lights' (New Millennium Series) – semi-double, mauve flowers above deeply divided green foliage		100-150h 50-100s	June-Aug	  
– 'Sweethearts' (New Millennium Series) – semi double, strong pink flowers with a white flush above deeply divided green foliage		150-250h 50-100s	June-Aug	   
Galahad Group – a striking variety, producing spikes of pure white flowers, it will thrive in any fertile soil in a sunny position		170h 75s	June-Aug	 
'Green Twist' (New Millennium Series) – double white flowers with a green flush above deeply divided, green foliage		100-150h 50-100s	June-Aug	  


Delphinium 'Pagan Purples'

Dianthus 'Memories' PBR










Dicentra spectabilis

Dierama pendulum

Delphinium

Continued














 3-5
per m²

'Pagan Purples' (New Millennium Series) – double dark blue-purple flowers above deeply divided green foliage		100-150h 50-100s	June- Aug		
Summer Skies Group – majestic spikes of light blue flowers with white eyes, plant in a fertile soil in a sunny situation		170h 75s	June- Aug		
x ruyisii 'Pink Sensation' – deeply cut green leaves, bearing upright branched spikes of rich pink flowers, a classic cultivar		100-150h 10-50s	June- Aug		

Dianthus ('Border Pinks') Essential for the well-drained, sunny border.

Regularly cut or dead-head to encourage further flowers.















 5-7
per m²

'Bridal Star' PBR – pure white double flowers with ruffled petals		45h	Apr- Sep		
'Devon Wizard' PBR – fragrant, cyclamen purple with a ruby-red centre		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep		 
'Doris' – pale semi-double pink with carmine centre		30h	June- Sep		
'Memories' PBR – part of the <i>Scent First Series</i> ®, a compact variety with double white flowers and spicy fragrance		10-50h 10-50s	Apr- Sep		

Dicentra ('Bleeding Heart' or 'Dutchman's Breeches')







Prefer sheltered cool light shade.

 4-5
per m²

'Bountiful' – grey-green leaves, deep rose-red flowers		30h	April- May		
formosa (eximia) – green glaucous pinnately divided leaves, pendant rose-purple-pink flowers		50-100h 50-100s	April- July		
spectabilis – rose-pink to purple-pink with white, heart-shaped flowers in arching sprays		50-100h 50-100s	May- July		 
– 'Alba' – pure white lockets arching gracefully		50-100h 50-100s	May- July		 

Dierama ('Angel's fishing rod') With its graceful, arching flower stems and bell-shaped blooms, it is easy to understand why Dierama is commonly called Angel's fishing rod.

 5-7
per m²

pendulum – tall arching stems of large pink pendulous flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June- Sep		
pulcherrimum – large and distinctively tubular, pendulous flowers. Colours range from pale pink and magenta to rich purple		100-150h 10-50s	July- Aug		



Digitalis grandiflora



Digitalis x mertonensis



Echinacea 'Fatal Attraction' PBR



Echinacea 'Rubinstern'

Digitalis ('Foxglove')

Ever popular plants for sheltered part-shade.



3-5 per m²

grandiflora (ambigua) – spikes of soft creamy-yellow flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug	
lanata – spikes of creamy-yellow flowers tinted purplish-grey and dark leaves		50-100h 10-50s	May-July	
lutea – delicate narrow cream flowers		50-100h 10-50s	May-July	
x mertonensis – the colour of crushed strawberries! Soft green leaves		50-100 h 10-50s	June-Aug	
purpurea f. albiflora – tall spikes of outstanding tubular white flowers		150-250h 10-50s	June-Aug	
– Excelsior Group – large flowers, mixed in glowing colours		120h 60s	June-July	
– 'Sutton's Apricot' – hybrids selected for predominantly apricot flowers		100-150h 10-50s	May-June	

Echinacea ('Coneflower') Showy flowers for open border, especially attractive to bees and butterflies.

5-7 per m²

'Purple Emperor' PBR – compact variety, showy magenta-pink flowers and a darker central cone		40h	July-Sep	
purpurea Bressingham hybrids – large, red-purple flowers with central cone		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	
– 'Fatal Attraction' PBR – large magenta flowers with orange-brown core, held upright on red stems		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	
– 'Green Twister' – a striking bi-coloured variety, vibrantly pink/purple flowers with lime green tips		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	
– 'Happy Star' – handsome, horizontally held white petals, vigorous with a sturdy growth habit		100h	July-Sep	
– 'Magnus Superior' – blooms and stems darker in colour with more consistent growth than original strain, dark carmine-red flowers		100-150h 10-50s	July-Sep	
– 'Rubinstern' (Ruby Star) – intense carmine-red, horizontal flower petals		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	
– 'White Swan' – large pure white flowers		50-100 10-50	June-Sep	

Echinops ('Globe Thistle') Statuesque plants for poor well-drained soil in full sun. Appreciated by bees.

3-5 per m²

bannaticus 'Blue Globe' – large dark blue flower heads, cut flower		90-120h	July-Sep	
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Note: PBR = Plant Breeders Right. Propagation for sale illegal without authorisation


Echinops 'Taplow Blue'

Epimedium 'Red Beauty'

















Erigeron 'Adria'

Erigeron 'Dignity'

Echinops














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3-5
per m²

– 'Taplow Blue' – intense steel blue flowers		100-150h 50-100s	July- Sep	 	
ritro – grey-blue drumstick flower heads		120h 50s	July- Aug	 	
– 'Veitch's Blue' – bright blue		50-100h 10-50s	July- Aug	 	
sphaerocephalus 'Arctic Glow' – large white flowers, impressive grey-green foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June- Sep	 	























Epimedium ('Barrenwort') Invaluable early spring flowering, semi-evergreen ground cover plants for humus-rich shady position. Many have beautiful new leaves so cut back tatty old leaves early spring.

5-7
per m²

grandiflorum 'Red Beauty' – vigorous, strong growth with large red flowers, leaves have attractive autumn colour		10-50h 10-50s	April- May		
x perralchicum 'Fröhnleiten' – pendant bright yellow flowers, glossy deep green marbled leaves, bronze when young, clump forming		10-50h 50-100s	April- May		
x versicolor 'Sulphureum' – sulphur yellow star shaped flowers with pink insides, mid-green leaves		10-50h 10-50s	April- May	 	
x youngianum 'Roseum' – lilac pink flowers over heart-shaped serrated bronze-tinted leaflets, which turn green in spring		10-50h 10-50s	April- May		

Erigeron ('Fleabane') Masses of daisy-like flowers for the well-drained, sunny border. Good for cutting.

3-5
per m²

'Adria' – violet blue, semi-double		30-60h	June- Aug		
'Charity' – clear pale pink flowers with big yellow centres		60h	June- Aug		
'Dignity' – violet-mauve flowers		<30h	June- Aug		
'Dunkelste Aller' (Darkest of All) – semi-double, deep violet-blue flowers with a yellow centre carried over dark green leaves		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug	 	
'Foersters Liebling' – very deep rose pink, semi-double flowers, erect stems above grey-green leaves		<30h	June- Aug	 	
karvinskianus – small daisy like flowers with yellow centres that emerge white and turn to pink as the flowers mature		10-50h 50-100s	June- Oct	  	



Erigeron 'Quakeress'



Eryngium bourgatii



Eryngium varilifolium



Eupatorium 'Chocolate'

Erigeron

Continued

3-5
per m²

'Nachtimmel' – yellow-eyed, deep violet semi-double flowers with a hint of blue		60h	June-Aug		
'Quakeress' – white flushed pale pink		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
'Schneewittchen' (Snow White) – clean white		30-60h	June-Aug		

Eryngium ('Sea Holly') Statuesque and drought resistant perennials for sunny, poor, well-drained soils. Magnet for bees and excellent cut-flower.

3-5
per m²

agavifolium – statuesque, rich green sharply toothed leaves, thistle-like green-white flowers		100-150h 50-100s	June-Aug		
bourgatii – silver-blue thistle like flower heads		10-50h 10-50s	July-Aug		
– 'Picos Amethyst' – striking deep-blue flowers with spiky bracts, veined green and white foliage		10-50h 10-50s	June-Aug		
– 'Picos Blue' ^{PBR} – bright blue flowers with silver bracts, dark green silver veined leaves		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
planum 'Flüela' – rich violet heads and bracts		60h	July-Aug		
– 'Seven Seas' – dark blue		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
x tripartitum – beautiful widespread branches, carrying metallic blue flower heads		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug		
variifolium – dark green leaves with white veins, stiff stems carrying grey-blue flowers		10-50h 10-50s	July-Aug		
x zabelii 'Jos Eijking' ^{PBR} – statuesque and drought resistant perennial with rich blue tinted flower heads, broad bracts giving a starry appearance		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug		

Erysimum ('Wallflower') Erysimum can be annuals, biennials or woody-based perennials with narrow leaves and dense raemes of, often fragrant, 4-petalled flowers.

3-5
per m²

'Bowles's Mauve' – erect spikes of lilac-mauve flowers		50-100h 50-100s	April-Aug		
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Eupatorium ('Hemp Agrimony' or 'Joe Pye Weed') Ideal for mid to back of border, giving structure and height, happiest in moist, well-drained soils in sun or part shade.

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per m²

altissima 'Chocolate' – now classified under the genus Ageratina – maroon brown leaves, white flowers		100-120h	July-Oct		
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Field growing at Howard Nurseries

As with any planting project correct ground preparations are the key to getting a good result and this is also true for our field grown production. From cultivating the ground to more extreme measures such as the renewal of drainage, every effort is taken to ensure that we can produce the best quality plants.

We begin field planting as soon as weather and soil conditions allow and utilise both a module and disc planter to help plant the wide range of field grown varieties that we have available.

Irrigation is at times necessary during our dry Suffolk summers, often providing its own logistical puzzle. At times the borehole water used to irrigate our field crops can need to travel as far as 1.5 miles from extraction point to end destination!


Eupatorium 'Baby Joe' PBR®

Eupatorium 'Red Dwarf'















Euphorbia 'Portuguese Velvet'

Euphorbia 'Orange Man'

Eupatorium

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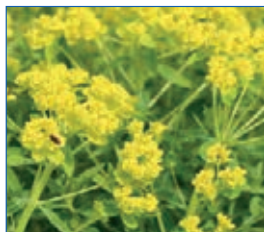
dubium 'Baby Joe' PBR® – a compact variety, large, showy mauve purple flower heads on strong stems		60-90h 80s	July-Sep		
fortunei 'Pink Elegance' – purple-pink flowers, variegated foliage		150-175h	Aug-Sep		
m. 'Riesenschirm' – striking stems, large blooms attractive to butterflies		160-200h	July-Sep	  	
maculatum Atropurpureum Group 'Red Dwarf' – compact variety, bears reddish-lavender flower heads		>120h 50s	July-Sep		

Euphorbia ('Spurge' or 'Milkweed') Continued Carefully remove spent flower heads. Best in sun and well-drained soil.

 **Skin & Eye irritant.**
Toxic if eaten.

1-3 or 3-5
per m²

amygdaloides var. robbiae – good evergreen space-filler for shade, sulphur yellow flowers, dark glossy green foliage		10-50h 100-150s	June-July	  	
– 'Portuguese Velvet' – distinctive round flower heads, pale green flowers with brown-black centres, velvety grey-green leaves		50-100h 50-100s	Mar-May	 	
– subsp. wulfenii – yellow-green flowers, evergreen		100-150h 100-150s	April-May	 	
– Margery Fish Group – bright green-yellow flower heads over glaucous foliage		100h	April-May		
characias 'Ascot Moonbeam' – compact and bushy with white-edged foliage and all year interest		50-100h 50-100s	April-June		
cyparissias 'Fens Ruby' ('Clarice Howard') – honey scented early lime green flowers, narrow blue-grey leaves with maroon tips		10-50h 100-150s	April-June	 	
– 'Orange Man' – soft narrow foliage, bright yellow maturing through orange flowers, green leaves		20-40h 40s	April-May		
griffithii 'Fireglow' – brilliant orange-red heads carried on strong erect stems, attractive leaves		50-100h 50-100s	May-June		
x martini 'Ascot Rainbow' PBR – narrow, grey-green leaves that have a striking yellow edge, the foliage is topped by clusters of variegated cream, lime and green flowers		100-150h 50-100s	Mar-July	 	
– 'Baby Charm' – dark green foliage forming dwarf mounds, olive-yellow flowers freely produced		50-100h 50-100s	April-July		
myrsinites – prostrate, blue-grey evergreen leaves, sulphur yellow flowers, most effective on a bank		<10h 10-50s	Mar-April	 	



Euphorbia palustris



Filipendula 'Venusta'



Foeniculum 'Purpureum'



Fragaria 'Red Ruby' PBR

Euphorbia

Continued

! Skin & Eye irritant.
Toxic if eaten.

1-3 or 3-5
per m²

palustris – dramatic heads of sulphur yellow bracts on strong stems, good for naturalizing		50-100h 10-100s	June- July			
polychroma – domes of bright yellow bracts after the daffodils		<30h 60s	April- May			

Eurybia *Can be found under its previous genus Aster.*

Fascicularia ('Hardy Bromeliad') unusual perennial with an almost tropical appearance.

3-5
per m²

bicolor – exotic-looking spiny foliage rosettes with flowers produced from the centre		45h	Aug- Oct			
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Filipendula ('Queen of the Prairies') Happiest in moist, well-drained soils in sun or part shade.

3-5
per m²

rubra 'Venusta' – exquisite fluffy deep rose heads		150-250h 50-100s	June- Aug			
ulmaria 'Aurea' – leaves bright yellow in spring, creamy-white flowers		30-60h 45s	June- July			

Foeniculum ('Fennel') Distinctive feathery, aniseed-scented foliage, a must for the dry sunny garden.

3-5
per m²

vulgare 'Purpureum' – dark red-bronze leaved fennel		150-250h 50-100s				
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Fragaria ('Ornamental Strawberry')

Delightful prolific ground-cover for hanging-basket, pot or border in sun or shade.

3-5
per m²

x ananassa Pink Panda PBR – vigorous, low growing semi-evergreen ground cover, pink flowers for months, edible fruits		10-50h 50-100s	May- Nov			
– 'Red Ruby' PBR – distinct red flowers for months		<30h	May- Nov			
– 'Variegata' – broadly white margined leaves with dark green centre, white flowers		15h	May- Nov			

Francoa ('Bridal Wreath') An excellent cut flower, very hardy.

3-5
per m²

sonchifolia 'Pink Giant' – consistently larger pink bicoloured flowers, more attractive and longer lasting		75h 30s	July- Sep			
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Gaillardia ('Blanket Flower') Can be short lived. Best in well-drained and sunny position.

5-7
per m²

x grandiflora 'Burgunder' – pure deep scarlet		10-50h 10-50s	June- Oct			
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Gaura 'Passionate Blush'



Gaura 'Siskiyou Pink'



Geranium 'Alan Mayes'



Geranium 'Blue Cloud'

Gaillardia ('Blanket Flower')

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5-7
per m²

- 'Dazzler' – golden yellow with maroon centre		50-100h 10-50s	June- Oct				
- 'Kobold' (Goblin) – dwarf yellow and red		10-50h 10-50s	June- Oct				

Gaura ('Beeblossom') Now classified under the genus *Oenothera*.

Prefers full sun and well-drained position.

3-5
per m²

lindheimeri Cherry Brandy ^{PBR} – tall slender pink flowers, dark green spoon-shaped leaves, forming foliage that remains compact		30-45h	June- Sep				
- 'Passionate Blush' ^{PBR} – spikes of pastel pink star shaped flowers, lance shaped leaves forming foliage flushed burgundy		40h 40s	May- Sep				
- 'Siskiyou Pink' – combination of pale and deep pink flowers, dark green spooned shaped leaves		100-150h 50-100s	June- Sep				
- 'The Bride' – graceful, willowly stems of white flowers		90-120h 60s	July- Sep				
'Whirling Butterflies' – white flowers with long stamens open from pink buds on many airy stems		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep				

Geranium ('Crane's Bill') One of the most valued and versatile of garden plants.

Varieties for sun, shade, dry and moist positions.

3-5
per m²

'Alan Mayes' – improved autumn foliage colour, violet-blue flowers		30-60h	May- Aug				
'Ann Folkard' – rich magenta flowers with black veins, deeply cut yellow-green leaves, effective if left to climb through other plants, sun		10-50h 50-100s	June- Sep				
'Anne Thomson' – rich magenta flowers, more compact than 'Ann Folkard'		30-60h 60s	June- Sep				
'Blue Cloud' – long flowering hybrid producing large, loose mounds of finely divided leaves, many pale blue, starry flowers with blue-purple veining		50-100h 150-250s	May- Aug				
'Blushing Turtle' ^{PBR} – pink flowers with darker veining, mounding green foliage		60h	May- Sep				
'Brookside' – beautiful large deep blue flowers with paler eye, long flowering		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep				


Geranium 'Dusky Crûg'

Geranium 'Jean Armour'


























































Geranium 'Nimbus'

Geranium 'Patricia'

Geranium ('Crane's Bill')

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3-5
per m²

'Coombland White' – attractive mounds of downy evergreen foliage give rise to upward facing flowers of white in close up revealed to be the palest mauve-pink with delicate veining		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug			
'Dragon Heart' ^{PBR} – large, magenta flowers with black centres and dark venation		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug			
'Dusky Crûg' – prolific flowering, soft pink blooms, set off against purple-bronze, spreading foliage		<30h	June- Sep			
'Elke' – masses of small purple-pink flowers, fading to white at edge, set off by darker veining, carpet of deeply divided foliage turning red in autumn		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep			
'Ivan' – showy with bold mid-green basal leaves, large magenta flowers with black veins, borne in profusion		50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug			
'Jean Armour' – pale pink flowers with a white centre, trailing foliage		30-60h	June- Sep			
'Johnson's Blue' – classical mid-blue flowers, deeply cut foliage		10-50h 50-100s	June- Aug			
'Lawijk Star' – dark blue-violet flowers with dark veining and purple-flushed foliage		10-50h 50-100s	June- Aug			
'Little David' – bright magenta-pink flowers, deeply cut foliage		20-30h	June- Sep			
'Mavis Simpson' – masses of pale pink flowers veined purple with a silvery sheen for months, mats of low growing foliage		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep			
'Nimbus' – mass of large starry dark violet-purple flowers with white centre, dark veining, divided leaves		50-100h 10-50s	May- Sep			
'Orion' – exceptionally large dark blue flowers, striking autumn leaf colour		10-50h 50-100s	May- Aug			
'Orkney Cherry' ^{PBR} – bronze-flushed foliage with small vibrant pink flowers		10-50h 50-100s	May- Aug			
'Patricia' – carmine-pink flowers		50-100h 150-250s	June- Sep			
'Philippe Vapelle' – lovely soft grey-green leaves forming mounds, large bluish-purple flowers with strong, dark veins and notched petals		10-50h 10-50s	June- July			

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Geranium 'Red Admiral'

Geranium 'Rozanne' PBR
























































Geranium 'Laurence Flatman'

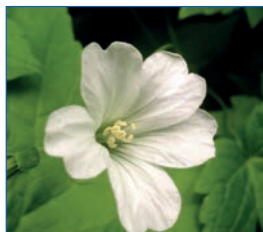
Geranium 'Plenum'

Geranium ('Crane's Bill')

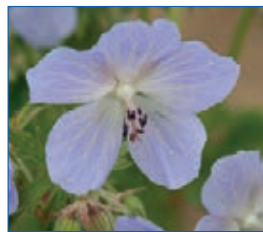
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<p>'Red Admiral' – a well named hybrid of <i>G. psilostemon</i> and <i>G. sylvaticum</i> offering a major step towards a truly red flowered hardy Geranium. A vigorous plant with surprisingly large, reddish pink flowers with a dark centre and veining</p>		<p>50-100h 10-50s</p>	<p>June- Sep</p>	  
<p>'Rozanne' PBR – large single violet-blue with paler centre and charcoal grey anthers, terrific in pot, ground-cover or border, best in full sun</p>		<p>50-100h 50-100s</p>	<p>June- Nov</p>	   
<p>'Sirak' – striking mauve pink flowers</p>		<p>10-50h 100-150s</p>	<p>May- July</p>	   
<p>'Spinners' – young shoots are gold-flushed, developing deeply lobed dissected leaves. Richly coloured flowers, among the closest to a true blue</p>		<p>80-90h</p>	<p>May- June</p>	 
<p>'Stephanie' – sage like, light green foliage, upturned pale lilac-blue flowers with deep violet veins</p>		<p>30h</p>	<p>May- July</p>	 
<p>'Tiny Monster' – pink flowers with dark wine-red veining, green foliage often turning purple-bronze in autumn</p>		<p>10-50h 10-50s</p>	<p>May- June</p>	  
<p>cinereum 'Laurence Flatman' – lilac pink flowers intensely veined crimson purple</p>		<p><10h 10-50s</p>	<p>May- Sep</p>	  
<p>clarkei 'Kashmir Pink' – rosy-pink flowers</p>		<p>10-50h 50-100s</p>	<p>June- Sep</p>	  
<p>– 'Kashmir White' – masses of cup shaped white flowers, attractive leaves, good ground cover</p>		<p>10-50h 100-150s</p>	<p>June- Aug</p>	  
<p>– (Purple-flowered Group) 'Kashmir Purple' – delightful drooping purple flowers</p>		<p>10-50h 100-150s</p>	<p>June- Sep</p>	  
<p>dalmaticum – low mounds of light pink flowers, glossy foliage</p>		<p><10h 10-50s</p>	<p>May- Aug</p>	   
<p>– 'Album' – white flowers, aromatic, semi evergreen foliage</p>		<p>10h</p>	<p>June- July</p>	 
<p>himalayense 'Gravetye' – blue, very profuse</p>		<p>10-50h 10-50s</p>	<p>June- Aug</p>	  
<p>– 'Plenum' – showy, double, lavender-blue flowers</p>		<p>10-50h 10-50s</p>	<p>June- Aug</p>	 


Geranium 'Silver Wood'






















































































Geranium phaeum

Geranium 'Lily Lovell'

Geranium 'Silver Queen'

Geranium ('Crane's Bill')

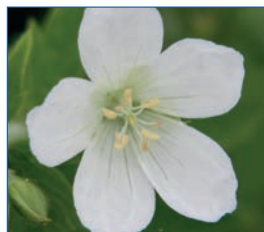
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ibericum subsp. jubatum 'White Zigana' – deep cut, hairy leaves make for beautiful foliage topped by white flowers with violet guidelines	 	30h 45s	June- July		
macrorrhizum 'Bevan's Variety' – crimson flowers with purple tints	  	10-50h 50-100s	April- June	 	
– 'White-Ness' – pure white flowers, low growing forming a mound, glossy light green semi-evergreen foliage	  	10-50h 50-100s	April- June	  	
nodosum – small lilac flowers, glossy green leaves, ideal for shade	  	10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug	 	
– 'Silverwood' – pure white form of the more common pink species	  	10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug	 	
– 'Svelte Lilac' – cup shaped lilac flowers heavily veined, thin glossy foliage	  	10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug	 	
phaeum – reflexed maroon purple flowers, lobed soft green leaves, good in shade	  	50-100h 10-50s	May- July	 	
– 'Album' – reflexed white flowers, light green foliage	  	100-150h 50-100s	May- July	 	
– 'Lily Lovell' – unblotched leaves emerge yellowish becoming bright green, the large, dark violet flowers, nodding only slightly, have a white eye surrounded by a deep purple zigzagged line	  	50-100h 10-50s	May- July	 	
– var. phaeum 'Samobor' – brilliant foliage plant with deep black zonal rings and typical phaeum flowers	  	50-100h 10-50s	May- July	 	
pratense 'Mrs Kendall Clark' – clear slate blue flowers with veining and charcoal anthers	  	50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug	  	
– var. pratense f. albiflorum 'Silver Queen' – large light silver-blue flowers with dark anthers	  	50-100h 50-100s	May- July	 	
– var. stewartianum 'Elizabeth Yeo' – glossy, mid-green foliage with large vibrant pink flowers	  	80h	May- July	 	
psilostemon – brilliant magenta flowers with black centres	  	50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug	  	


Geranium richardsonii







































































Geranium sanguineum 'Album'

Geranium 'Elsbeth'

Geranium sylvaticum 'Album'

Geranium ('Crane's Bill')

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renardii – white flowers, violet veins, low mounds of decorative, puckered sage green foliage		10-50h 10-50s	May- June				
richardsonii – bright green, glossy, deeply lobed leaves, flat white flowers which light up its favoured damp, light shade		30-50h	May- Sep				
x riverslaianum 'Russell Prichard' – intense carmine-red, creeping habit		10-50h 50-100s	June- Sep				
sanguineum – deep magenta, long flowering		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug				
– 'Album' – excellent pure white flowers		30h	June- Aug				
– 'Ankum's Pride' – compact, dark green foliage, large, rose-pink flowers with faint darker veins		10-50h 10-50s	May- July				
– 'Elke' – vibrant flowers with white edging, red foliage in autumn		20h	June- Aug				
– 'Elsbeth' – large, light magenta-purple flowers on spreading plant		10-50h 10-50s	May- June				
– 'Glenluce' – masses of clear pink flowers		10-50h 10-50s	May- June				
– 'John Elsley' – mounds of carmine pink flowers		30-40h	July- Sep				
– 'Max Frei' – compact with dark magenta flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug				
– 'Nyewood' – light purple flowers on neat mounded foliage		15h	May- July				
– var. striatum – beautiful clear, soft pink form		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep				
subcaulescens 'Giuseppii' – vivid magenta pink		<10h 10-50s	May- Sep				
sylvaticum 'Album' – upright plant, light green leaves with pure white flowers		50-100h 10-50s	May- June				
– 'Amy Doncaster' – excellent foliage with striking, beautiful, deep blue flowers and a clear white eye		50-100h 100-150s	May- June				


Geranium 'Mayflower'

Geranium 'Rosemoor'
















































Geranium 'Wargrave Pink'

Geum 'Blood Orange'

Geranium ('Crane's Bill')
















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– 'Mayflower' – large lavender-blue flowers with a white eye		50-100h 10-50s	May- June	   
wallichianum 'Buxton's Variety' – blue flowers with large white centres		10-50h 50-100s	July- Oct	  
wlassovianum – magenta-purple, heavily veined flowers, velvety stems and leaves, brilliant autumn colour		50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug	  
x magnificum – masses of rich violet blue flowers over deeply-cut mounds of leaves		50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug	   
– 'Rosemoor' – improved form, relatively compact, less likely to flop over, lavender-blue flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug	  
x oxonianum 'A. T. Johnson' – light silver-pink flowers and deeply cut light foliage		10-50h 50-100s	June- Sep	   
– 'Lace Time' – striking pink veining over white background, occasionally flushed pink		10-50h 50-100s	May- Aug	  
– 'Rebecca Moss' – soft clear pink flowers		60h 40s	June- Aug	  
– 'Rosenlicht' – dark pink-magenta flower		10-50h 50-100s	May- Aug	  
– 'Walter's Gift' – soft pink flowers with darker veining, contrasting well with leaves which are marked with brown		10-50h 50-100s	April- Sep	  
– 'Wargrave Pink' – bright salmon pink flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June- Sep	  

Geum ('Avens') *Continued* Brightly coloured and useful plants for sunny, moist, well-drained position.

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'Bell Bank' – large red-pink flowers above a compact mound of broad leaved foliage		10-50h 10-50s	May- July	  
'Blood Orange' – deep red stems and buds open to orange flowers above a mound of ruffled foliage		30h	May- Oct	 
'Borisii' – intense orange flowers, compact habit		30-50h 30s	May- Sep	  
'Emory Quinn' – large golden yellow flowers held on red stems above low ruffled foliage		10-50h 10-50s	May- Sep	  


Geum 'Karliskaer'

Geum 'Moonlight Serenade'























































Geum 'Prinses Juliana'

Geum 'Rusty Young'

Geum ('Avens')

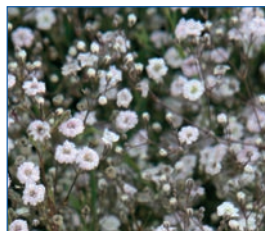
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'Fireball' – branched stems carrying a profusion of semi-double golden yellow, suffused scarlet-orange flowers giving an overall warm glowing apricot-orange effect		45-60h	May-Sep		
'Karliskaer' – apricot-orange flowers, compact		10-50h 10-50s	May-Aug	 	
'Lady Stratheden' – semi-double, rich yellow		10-50h 10-50s	May-Sep	 	
'Lemon Drops' – low-growing variety with single, yellow flowers, forms a neat dome of fresh green leaves		10-50h 10-50s	May-June	 	
'Moonlight Serenade' – delicate white hairs give a silvery sheen to stems and leaves, lovely creamy-yellow flowers fading to cream-white		15-30h	April-June	 	
'Mrs J. Bradshaw' – popular, semi-double scarlet red		10-50h 10-50s	May-Sep	 	
'Poco' – deep red stems and buds, golden apricot flowers, tinged coppery orange		25-30h	April-June		
'Prinses Juliana' – double orange flowers, vigorous and repeat flowering		10-50h 10-50s	May-Oct	 	
'Red Wings' – bright scarlet, semi-double flowers, larger flower in comparison to 'Mrs J. Bradshaw'		30-60h	May-July		
rivale 'Album' – nodding white flowers, prefers cool moist spot		30-60h 45s	April-June	 	
– 'Leonard's Variety' – nodding rose coloured bell-shaped flowers on reddish stems, dark green leaves, prefers cool moist spot		10-50h 10-50s	April-June	 	
'Rusty Young' – strong red stems hold bright yellow flowers splashed with red well clear of the foliage, very free flowering		15-30h	April-June		
'Savanna Sunset' – brown-red stems and buds, slightly frilled petals and a hint of doubling add to dusky apricot flowers held well above the plant		30-60h	April-June		
'Stacey's Sunrise' – hairs add a silvery sheen to green foliage, flowers of soft primrose yellow with a hint of apricot, compact plants		15-30h	April-June		
'Totally Tangerine' ^{PBR} – warm apricot-orange flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug	 	



Gunnera manicata



Gypsophila 'Rosenschleier'



Helenium 'Moerheim Beauty'



Helenium 'Wyndley'

Gunnera ('Giant Rhubarb') Potentially massive moisture lovers, requires rich soil in sun or partial shade, for a dramatic waterside statement.

These plants may require winter protection, especially when young and in containers.

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manicata – largest, hardy species, thick compact rhizomes form large clumps giving rise to kidney shaped, jagged toothed, sharply lobed leaves carried on substantial leaf stalks. Large erect, conical to egg shaped flower heads bear many small greenish flowers



150-250h
250-400s

May-
June



Gypsophila ('Baby's Breath') Treasured for their wiry clouds of flowers.

Best in sunny, well-drained soil.

5-7
per m²

paniculata 'Compacta Plena' – double white, suffused pink



30-60h
45s

June-
Aug



'Rosenschleier' ('Rosy Veil') – compact, free flowering, double rosy pink



10-50h
10-50s

June-
Aug



Helenium ('Sneezewort') Rich coloured, free-flowering perennials for the sunny border.

Divide every 2-3 years to maintain vigour. Magnet for bees.

3-5
per m²

– **'Siesta' PBR** – deep, true red, ruffled petals surrounding a rich brown cone



50-100h
50-100s

July-
Sep



'Moerheim Beauty' – beautiful rich bronze-red flowers, profuse



50-100h
10-50s

July-
Sep



'Red Jewel' – deep red flowers with a pronounced brown central cone



75h

July-
Sep



'Ruby Thuesday' – deep red flowers with a prominent red and saffron centre



75h
50s

July-
Sep



'Rubinzweg' – dark red flowers with a brown cone, the tips slightly lobed or split sometimes show a light-pink tinge



50-100h
10-50s

July-
Sep



'Sahin's Early Flowerer' – streaked yellow, brown, red flowers



50-100h
10-50s

July-
Oct



'Waltraut' – brown centred, copper-orange flowers with deep yellow outer edge



50-100h
10-50s

July-
Sep



'Wyndley' – upright stems are topped with clusters of fairly large, rich yellow flowers with brown centres



75-80h
45-60s

July-
Sep



Helianthus ('Sunflower') Tough, cheery plants for full sun and fertile well drained soil.

Great cut flower.

3-5
per m²

'Lemon Queen' – dark green leaves compliment prolific pale yellow flowers



150-250h
50-100s

June-
Sep




Helichrysum 'Schwefellicht'

Helleborus argutifolius

Helleborus Zodiac Group

Hemerocallis 'Buzz Bomb'

Helichrysum

('Everlasting Flower')
Sunny, well-drained soil, good ground cover.






















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'Schwefellicht' (Sulphur Light) – silver grey foliage with distinctive curry scent, clusters of papery sulphur yellow flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep		
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Helleborus

('Hellebore') Best in cool, humus-rich soil in part shade.
 **Harmful if eaten.**













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argutifolius (corsicus) – mid to pale green evergreen toothed leaves, clusters of yellow-green flowers, prefers sheltered position		50-100h 50-100s	Mar-April		
foetidus – dark green deeply divided leaves, red margined pale green flowers		50-100h 10-50s	Mar-May		
– Wester Flisk Group – purple leaves, green bell shaped flowers edged with burgundy, striking red-tinted main stems and leaf stems, with the staining continuing up into the flower heads		50-100h 10-50s	Feb-April		
x hybridus (orientalis) – mixed colours		10-50h 10-50s	Mar-April		
– Zodiac Group – pink ground colour, clear margins of petals surrounds striking zone of deep maroon purple spots		30-40h	Mar-April		
x niger ('Christmas Rose') – white blushed pink blooms over evergreen fingered leaves		10-50h 10-50s	Jan-Mar		
x sternii – variable in height, flower colour (ranging from green with a hint of pink to deep pink) and leaf shape but a very worthwhile plant, similar in habit to H. argutifolius		10-50h 10-50s	Mar-May		

Hemerocallis

('Day Lily') Reliable and adaptable plants.
Happiest in rich, heavy but well-drained soil in sun or part shade.

 3-5
per m²

'Black Magic' – deep ruby-mahogany with yellow throat		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
'Burning Daylight' – fragrant, rich glowing orange flowers with ruffled edges		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug		
'Buzz Bomb' – yellow throat radiating out into bright velvety red petals		60h	June-Aug		
'Catherine Woodbery' – soft pink over pale green		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug		


Hemerocallis 'Cathy's Sunset'

Hemerocallis 'Golden Chimes'























































Hemerocallis 'Mallard'

Hemerocallis 'Mini Pearl'

Hemerocallis ('Day Lily')

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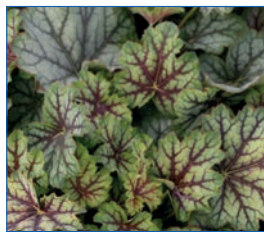
'Cathy's Sunset' – A Howard Nurseries Introduction. Discovered as a chance seedling amongst a group of H. 'Stella de Oro' by staff member Michael Foreman and named in honour of his daughter. The attractive yellow and terracotta bi-coloured flowers are held above compact growth making it useful for the front of the border, long flowering season		50-100h 50-100s	June- Sep		
'Corky' – many lemon yellow flowers, mahogany stalks		50-100h 10-50s	June- July		
'Edge Ahead' – stunning pink with raspberry ring and yellow throat	 	60h	June- Aug		
'Gentle Shepherd' – white flowers with a light green centre		60-90h 120s	June- Aug		
'Golden Chimes' – small deep yellow flowers	 	50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug		
'Hyperion' – canary yellow, scented	 	110h	June- Aug		
'Joan Senior' – pale lemon fading to soft white with pale green centre		50-100h 50-100s	July- Sep		
'Lemon Bells' – lemon yellow		50-100h 10-50s	June- July		
lilioasphodelus – classical, very fragrant, lemon yellow		50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug		
'Little Wine Cup' – deep wine-red with yellow throat		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug		
'Mallard' – a classic, deciduous foliage with large ruby-red flowers on strong stems		60h 50s	June- July		
'Marion Vaughn' – very fragrant, pale lemon-yellow flowers with white midribs		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug		
'Mini Pearl' – melon to blush pink with lemon yellow to green throat, wide ruffled form, very floriferous	 	40h	June- Aug		
'Mountain Laurel' – dark red petals, chartreuse throat, crimped edges	 	80h	July- Aug		
'Pardon Me' – small but fragrant, bright red flowers with a yellow-green throat		50-100h 10-50s	July- Aug		
'Pink Damask' – deep pink reflexed flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug		 



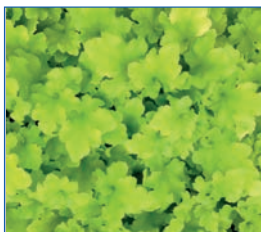
Hemerocallis 'Stella de Oro'



Heuchera 'Crème Brûlée'



Heuchera 'Green Spice'



Heuchera 'Lime Marmalade'

Hemerocallis ('Day Lily')

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'Snowy Apparition' – apricot-white		100h 70s	July- Aug			
'Stafford' – deep red with orange-yellow throat		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug			
'Stella de Oro' – dwarf, canary yellow flowers with orange throat		10-50h 10-50s	June- Oct			
'Summer Wine' – maroon red		30-60h 60s	June- Aug			

Hesperantha ('Kaffir Lily')

Can be found under its previous genus Schizostylis

Heuchera ('Coral Bells') Many varieties now available but all appreciate moist, well-drained soil in sun or part shade. Heucheras tend to lift themselves out of the ground. Lift and divide every 3 years in spring or late summer.

5-7
per m²

'Berry Smoothie' ^{PBR} – ruffled mounds of pink-red foliage which darken with age, tall stems of small, bell-shaped, pale pink flowers appear from late spring		50-100h 10-50s	April- July			
'Blackberry Jam' – dark maroon-purple on ruffled foliage with a silvery overlay and contrasting dark veining		10-50h 10-50s	April- July			
'Cherry Cola' ^{PBR} – compact habit, rich red-brown foliage, bright cherry-red flowers		40-45h 30-40s	July- Aug			
'Chocolate Ruffles' ^{PBR} – large ruffled dark leaves with chocolate brown tips, delicate spikes of pale flowers		50-100h 10-50s	May- Sep			
'Crème Brûlée' – the foliage is an unusual combination of bronze and gold which is very distinct from most other foliage plants		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep			
'Fire Chief' ^{PBR} – deep burgundy wine foliage on a dense compact plant, pink and white flowers		10-50h 10-50s	May- Aug			
'Green Spice' – mid green leaves with silver overlay and dark maroon venation, tall spires of green flowers		10-50h 10-50s	May- July			
'Lime Marmalade' – a vigorous plant with deeply lobed and ruffled leaves, glowing lime to green all season		10-50h 10-50s	April- July			



Heuchera 'Obsidian' PBR



Heuchera 'Black Pearl' PBR



Heucherella 'Solar Eclipse'



Hosta 'August Moon'

Heuchera ('Coral Bells')

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per m²

'Key Lime Pie' PBR – compact habit with rich lime-green foliage and small cream flowers		30h	April-July			
'Marmalade' PBR – striking rich amber, ruffled foliage with contrasting pink undersides		10-50h 10-50s	May-June			
'Obsidian' PBR – glossy rounded dark purple-black foliage, chartreuse - white flowers		10-50h 10-50s	July-Sep			
'Peach Flambé' PBR – shiny vibrant peach coloured foliage in spring and summer, turning deep plum in winter, white flowers		10-50h 10-50s	May-July			
'Plum Pudding' PBR – very deep red, dark marbled ruffled leaves, evergreen, tiny maroon and green flowers, one of the best dark varieties		10-50h 10-50s	May-Aug			
Primo 'Black Pearl' PBR – compact habit with stunning black leaves with scalloped, ruffled edges with white flowers with white calyxes		30h	June-Aug			

x Heucherella ('Foamybells') Great for ground cover. Prefers partial shade and humus rich soil.

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'Kimono' PBR – large palm shaped leaves of soft green with dark chocolate central stripe and a slight silvery overlay, foliage turning metallic rose in winter, masses of creamy white flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June-Aug			
'Solar Eclipse' – red-brown foliage edged with lime green margin, with small white fluffy flowers		25h 30s	June-July			
'Stoptlight' PBR – large striking leaves of bright limey green with deep red central markings, colour intensifying with maturity producing really bold, brilliant plant, white flowers on short spires		10-50h 10-50s	May-July			
'Tapestry' PBR – deeply cut green foliage with deep purple veining that radiates out, small pink flowers are held on thin upright stems		40h	April-July			

Hosta ('Plantain Lily' or 'Funkia') Beautiful architectural plants for moist, well-drained, part-full shady position. Superb in large pots.

3-5
per m²

'August Moon' – large golden-yellow leaves, mauve flower spikes		60-90h 45-75s	July-Aug			
'Blue Angel' – large, clump-forming habit with blue-grey ovate leaves with a wavy edge and white flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug			






Hosta 'Big Daddy'

Hosta fortunei var. albopicta
























































Hosta 'Gold Standard'

Hosta 'Liberty' PBR

Hosta ('Plantain Lily' or 'Funkia')

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'Blue Cadet' – blue heart shaped leaves, dark lavender flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug		
'Big Daddy' – large blue leaves that produce dense neat mounds, pale lavender flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug		
'Cherry Berry' – narrow green foliage with dark-green margins and creamy-white centres, mauve-lilac tubular flowers on contrasting deep red flower stems		30h	July-Aug		
'Fire and Ice' – twisted leaves with bottle-green margins and splashes of pure white at the centre, lavender flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug		
fortunei var. albopicta – golden yellow leaves with a darker green margin, mauve flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug		
– var. aureomarginata – lilac flowers, golden edged leaves		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug		 
'Francee' (fortunei) – forest green leaves with bright white margins, lavender flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug		 
'Frances Williams' (sieboldiana) – puckered glaucous leaves with beige variegations, mauve flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June-Aug		
'Gold Regal' – pale green turning gold heart shaped leaves, lavender flowers		75h	June-Aug		
'Gold Standard' (fortunei) – outstanding, yellow rimmed with green, pale lavender flowers		60-90h 90s	June-Aug		
'Great Expectations' (sieboldiana) – very large and dramatic mounds of blue-green, slightly wavy and cupped foliage, boldly splashed in cream or yellow, near white flowers		40-50h	June-July		
'Halcyon' (Tardiana Group) – beautiful mound of silver-grey leaves, mauve flowers		10-50h 50-100s	July-Aug		 
'June' (Tardiana Group) PBR – medium sized mound of gold centred foliage with blue-green margin, pale lavender flowers		10-50h 10-50s	July-Aug		 
'Krossa Regal' – large glaucous grey-green leaves, spires of lilac flowers		100-150h 100-150s	July-Aug		 
'Liberty' PBR – blue-green variegated leaves with wide-streaked yellow margins which fade to creamy-white with lavender flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June-July		 
'Patriot' – a sport of 'Francee' differing in its thicker leaves with wider, white margins, lavender flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug		 


Hosta 'Pilgrim'

Hosta 'Wide Brim'





























Houttuynia 'Chameleon'

Inula magnifica

Hosta ('Plantain Lily' or 'Funkia')

Continued

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per m²

'Pilgrim' – heart shaped green foliage with an irregular margin, which changes from creamy yellow to creamy white		30h	July-Aug		
plantaginea var. grandiflora – large glossy light-green leaves, fragrant white tubular flowers		50h	July-Aug		
'Purple Heart' – vibrant mid-green leaves with a contrasting deep red-purple leaf base and stems, lavender-purple flowers		60h	Aug-Sep		
sieboldiana var. elegans – forming a large clump of puckered, broad, blue-grey leaves with lilac-tinged white bell-shaped flowers in dense long stem		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug		 
'Sum and Substance' – thick textured green-gold leaves, lavender flowers, lovely. Slug resistant - a must have!		50-100h 50-100s	June-Aug		 
'Twilight' (fortunei) – medium sized, high mound of green, oval leaves with a gold edge, pale lavender flowers		50-60h	July-Aug		
undulata var. undulata ('Mediovariegata') – white variegated green leaves, light purple flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		 
'Wide Brim' – ribbed blue-green leaves with wide, creamy-white margins, lavender flowers. Impressive!		10-50h 50-100s	July-Aug		 

Houttuynia ('Chameleon Plant') Potentially invasive in ideal conditions of moisture and light soil, but attractive even if the roots smell foetid! Effective in a container.

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per m²

cordata 'Chameleon' – coloured leaf of green, cream and red, small white flowers	 	10-50h 50-100s	June-Sep		 
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Hylotelephium Can be found under its previous genus Sedum.

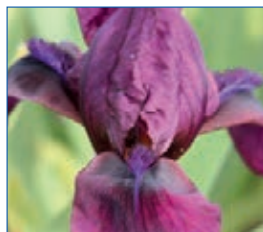
Inula Rich moisture retentive soil in sun or partial shade.

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magnifica – large coarsely hairy toothed leaves, bold yellow flower heads		150-250h 50-100s	June-July	 	
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Iris 'Benton Caramel'

Iris 'Benton Daphne'

Iris 'Benton Dierdre'

Iris 'Cherry Garden'

Iris ('Cedric Morris, Benton Range') Some 70 years after the fine vintage Irises bred by Cedric Morris, we are introducing some of them back into commercial growing. Numbers, though, are still limited.


 3-5
per m²

'Benton Apollo' – clear rich yellow flowers, olive shading and a golden-orange beard		90h 30s	May- June		
'Benton Caramel' – flowers deep red-brown in colour with golden beards		90h 30s	May- June		
'Benton Daphne' – cream standards heavily suffused dusky-pink, and falls cream with dusky-pink margins		90h	May- June		
'Benton Dierdre' – reddish-pink standards, falls crem with margin of red-pink		100h 40s	May- June		
'Benton Lorna' – pansy-violet standards, white falls edged with the same pansy-violet		100h 40s	May- June		
'Benton Menace' – large rich red-violet flowers with a golden beard		100h 40s	May- June		
'Benton Nigel' – violet standards, falls deep violet with paler margin		100h 40s	May- June		
'Benton Pearl' – white standards, falls white with a bright rosy-mauve flush		100h 40s	May- June		
'Benton Storrington' – standards bishop's purple, falls the same velvety colour, but deeper		90h 30s	May- June		
'Benton Susan' – standards deep buff-yellow, falls white, margined buff-yellow with golden veining and orange beard		100h 40s	May- June		

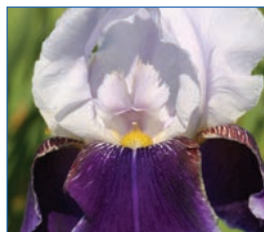
Iris (Dwarf Bearded) Plant with top of rhizome just showing – all are perfect for rockery, front of border in full sun.


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per m²

'Austrian Sky' – sky blue with darker falls		10-50h 10-50s	April- May		
'Blue Pigmy' – scented rich purple-blue		25h	April- May		
'Cherry Garden' – deep wine red with purple		10-50h 10-50s	April- May		
'Lilli-white' – pure white		10-50h 10-50s	April- May		
'Orange Caper' – golden yellow with orange beard		10-50h 10-50s	April- May		
'Pogo' – yellow with striking brown marks on falls		30h	April- May		


Iris 'Actress'





































Iris 'Black Swan'

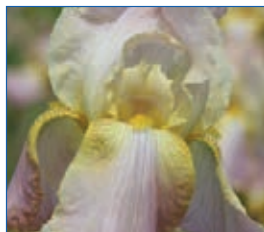
Iris 'Bold Print'

Iris 'Braithwaite'

Iris (Tall Bearded and Intermediate Bearded) *Tall Bearded Iris prefer hot, sunny and well-drained position. Plant with rhizome just showing. We have an enviable reputation for our Irises and hope that the more detailed descriptions will encourage you to share our enthusiasm. Scent and colours can be subjective and depend on weather and light.*

 3-5
per m²

Harmful if eaten.

'Action Front' – soft scent. Large flowers, rich mahogany-red falls with cream veining, golden yellow beard and dusky brown-mauve standards. Subdued but delicious		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		
'Actress' – rich, warm scent. Masses of large broad amethyst blue flowers, ruffled falls paling towards centre, dark orange beard marvellous effect		60h	May- June		
'Berkeley Gold' – some scent. Reflexed golden yellow falls veined with dark gold. Broad slightly crimped standards of butter yellow. Leaves have strong purple base		95h	May- June		
'Beverly Sills' – sweetly scented, soft creamy coral pink with a beard in the same tones plus a hint of tangerine, thick frilly petals, blooming in great profusion		85h	May- June		
'Black Swan' – deep purple-black standards with velvety black falls, ochre tipped beard		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		
'Black Tie Affair' – large, broad flowers, deep purple-black throughout, at its most intense in the falls, shimmering, silky petals and black beard, lightly scented		90h	May- June		
'Blue Rhythm' – uniform cornflower blue with orange tipped beard		90h	May- June		
'Blue Shimmer' – heavily scented. Incredibly free-flowering. Large beautifully proportioned flowers. Broad falls with heavy blue-mauve picotee blending into pure white centre, standards same blue, shot through with white		90h 30s	May- June		
'Bold Print' – white standards and falls, delightfully edged with blue-purple, light blue beard		60-90h 50s	May- June		
'Braithwaite' – fruity scent. Medium sized flowers, semi-reflexed falls of deep rich, velvety purple, bright yellow beard and contrasting pale blue standards		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		
'Butterscotch Kiss' – spicy fruit scent. Very large flowers, ruffled reflexed caramel falls with darker veining, paler ruffled standards		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		
'Carnaby' – rosy apricot standards with large rosy purple falls with slight fading on the falls borders, orange beard		80h	May- June		


Iris 'Chantilly'

Iris 'Deep Black'

Iris 'Foggy Dew'



































Iris 'Jane Phillips'

Iris (Tall Bearded and Intermediate Bearded)

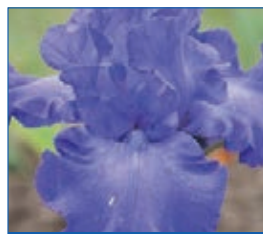
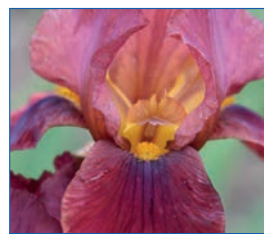
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'Carnival Time' – scented. Complex colours, amber edged darkening to chestnut-red centre falls, overlaid with delicate velvety blue bloom. Compact, ruffled standards of coppery brown		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		
'Chantilly' – scented. Beautifully shaped flowers, reflexed falls with crimped edges, pale mauve centres blending into yellow. Similar standards. Needs close inspection to appreciate full beauty		90h	May- June		
'Dancer's Veil' – ruffled flowers, standards white heavily flushed with violet, falls white with narrower violet edges, white beard		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		
'Deep Black' – delicate scent. Deepest, richest velvety indigo. Semi-reflexed falls virtually black, standards indigo		90h 30s	May- June		
'Draco' – very large deep black purple head, velvety and heady perfume, vigorous and prolific		85h	May- June		
'Dusky Challenger' – very large and incredibly rich purple heads, almost silk like in appearance, gorgeous perfume, numerous buds, flowers later than most varieties		50-100h 10-50s	June- July		
'Foggy Dew' – standards white ground overlaid by pale lilac-blue staining and fringed dull gold, falls white subtly edged lilac-blue, beard white tipped with yellow, an exquisite combination		65h	May- June		
'Frost and Flame' – fresh fruity scent. Large elegant pure white flowers, contrasting bright orange beard. Very tall but strong		100h	June- July		
'Harriette Halloway' – scented. Very large, superb flower! Huge paddle shaped reflexed falls of Mediterranean blue, paler towards the centre and shot through with buff veins. Same clear blue standards. Elegant despite flower size and should be better known. Excellent alternative to I. 'Jane Phillips'!		80h	May- June		
'Jane Phillips' – very scented. Classic, large sky-blue flowers, reflexed falls. Elegant and deservedly popular.		50-100h 10-50s	May- June	 	
'June Prom' – subtly washed pale blue flowers, short standards and broad falls with dull green veining, blue-orange beard		45h	May- June		












































Iris 'Langport Storm'

Iris 'Lord Warden'

Iris 'Mer du Sud'

Iris 'Quechee'

Iris (Tall Bearded and Intermediate Bearded)

Continued

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'Kent Pride' – delicate scent. Sumptuous chestnut-burgundy falls with white and yellow blaze, golden beard. Burgundy standards. Leaf bases have attractive mauve staining		50-100h 10-50s	May-June			
'Langport Storm' – pale mauve, suffused with hints of brown in the standards, falls similar but with brown blotch, scented		45h	April-May			
'Langport Wren' – rich purple-maroon standards with similar falls with darker veins enhanced by dark yellow-brown beard		50-100h 10-50s	May-June			
'Lemon Ice' – creamy yellow standards, falls also creamy yellow at edge merging with white centre, yellow beard		60h 15s	May-June			
'Lord Warden' – delicious scent. Bold amber-bronze, slightly reflexed falls with darker picotee. Standards rich amber-gold. Very solid looking plant		70h	May-June			
'Love's Tune' – ruffled white flowers with a hint of blue, soft pale blue beard		45h	May-June			
'Madeira Belle' – flowers carried on sturdy well branched stems, emerging with a hint of green from bud to give a white of rare purity, beautifully ruffled with a white beard		90h	May-June			
'Mer du Sud' – huge purple flower heads with a blue beard on strong stems, splendid perfume, numerous buds		80h 40s	May-June			
'Ola Kalá' – spicy scent. Nicely proportioned, golden yellow flowers shot through with amber		90-120h 50s	May-June			
'Party Dress' – a veritable fruit-bowl of scent! Broad reflexed falls of softest peachy-melon, tangerine beard and standards of soft peach. Whole flower suffused in burnished gold. Beautiful		50-100h 10-50s	May-June			
'Pink Charm' – scented. Exquisite, large open peachy-pink falls, softer broad standards, bold tangerine beard. Massed flowers, almost congested		60h	May-June			
'Pirate's Quest' – very large golden yellow flowers with a hint of white in the beards, wonderful fragrance, numerous buds		90h	May-June			
'Quechee' – rich, orange chocolate scent. Large open flowers. Velvet burgundy-garnet falls, softer burgundy standards		75h	May-June			


Iris 'Rajah'

Iris 'Sable'

Iris 'Stepping Out'











































Iris 'Titan's Glory'

Iris (Tall Bearded and Intermediate Bearded)

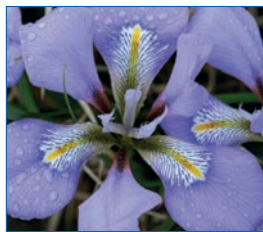
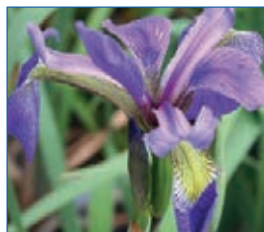
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'Rajah' – rich, fruity, spicy scent. Amazing flower! Rich dark velvety burgundy falls shot through with yellow, topped by clearest bright butter-yellow standards		90-120h 50s	May- June		
'Raspberry Blush' – raspberry pink suffused with mauve on falls, rich orange beard		10-50h 10-50s	May- June		 
'Rocket' – scented. Semi-reflexed amber and yellow falls with overlay of buff-pink. Buff-yellow standards. Beautiful! Sturdy		90-120h 50s	May- June		
'Sable' – scented, black-purple falls with purple standards. A lighter centre is highlighted by an orange tipped blue-purple beard		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		
'Saint Crispin' – real perfume scent! Reflexed golden yellow falls shot through with dull gold, bright orange beard, slightly paler standards		60-90h 50s	May- June		
'Snow Tracery' – white falls with veins delicately highlighted with bright blue around fringes, standards similarly coloured but more intensely highlighted throughout, completed by a bright orange beard		65h	May- June		
'Stepping Out' – white falls with heavy margins of blue-purple, standards almost entirely deep blue-purple		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		 
'Sultan's Palace' – simply stunning, very large rich copper red flowers with a hint of yellow, beautiful perfume, numerous buds		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		
'Susan Bliss' – lilac-purple falls with slightly paler standards and a yellow beard		60-90h 50s	May- June		
'Titan's Glory' – the name says it all, a true specimen, incredibly large and stunning purple flowers, scented depending on growing conditions, numerous buds		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		 
'White City' – soft scent, palest cool blue you can imagine maturing to white		50-100h 10-50s	May- June		
'Winter Olympics' – ruffled edges to standards and falls, pure white including beard		90h	May- June		
'Wondrous' – large, pale pink flowers, lovely scent if kept in the right conditions, numerous buds		90h	May- June		


























































Iris chrysographes

Iris 'Rose Queen'

Iris unguicularis

Iris x robusta 'Gerald Darby'

Iris

(Various)

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chrysographes – violet, almost black flower heads with a slight golden streak, grey-green foliage		10-50h 10-50s	May- June			
– 'Black Gold' – dark purple-black flowers with almost a velvet-like appearance and delicate gold veining on the falls		60-90h	April- May			
ensata – mixed hybrids ranging through white, pink, blue and purple		80h 45s	June- July			
– 'Kumo-no-obi' – light purple		90h 45s	June- July			
– 'Moonlight Waves' – white with lime green centre diffusing into petals		90h	June- July			
– 'Rose Queen' – soft pink flowers, up to three flowers are produced per stem		50-100h 10-50s	May- June			
– 'Variegata' – white striped leaves that remain handsome until late in the year, flowers are a rich purple		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
foetidissima – decorative orange seed heads in autumn		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
lazica – blue flowers, evergreen, broad glossy foliage		10-50h 10-50s	Oct- Mar			
pallida (dalmatica) – blue-grey foliage, lavender flowers		100h	June- July			
– 'Argentea Variegata' – soft blue scented flowers, white variegated glaucous foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
– 'Variegata' ('Aurea') – blue scented flowers, golden variegated leaves		50-100h 10-50s	May- June			
pseudacorus (Yellow Flag Iris) – rich yellow flowers		100-150h 100-150	June- July			
– 'Variegata' – stunning golden variegated Yellow Flag Iris		100-150h 100-150s	June- July			
unguicularis (stylosa) – delicate, scented lavender-blue flowers, nestling amongst grass-like foliage throughout winter and spring. Best in hot position, poor soil		10-50h 10-50s	Dec - Feb			
x robusta 'Gerald Darby' – violet-purple flowers with a splash of yellow and dark veining, new growth has a purple splash at the base of the plant		100-150h 10-50s	June- July			



Iris 'Cambridge'



Iris 'Flight of Butterflies'



Iris 'Papillon'



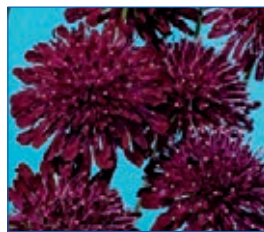
Iris 'Tropic Night'

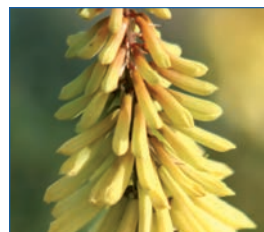
Iris sibirica (Siberian Iris)

An adaptable group, suitable for planting near water or any reasonable soil.

Harmful if eaten. 3-5 per m²

sanguinea 'Snow Queen' – snow white with golden yellow blotch		85h 50s	June- July			
sibirica 'Caesar's Brother' – broad, deep purple flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
– 'Cambridge' – light blue flowers with dark veining		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
– 'Dreaming Yellow' – white standards, pale cream falls, yellow at centre		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
– 'Flight of Butterflies' – swarms of small flowers, pale blue with darker veining		50-100h 10-50s	May- July			
– 'Melton Red Flare' – red-purple flowers		90h	June- July			
– 'Mountain Lake' – deep blue broad flowers		90h	June- July			
– 'Papillon' – mid-blue flowers		90h	June- July			
– 'Perry's Blue' – large sky blue flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
– 'Persimmon' – broad blue-purple		90h	June- July			
– 'Silver Edge' – large, broad flowers with blue standards and dark blue falls edged with white		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
– 'Snowcrest' – large, broad white flowers with yellow hafts		90h	June- July			
– 'Sparkling Rosé' – rose-purple flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
– 'Tropic Night' – many mid blue-purple flowers, attractive veining		100-150h 50-100s	June- July			
– 'White Swirl' – wide gold-centred pure white flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			


Kalimeris 'Shogun'

Knautia macedonica

Kniphofia 'Bees Lemon'

Kniphofia 'Percy's Pride'

Kalimeris ('Japanese Aster')

Open border, pinching out promotes compact growth and more flowers.

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per m²

yomena 'Shogun' – violet-blue flowers, two-toned green leaves with cream edge		30-60h	Aug-Sep		
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Knautia ('Macedonian Scabious') Great for attracting pollinators into the garden.

5-7
per m²

macedonica – double dark crimson scabiosa-like flowers, loved by butterflies and bees		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep	 	
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Kniphofia ('Red Hot Pokers') Ideal for sunny banks and borders. Good drainage preferred.

3-5
per m²

'Bees' Lemon' – lemon-yellow pokers opening from green buds, noticeable toothed leaf edge		50-100h 50-100s	June-Sep		
'Drummore Apricot' – apricot pokers opening from green buds, bronzed stems		50-100h 50-100s	June-Sep		
'Fiery Fred' – slender leaves, bright orange spikes arising from green buds, over a long season, matching the intensity and stamina of the cricketer after whom it was named		100-150h 100-150s	June-Sep	 	
'Jenny Bloom' – beautiful slender cream and pink pokers, grassy leaves		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
'John Benary' – coral-red pokers		150-250h 10-50	June-Sep		
'Nancy's Red' – short, slender dusky deep coral-red flowers, welcome colour and form		60-90h 30s	July-Oct		
'Percy's Pride' – robust, yellow-green statuesque flowers		100-150h 50-100s	Aug-Oct		
'Shining Sceptre' – spiky upright bluish-green foliage, glowing amber-cream pokers, very free flowering		100-150h 50-100s	July-Oct		
'Tawny King' – tawny apricot buds open to cream flowers from dark bronzed stems, long-flowering, vigorous		100-150h 50-100s	July-Oct	 	
'Tetbury Torch' PBR – bright apricot-yellow pokers, very unique as it flowers for two seasons		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep		
'Timothy' – soft peach and cream flowers with flared ends, bronze stems		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	 	
'Toffee Nosed' – tawny orange flowers fading to cream		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep	 	



Lamium 'White Nancy'



Lathyrus vernus



Lavandula 'Little Lady'



Lavandula 'Grosso'

Lamium ('Dead Nettle') Adaptable ground cover plants for sun or full shade. Trim with shears after flowering to maintain dense growth.

3-5 per m²

galeobdolon 'Hermann's Pride' – attractive silver mottled dense, semi-evergreen foliage, yellow flowers, non invasive, good in shade		40h	May-July			
maculatum 'Pink Pewter' – silver leaves with crinkly green margins pale pink flowers		<10h 50-100s	May-June			
– 'White Nancy' – hooded white flowers over soft, silver leaves		10-50h 50-100s	May-June			

Lamprocapnos ('Bleeding Heart' or 'Lady in a bath') Can be found under its previous genus Dicentra.

Lathyrus ('Spring Pea') An invaluable and easy woodlander

3-5 per m²

vernus – clusters of blue-purple flowers on bushy plants		10-50h 10-50s	April-May			
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Lavandula ('Lavender') Hardly needs an introduction. Superb for the hot sunny border. Trim spent flower stems in late summer. Pick for cut/dry flowers just before the blooms fully open.

3-5 per m²

angustifolia 'Alba' – spikes of white flowers, compact evergreen foliage		60h	July-Aug			
– 'Hidcote' – classic fragrant deep purple flowers, silver grey leaves		10-50h 50-100s	July-Sep			
– Little Lady – compact, erect sage-green leaves, very free-flowering selection with mid violet flowers		45h	July-Sep			
– 'Imperial Gem' – compact bushy variety, rich purple blooms, prolific flowerer		10-50h 10-50s	June-Aug			
– 'Melissa Lilac' PBR – strong, robust silver-green foliage, beautiful furry calyces, mellow purple flowers		60h	July-Sep			
– 'Munstead' – neat growth, paler blue flowers		10-50h 50-100s	July-Sep			
– 'Thumbelina Leigh' PBR – dwarf form with silver-grey foliage and purple flowers		40h	June-Aug			
– 'Twickel Purple' – grey-green foliage, large purple flowers with excellent fragrance		60h	July-Sep			
intermedia 'Grosso' – long slender stems, topped with clusters of vivid violet flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug			
intermedia 'Phenomenal' PBR – robust form, strong foliage, tall stems		70h	July-Aug			
x chaytoriae 'Sawyers' – outstanding taller form with large conical bushy purple flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep			


Leucanthemum 'Aglaia'

Leucanthemum 'Little Miss Muffet'
































Leucanthemum 'Sunny Side Up'

Liatris 'Floristan Weiss'

Leucanthemum ('Shasta Daisy') Delightful daisies for the sunny border.












Excellent cut flowers.

 3-5
per m²

x superbum 'Aglaia' – double white flowers with yellow centres		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug		
– 'Alaska' – large, single white flower		100h	June-Aug		
– 'Banana Cream' – upright stems of creamy-yellow daisy-like flowers with a yellow centre		30-60h	June-Oct		
– 'Engelina' ^{PBR} – large fully double white flowers with golden yellow centres		50h	June-Aug		
– 'Fiona Coghill' – very large creamy white double flowers		60-90h	June-Aug		
– 'Little Miss Muffet' – white daisy-like flowers with yellow centre		30h	July-Sep		
– 'Snowcap' – a dwarf selection, prolific in its production of single white flowers		30-60h	June-Aug		
– 'Sonnenschein' – creamy-yellow, large flowers		90-120h 60s	July-Aug		
– 'Sunny Side Up' ^{PBR} – white anemone centred flower heads		40-50h	June-Aug		
– 'T.E. Killin' – beautiful flat, open, anemone centred white daisy		50-100h 10-50s	July-Oct		 

Liatris ('Gay feather') For the sunny border. Improve drainage on heavy soils, attractive to butterflies and bees, also makes a good cut-flower.

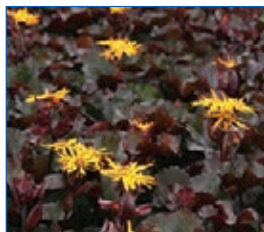
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spicata 'Floristan Violet' – vibrant purple spikes		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	 	
– 'Floristan Weiss' – impressive pure white spikes		30-60h 30s	July-Sep		
– 'Kobold' – selected for its compact form, bold purple spikes		10-50h 10-50s	July-Sep	 	

Libertia ('New Zealand Satin Flower') Attractive evergreen for sheltered sun or partial shade. Quite imposing. For well-drained soil.

 3-5
per m²

grandiflora – evergreen grassy leaves, topped by sprays of pure white saucer-shaped flowers	 	70-90h	May-Sept		 
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Ligularia 'Britt Marie Crawford'






















Ligularia przewalskii

Limonium 'Robert Butler'

Liriope 'Big Blue'













Ligularia Preferring moist, free-draining soils these majestic plants will add drama to any planting.

3-5
per m²

'Britt Marie Crawford' ^{PBR} – dark mahogany leaves, star-like dark orange flowers with dark centres		50-100h 50-100s	June-Aug			
dentata 'Desdemona' – vivid orange flower heads, handsome large dark purple leaves		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug			
– 'Othello' – heart-shaped dark red-green leaves, large orange flowers, loved by butterflies		90-100h	July-Aug			
przewalskii – yellow flowers on almost black stems arising from clumps of triangular, deeply divided leaves		150-250h 50-100s	July-Aug			
'The Rocket' – bright yellow erect spikes, dark foliage		150-250h 50-100s	July-Aug			
'Zepter' – deep orange-yellow flowers on black stems, well held above large rounded leaves		150h	July-Aug			

Limonium ('Sea Lavender' or 'Statice') Happiest in a sunny, open border. Ideal cut/dried flowers, cut just before flowers are fully open.

5-7
per m²

platyphyllum (latifolium) – large dark green leaves, sprays of tiny lavender blue flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep			
– 'Robert Butler' – good foliage, intense violet blue flowers		60h	June-Aug			
– 'Violetta' – dark green leaves with sprays of rich purple flowers		50-100h 10-50s	Aug-Sep			

Liriope ('Lilyturf') An underrated evergreen for ground cover. Tolerant of dry soils and part shade but flowering best in sun.








5-7
per m²

muscari – clumps of evergreen grass-like leaves, plentiful spikes of lavender-blue		10-50h 10-50s	Aug-Nov			
– 'Big Blue' – slender, violet-brown stems rise above the deep green leaves, bearing loose spikes of long violet-blue bells		10-50h 10-50s	Aug-Nov			

Lobelia Happiest in moist, well-drained soils in sun. Apply protective mulch in the autumn.

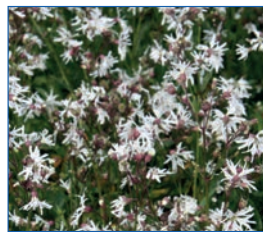
 **Harmful if eaten.**

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per m²

cardinalis 'Bee's Flame' – spikes of large bright scarlet flowers above beetroot-red foliage		80h	July-Oct			
– 'Queen Victoria' – scarlet flowers, dark purple-red foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug			


Lobelia 'Compton Pink'

Lobelia 'Tania'

Lychnis Atrosanguinea Group

Lychnis 'White Robin'

Lobelia

Continued



3-5
per m²

'Compton Pink' – spikes of pale pink flowers above luscious green foliage		75-90h	July-Oct			
siphilitica – light-green leaves, spikes of clear blue flowers		50-100h	July-Sep			
– 'Alba' – tall spikes of white flowers above mounds of green foliage		90h	July-Sep			
x speciosa 'Dark Crusader' – velvety blood-red flowers		75-80h	July-Sep			
– 'Hadspen Purple' ^{PBR} – striking vivid purple flowers on tall upright stems		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep			
– 'Pink Elephant' ^{PBR} – tall showy spikes of pink tubular flowers		100-150h 10-50s	July-Sep			
– 'Russian Princess' – deep magenta red flowers, dark crimson and green flecked foliage		75-90h	Aug-Sep			
– 'Sparkling Ruby' – clump forming with dark green foliage and rich, velvety deep ruby flowers		90h	Aug-Oct			
– 'Tania' – crimson-purple flowers, hardy		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep			

Lychnis ('Campion') Any ordinary soil in sun/part shade.

Remove spent flower heads to prevent excessive seeding about. Good cut flower.

5-7
per m²

chalcedonica – scarlet red heads set off with light green leaves		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug			
coronaria 'Alba' – silvery leaved rosettes, pure white flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep			
– 'Angel's Blush' – pink flushed centres to white flowers held on tall branching stems		80h	June-Aug			
– Atrosanguinea Group – blood red flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug			
flos-cuculi 'Jenny' – soft pink flowers on wiry stems over clumping foliage		45h	May-July			
– 'White Robin' – pure white flowers with red stems, upright habit		50-100h 10-50s	May-June			



Lysimachia 'Firecracker'



Lysimachia clethroides



Lythrum 'Dropmore Purple'



Monarda 'Aquarius'

Lysimachia ('Loosestrife')

Easy plants for any soil, sun or part shade

3-5
per m²

Candela – ('Innlyscand') – elegant white flower spikes above compact mound of green foliage		30h	May-Sep					
ciliata 'Firecracker' – yellow flowers, contrasting mahogany leaves		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug					
clethroides – a graceful species, erect stems bearing slender, lance shaped, light green leaves, tapered spikes arching over in bud, straightening out as white flowers appear		50-100h 50-100s	July-Aug					
punctata 'Alexander' – robust clear yellow flowers, white variegated foliage with a red tinge in spring		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug					

Lythrum ('Purple Loosestrife') Easy and reliable for any soil, sun or part shade that does not dry out.

Looks good near water

3-5
per m²

salicaria 'Blush' – spikes of blush pink above massed foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep					
– 'Feuerkerze' ('Firecandle') – spikes of intense rose red		100-150h 10-50s	June-Sep					
– 'Robert' – clear pink, compact growth, vigorous		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep					
virgatum 'Dropmore Purple' – purple-red		100-150h 10-50s	July-Aug					
– 'The Rocket' – deep rose pink		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep					

Macleaya ('Plume Poppy') Magnificent plant for back of border

1-3
per m²

x kewensis 'Flamingo' – grey leaves, suffused pink with plumes of buff pink flowers		150-250h 100-150s	July-Sep					
microcarpa 'Kelway's Coral Plume' – plumes of coral-pink flowers, large blue-green leaves		150-250h 100-150s	June-Aug					

Monarda ('Bergamot') Happiest in moist, well-drained soil in sun/part shade. Can become invasive.

3-5
per m²

'Aquarius' – pale lilac flowers, aromatic, mildew resistant foliage		60-90h	June-Aug					
'Balance' (Libra) – deep pink flowers, aromatic, mildew resistant foliage		60-90h	Aug-Sep					



Monarda 'Cambridge Scarlet'



Monarda 'Mohawk'



Monarda 'On Parade'



Morina longifolia

Monarda ('Bergamot')

Continued

3-5
per m²

'Cambridge Scarlet' – bright scarlet		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep		
'Croftway Pink' – whorls of tubular, rose pink flowers above green, aromatic foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep		
'Fishes' (Pisces) – pale pink flowers, aromatic, mildew resistant foliage		100-150h 10-50s	July- Aug		
'Gardenview Scarlet' – brilliant red flowers with pale green-pink tipped bracts and aromatic foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep		
'Mahogany' – very dark wine-red blooms		90-120h 45s	July- Aug		
'Marshall's Delight' – double magenta crimson flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug		
'Mohawk' – mauve purple flowers, mildew resistant foliage		100h	Aug- Sep		
'On Parade' – double magenta crimson flowers		75h	June- Aug		
'Sagittarius' – lilac flowers, aromatic, mildew resistant foliage		60-90h	July- Aug		
'Scorpion' (Scorpio) – purple flowers, aromatic, mildew resistant foliage		100-150h 10-50s	June- Aug		
'Squaw' – scarlet flowers, aromatic, mildew resistant foliage		100-150h 10-50s	July- Aug		
'Violet Queen' – soft violet flowers, purple-tinged foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug		

Morina ('Long-leaved Whorlflower') Best in very well drained soil and full sun.

5-7
per m²

longifolia – stout stems of white hooded flowers, pink inside, prickly rosettes of thistle-like leaves		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug		
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Container production Howard Nurseries

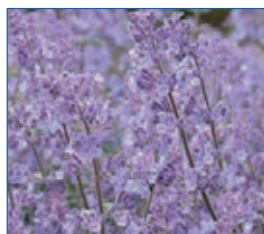
Most of our container production is made up of 2L and 9cm pots which are now produced from post-consumer plastic waste and are 100% recyclable after use.

We are currently growing in a 50% reduced peat compost and hope to be peat free in two years' time.

We catch and recycle the water that falls onto the nursery and then re-use this for irrigation via our onsite reservoirs.

The energy generated by our solar panels will now be stored in a battery (from a well-known brand) and then re-used on site to power our buggies, potting machines and office computers.




Nepeta x faassenii












































































Nepeta 'Bramdean'

Nepeta 'Walker's Low'

Nepeta subsessilis

Nepeta ('Catmint') *Ideal complementary plant between Roses, Achilleas and Geraniums for sunny, well-drained position. Loved by butterflies and bees!*

3-5
per m²

'Blue Dragon' – a compact cultivar with upright spires of blue tubular flowers, held above a tight mound of aromatic foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June- Sep	  
x faassenii – ever popular, mauve-blue		10-50h 10-50s	May- Sep	   
– 'Blue Wonder' – rich blue above mounding grey-green foliage		30h	May- June	  
– 'Crystal Cloud' ^{PBR} – spikes of pale lilac flowers above grey green foliage		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep	  
govaniana – spikes of small clear light yellow flowers, erect bushy habit, prefers shelter	 	50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep	  
grandiflora 'Bramdean' – violet blue flowers on dark stems above grey green foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug	   
– 'Dawn to Dusk' – soft pink flowers, dark purple calyx, delightful and subtle,	 	50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep	  
'Leeds Castle' (longipes) – lilac-purple flowers, grey-green leaves with purple stems	 	50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug	  
nervosa 'Blue Moon' – light blue-purple spikes		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug	  
racemosa 'Little Titch' – low growing lavender-blue flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug	  
– 'Snowflake' – clear white flower spikes, compact habit, best of the whites	 	10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep	  
– 'Walker's Low' – blue-mauve flowers, second crop if clipped over, one of the best	 	10-50h 10-50s	May- Sep	   
sibirica – upright stems of rich blue trumpeted flowers, aromatic green foliage		50-100h 10-50	July- Sep	  
– 'Souvenir d'André Chaudron' ('Blue Beauty') – blue flowering spikes and aromatic leaves		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug	   
'Six Hills Giant' – strong, tall with lavender blue flowers	 	50-100h 50-100s	June- Sep	  
subsessilis – unusually large bright blue flowers	 	50-100h 10-50s	June- Sep	  


Oenothera speciosa 'Siskiyou'

Oenothera 'Summer Sun'












Omphalodes 'Starry Eyes'

Origanum 'Thumble's Variety'

Oenothera ('Evening Primrose')

Oenothera varieties previously classified as Gaura can be found under Gaura.
Flowers may be short-lived but make up with the number produced. Sun, most soils.


















5-7
per m²

macrocarpa (missouriensis) – huge lemon yellow flowers, low spreading growth		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep	   
speciosa 'Siskiyou' – stunning pink flowers deeply veined		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep	 
'Summer Sun' – deep red tipped leaves, yellow flowers		80h	June- Aug	 

Omphalodes ('Navelwort')

Pretty ground covering woodlanders.














5-7
per m²

cappadocica – bright blue spring flowers, oval crinkled green leaves, good ground cover partial shade.		10-50h 10-50s	April- May	  
– 'Cherry Ingram' – bright blue forget-me-not like flowers held in short sprays over clumps of smooth, crumpled, lanceolate leaves.		10-50h 10-50s	April- June	  
– 'Starry Eyes' – stunning starry, white edged blue flowers		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- June	 
verna – low clumps of heart-shaped leaves and clusters of brightest blue flowers, part shade preferred.		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- May	 
– 'Alba' – masses of white flowers, spear shaped lime green hairy foliage		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- June	 

Origanum ('Marjoram')

Full sun and perfect drainage. Ideally mulch with pea-shingle to avoid rotting.
Loved by bees and butterflies. Remove spent flower shoots.

5-7
per m²

'Kent Beauty' – distinctive pink mauve bracts, small tubular pink flowers, semi-evergreen		<10h 10-50s	June- Sep	  
vulgare 'Aureum' – yellow, aromatic foliage, lilac-pink flowers	 	10-50h 10-50s	July- Aug	   
– 'Thumble's Variety' – white flowers over mounds of golden foliage		45h	July- Sep	 


Paeonia lactiflora 'Agida'

Paeonia 'Bowl of Beauty'

Paeonia 'Bunker Hill'

Paeonia 'Edulis Superba'

Pachysandra ('Carpet box') This is a species of flowering plant in the boxwood family, Buxaceae, native to Japan, Korea and China. Great groundcover

 3-5
per m²

terminalis 'Green Carpet' – bright green, shiny, evergreen leaves, short stems of small white flowers


 10-50h
50-100

 Mar-
April


Paeonia ('Peony') Classical show pieces of the traditional herbaceous border. In limited supply, these choice plants will be offered mainly in pots but occasionally as open ground plants via our Availability Lists.

 3-5
per m²

lactiflora 'Agida' – semi-double carmine pink flowers with prominent yellow stamens, elegant and suitable for cutting, scented



85-90h

 June-
July


– **'Antwerpen'** – wavy, coral-pink guard petals darkening towards centre, large mass of bright creamy yellow staminodes, slightly fragrant



90h

 June-
July


– **'Baroness Schroder'** – large double pink flowers fading to pure white, delicately scented, ideal for cutting



90h

 June-
July


– **'Border Gem'** – large double white with a hint of blush pink, excellent shape, golden yellow stamens



90-95h

 June-
July


– **'Bowl of Beauty'** – Japanese-flower form with very large fuchsine-rose guard petals and masses of creamy yellow staminodes, strong stems


 50-100h
50-100s

 June-
July


– **'Bunker Hill'** – semi double rather open blooms, deep cherry red petals, vigorous, fragrant


 50-100h
50-100s

 June-
July


– **'Cheddar Charm'** – white flowers with overlapping petals and a golden yellow centres, delicate scent



90h

 June-
July


– **'Duchesse de Nemours'** – Classic double flowered peony, with large white bowl-shaped, fragrant flowers and hairless, red-brown stems carrying lance-shaped leaflets.



90h

 June-
July


– **'Edulis Superba'** – free flowering, classic cultivar, sweetly rose scented flowers, magenta-rose guard petals surround silver edged magenta-pink inner petals



90h

 May-
June


– **'Festiva Maxima'** – ethereal white peony from a bygone age, double flowers open pale pink, quickly fading to creamy-white, very fragrant


 50-100h
50-100s

 June-
July


– **'Inspecteur Lavergne'** – globe shaped flowers composed of small, deep, white rimmed crimson red petals surrounded by large crimson guard petals


 50-100h
50-100s

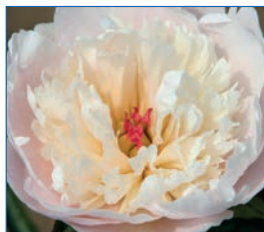
 June-
July


– **'Kelway's Glorious'** – masses of fragrant double white flowers with a creamy-yellow centre



60-90h

 June-
July



Paeonia 'Madame Calot'

Paeonia 'White Wings'

























Papaver 'Patty's Plum'

Penstemon 'Sour Grapes'

Paeonia ('Peony')

Continued

3-5
per m²

– 'Lord Kitchener' – single, maroon-red flowers carried in clusters, golden yellow stamens		50-100h 10-50s	June- July			
– 'Madame Calot' – prolific large, double flowers on strong stems, spicy fragrance, palest pink inner petals surrounded by creamy-white and pale flesh pink guard petals		80h	June- July			
– 'President Franklin D. Roosevelt' – strong, double magenta-red flowers with a hint of white edging to inner petals		90-95h	June- July			
– 'Sarah Bernhardt' – a best seller, fragrant, fully double, apple blossom pink flowers, fading where exposed to the sun but deep pink in the depths, stems may be weak for flower weight		50-100h 50-100s	June- July			
– 'Solange' – silky cream ball shaped flowers with a touch of pink		90h	June- July			
– 'Vogue' – extremely beautiful, free flowering, fully double soft white-pink flowers, very large and fragrant, good for cut flowers		50-100h 50-100s	May- June			
– 'White Wings' – single, pure white outer petals surrounding a mass of golden yellow stamens, slightly fragrant flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June- July			

Papaver ('Poppy')

Spectacular early summer colour. Best on well-drained soil in full sun.

Look good when planted with companions such as Nepeta, Stipa and Crocosmia.

















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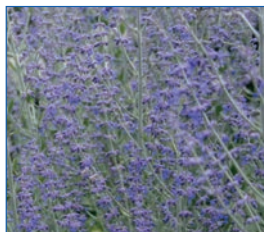
– 'Patty's Plum' – exquisite, large plum coloured flowers		50-100h 50-100s	May- July			
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Penstemon ('Beard Tongue')

Border penstemons are praised for their tubular late summer flowers in an array of dramatic colour

5-7
per m²

'Apple Blossom' – pale pink flowers, creamy-white throat lightly pencilled with crimson		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep			
'Garnet' – reddish violet flowers, toning to a deep mauve, with a white throat and clear maroon pencilling		60-90h 60s	July- Aug			
'Hewell's Pink' – reddish stems, cerise tubes and lobes with white throat, deep carmine pencilling		80h	July- Sep			
'Sour Grapes' – reddish violet flowers, toning to a deep mauve, with a white throat and clear maroon pencilling		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep			



Perovskia 'Little Spire'



Persicaria 'Darjeeling Red'



Persicaria affinis 'Superba'



Persicaria 'Firetail'

Penstemon ('Beard Tongue')

Continued

5-7
per m²

– **DAKOTA™ Burgundy** – compact. Glossy purple black leaves, violet flowers



45h

July-Aug



Perovskia ('Russian Sage') Now classified under the genus Salvia.

Happiest in sunny, well-drained position. Cut back top growth in early spring to 20cm

3-5
per m²

'**Blue Spire**' – blue flower spikes, deeply cut greyish-white foliage with a sage aroma



100-150h
50-100s

Aug-Sep



'**Little Spire**' – silver-grey leaves with upright spikes of tiny, violet-blue flowers



60h
60s

July-Aug



'**Filigran**' – lavender-blue flower, spikes held above extra lacy silver-grey leaves



100-150h
50-100s

Sep-Oct



Persicaria ('Knotweed' or 'Bistort')

Formerly Polygonum. Ideal for moist but well-drained soil in sun/part-shade

3-7
per m²

affinis 'Darjeeling Red' – dark pink spikes, spreading habit



10-50h
10-50s

June-Sep



– '**Donald Lowndes**' – deep pink, effective ground cover



10-50h
10-50s

June-Sep



– '**Superba**' ('**Dimity**') – pink pokers fading crimson, with colourful ground-hugging autumn foliage



10-50h
50-100s

June-Sep



amplexicaulis 'Alba' – surprisingly elegant white spires above clumps of bold green leaves



50-100h
50-100s

June-Sep



– '**Atrosanguinea**' – leafy bushes with masses of ruby-red flower spikes



100-150h
50-100s

June-Sep



– '**Blackfield**' ^{PBR} – long slender dark red flower spikes, mound of large mid-green leaves



120h

July-Oct



– '**Fat Domino**' ^{PBR} – large crimson flowers on long stems, large bushy foliage



120h

July-Oct



– '**Firetail**' – scarlet spikes



100-150h
50-100s

June-Sep



– '**Inverleith**' – low growing with narrow leaves and purple-red flower heads, more restrained than other forms



100-150h
100-150s

June-Sep



– '**Orange Field**' ^{PBR} – tall and bushy selection with long spikes of coral-orange flowers



90-120h
50-100s

July-Aug




Persicaria bistorta 'Superba'

Phlox 'Luc's Lilac'















Phlox 'Miss Lingard'

Phlox 'Natascha'

Persicaria ('Knotweed' or 'Bistort')


































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3-7
per m²

- 'Rosea' – masses of delicate light pink flowers		100-150h 50-100s	June-Sep			
bistorta subsp. carnea – narrow leaf with pink flowers		60h	May-June			
- 'Superba' – clear pink bottle-brush flowers, vigorous		50-100h 50-100s	May-June			
microcephala 'Red Dragon' ^{PBR} – burgundy and green foliage with silver chevron, small white flower clusters		10-50h 50-100s	July-Aug			

Phlox Can provide plants for reliable colour in spring to mid-summer, plus no border is complete without Phlox paniculata for late summer colour and fragrance. Easy on moist well-drained soil in sun.

3-5
per m²

x arendsii 'Luc's Lilac' – very large heads of small lilac flowers, highly scented, strong and upright		100-150h 50-100s	July-Sep			
carolina 'Miss Lingard' – spires of scented dazzling pure white flowers with yellow eye, purple spotted stems and glossy leaves		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep			
divaricata 'Clouds of Perfume' – icy blue fragrant flowers with a darker eye with narrow notched petals		10-50h 10-50	April-June			
- 'White Perfume' – fragrant, white flowers with bright green leaves, an attractive spreading, semi-evergreen plant that is ideal for planting along the edge of the border		10-50h 10-50s	May-June			
maculata 'Alpha' – tall cylindrical heads of scented rose-pink flowers with darker eye		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep			
- 'Natascha' – lilac-pink flowers with white markings		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep			
- 'Omega' – fragrant, cylindrical, pure white flowers with lilac eye		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep			
- 'Rosalinde' – clear pink flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July-Sep			
paniculata 'Blue Paradise' – blue flowers, paler towards centre, very fragrant, purple flushed foliage		100-150h 10-50s	July-Sep			


Phlox 'Bright Eyes'

Phlox 'David'

















































































Phlox 'Mount Fuji'

Phlox 'Sandringham'

Phlox

Continued

 3-5
per m²

– 'Border Gem' – violet-purple flowers, dark green-purple flushed leaves		90h	July-Sep				
– 'Brigadier' – salmon orange, red eye		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep				
– 'Bright Eyes' – scented pale pink flowers with red centre, strong		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug				
– 'David' – large heads of clear white flowers, excellent scent, vigorous		100-150h 50-100s	June-Sep				
– 'Eva Cullum' – warm pink, darker eye, peppery scent, vigorous		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug				
– 'Eventide' – scented lavender-blue, flushed lilac, later flowering		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug				
– 'Franz Schubert' – delicate scent, lilac blue on white, vigorous		100-150h 50-100s	July-Sep				
– 'Little Laura' – violet-blue flowers with white eye		60-70h	July-Sep				
– 'Monica Lynden-Bell' – red buds, pale pink flowers with white eye		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep				
– 'Mount Fuji' ('Fujiyama') – pure white, late and tall		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep				
– 'Norah Leigh' – pale lavender flowers with variegated leaves		50-100h 50-100s	July-Sep				
– 'Othello' – claret red, shoots dark green flushed purple		100-150h 50-100s	July-Sep				
– 'Prince of Orange' – intense orange-scarlet, late flowering		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep				
– 'Red Feelings' – clusters of double, red scented bracts on erect stems		120h	July-Sep				
– 'Sandringham' – cyclamen pink with darker eye, lots of flowering side shoots		75h	July-Sep				
– 'Starfire' – best crimson-red, striking dark foliage, holds colour, vigorous		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep				


Phlox 'White Admiral'

Phlox 'African Queen'


















Phlox 'Bouquet Rose'

Polemonium 'Northern Lights'

Phlox

Continued

 3-5
per m²

- 'Tenor' – red with scarlet glow, one of the first to flower		75h	July-Sep		
- 'Uspek' – arresting purple with white star centre, vigorous		100-150h 50-100s	July-Sep		  
- 'White Admiral' – strong, peppery scent, clear white		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		  
- 'Windsor' – carmine rose with magenta eye		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		 














Phygelius ('Cape Fushia' or 'Cape figwort') A genus of flowering plants in the Scrophulariaceae family, native to wet slopes and banks in southern Africa.

 1-3
per m²

x rectus 'African Queen' - soft-red elongates, tubular flowers with a yellow centre		100-150h 100-150s	July-Sep		 
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Physostegia ('Obedient Plant') Full sun or part-shade preferred. Doesn't like drying out. If individual flowers are pushed to one side, they will remain there, hence its common name.

 3-5
per m²

virginiana 'Miss Manners' – excellent clump forming white flowering form		100h	July-Sep		
- 'Vivid' – deep rose flower spikes, compact		10-50h 10-50s	Aug-Oct		 
- var. speciosa 'Bouquet Rose' – spikes of pale lilac-pink flowers		90-120h	July-Sep		
-- 'Variegata' – pale green leaves with white edging, contrasting pink flowers		50-100h 50-100s	Aug-Oct		

Polemonium ('Jacob's Ladder') Attractive spring bloomers but may need shade in hottest summers

 3-5
per m²

'Northern Lights' - lilac-blue flowers and mid-green leaves		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep		 
caeruleum Brise d'Anjou ^{PBR} – finely divided foliage with striking yellow edge, erect stems topped with violet-blue flowers, ideal for pot/border in sun or part shade, do not allow to dry out		50-100h 10-50s	May-July		
reptans 'Stairway to Heaven' ^{PBR} – violet-blue flowers, light green leaves, variegated with creamy white and flushed with pink in spring		50-100h 10-50s	May-July		



Polygonatum x hybridum



Potentilla 'Arc-en-ciel'



Potentilla x 'Gibson's Scarlet'



Potentilla megalantha

Polemonium ('Jacob's Ladder')

Continued

3-5
per m²

yezeense var. hidakanum Bressingham Purple

– violet-blue flowers with prominent yellow anthers, purple pinnate leaves



50-100h
10-50s

June-
July



Polygonatum ('Solomon's Seal') Happiest in cool, rich soil and shade.

Ideal with Hostas and ferns.



5-7
per m²

biflorum – strong arching stems, greenish white bell shaped flowers with a delicate scent



100-150h
10-50s

May-
June



x hybridum (multiflorum) – arching sprays of dangling white bells



100-150h
10-50s

May-
June



Potentilla ('Cinquefoil') Happiest in full sun and well-drained soil.

5-7
per m²

'Arc-en-ciel' - large semi double red flowers with thin yellow margins



10-50h
10-50s

May-
Aug



atrosanguinea – brilliant red flowers set off by silvery leaves



50-100h
50-100s

June-
July



'Blazeaway' – large, yellow-orange flowers, flecked and suffused with orange-red, carried on slender stems above slightly silvery foliage



10-50h
10-50s

May-
Aug



'Esta Ann' – bright yellow flowers with red centre, dark green leaves, trailing



10-50h
10-50s

July-
Aug



'Etna' – semi-double, rich crimson flowers with dark centres, over silvery-green foliage



10-50h
10-50s

June-
Aug



'Flambeau' – clouds of double, dark red flowers on tall, slender stems



45h

May-
Aug



x 'Gibson's Scarlet' – dazzling single, sharp red flowers



10-50h
50-100s

June-
Sep



megalantha – clear yellow with orange centre, silky grey green leaves



10-50h
10-50s

June-
Sep



'Monsieur Rouillard' – clusters of double or semi-double, rich red flowers



45h
60s

May-
Aug



thurberi 'Monarch's Velvet' – raspberry-red flowers with a deep red centre



10-50h
10-50s

June-
Aug



x tonguei – trailing sprays of small apricot flowers, blotched crimson



10-50h
10-50s

June-
Sep



'William Rollisson' – almost double, intense orange-flame flowers

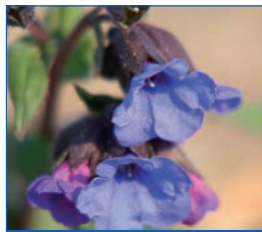


10-50h
50-100s

June-
Sep




Primula beesiana
































Primula veris

Pulmonaria 'Blue Ensign'

Pulmonaria 'Mrs Kittle'

Primula



























A large genus, preferring cool soil which doesn't dry out.

5-7
per m²

beesiana – pink-purple candelabra flowers, yellow eye		10-50h 10-50s	May- July			
bulleyana – orange-yellow candelabra flowers		50-100h 10-50s	May- July			
denticulata – drum headed Primula in varying shades of purple		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- May			
– var. alba – pure white drum-heads		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- May			
veris (Cowslip) – golden-yellow, drooping, cup shaped flowers over grey green wrinkled leaves		10-50h <10s	Mar- April			
vialii – tall crimson budded flower spikes open into lilac flowers above a rosette of green foliage		10-50h 10-50s	June- July			
xvularis (acaulis) (Primrose) – upward facing, flat faced light yellow flowers arising from rosettes of mid green leaves		<10h <10s	Mar- April			
'Wanda' – prolific, vivid purple flowers with golden centre		<10h 10-50s	Mar- April			

Pulmonaria ('Lungwort') Great for early colour, combined with spring bulbs and Helleborus. Remove spent flower stems to avoid seeding around.

3-5
per m²

'Blue Ensign' – large rich-blue flowers, broad dark green unspotted leaves, upright stems		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- April				
'Cotton Cool' – entirely silvered leaf with blue flowers fading to pink, vigorous grower		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- May				
longifolia – elongated, dark green leaves with white spots, clusters of rich blue flowers		10-50h 10-50s	May- July				
'Moonshine' ^{PBR} – light blue flowers with a good-sized clump of large, bright silver leaves edged with green		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- May				
'Mrs Kittle' – pink buds, flowers opening very pale pink and turning pale lavender		10-50h 10-50s	Feb- April				
officinalis Cambridge Blue Group – pale blue flowers, tinted pink in bud over spotted light green leaves		30h	Mar- May				



Pulmonaria Bowles Red



Pulmonaria 'Sissinghurst White'



Pulsatilla Heiler hybrids



Ranunculus 'Flore Pleno'

Pulmonaria ('Lungwort')

Continued

3-5
per m²

Opal – excellent semi-evergreen, well spotted leaves, flowers open from palest pink in buds turning luminous pale blue		10-50h 10-50s	April- May					
'Roy Davidson' – excellent semi-evergreen, rather narrow leaves, lightly spotted in silver, flowers pale to mid-blue borne in dense clusters		10-50h 10-50s	April- May					
rubra 'Bowles's Red' – rosy-red flowers, plain soft green leaves		10-50h 50-100s	Feb- April					
saccharata 'Dora Bielefeld' – beautiful coral pink flowers with well developed spotted leaves		10-50h 10-50s	Feb- April					
– 'Leopard' – leaves regularly spotted in silver-white, flowers reddish-pink fading to lavender		10-50h 10-50s	April- May					
'Sissinghurst White' – pretty white flowers, marbled spotted leaves		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- May					
'Stillingfleet Meg' – distinctive Pulmonaria from NCCPG collection holder Vanessa Cook. Prolific flower heads of clear pink maturing blue		10-50h 10-50s	Feb- April					

Pulsatilla ('Pasque Flower')

Attractive flowers and seed heads, dislike winter wet

5-7
per m²

vulgaris 'Alba' – pure white bell shaped flowers, hairy young leaves, clump forming		10-50h 10-50s	April- May					
– Heiler hybrids – wide colour range, but mainly reds and blues		10-50h 10-50s	Mar- June					
– subsp. grandis 'Papageno' – semi-double flowers, mixture of colours		10-50h 10-50s	April- May					

Ranunculus ('Buttercup')

Double meadow buttercup. Good cut flower, prefers sun and moist soil, fully hardy.



3-5
per m²

acris 'Flore Pleno' – double golden yellow flowers		50-100h 10-50s	May- June					
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Rehmannia ('Chinese Foxglove')

Needs a sunny, sheltered spot. Foxglove-like flowers

5-7
per m²

elata (angulata) – mid green leaves, rosy purple flowers		100-150h 10-50s	June- Aug					
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Rheum 'Ace of Hearts'



Rhodiola rosea (Sedum)



Rodgersia 'Bronze Peacock'



Roscoea beesiana

Rheum ('Ornamental Rhubarb') Magnificent plants, appreciating an annual mulch of compost. Best in sheltered, rich, moist, well-drained soil in sun/part shade

1-3
per m²

'Ace of Hearts' – red-purple heart shaped leaves, tall flower spikes of pale pink		100-150h 50-100s	May- June			
palmatum – large statuesque purple-red leaves, fading green after flowering, deep pink-red flower spikes		150-250h 150-250s	May- June			
– 'Atrosanguineum' – rose-purple leaves, topside turns green, tall cherry-red flower spikes		150-250h 100-150s	May- June			
– 'Rubrum' – red flowers, red foliage when young		150h	May- June			

Rhodiola ('Rose Root')

For sunny, well-drained position

5-7
per m²

rosea (Sedum rosea) – deep pink buds develop into starry yellow flowers, fleshy, glaucous foliage		25h	July- Aug			
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Rodgersia Beautiful architectural plants for moist, sheltered and shady position.

May take a couple of years to establish

1-3
per m²

'Bronze Peacock' - tall pink flower spikes, reddish bronze foliage matures to green		50-100h 50-100s	July- Aug			
'Chocolate Wing' - new foliage emerges a rich chocolate colour fading to bronze-green as it matures, contrasting dark pink flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June- Aug			
'Irish Bronze' – white flowers, bronze foliage		100-150h 50-100s	July- Aug			
pinnata – spikes of flowers range from white through pink or red, large sculptured pinnate deep green leaves, sometimes bronze		100-150h 100-150s	July- Aug			
– 'Elegans' – slightly tinted copper leaves, cream-white flower spikes		100-150h 50-100s	July- Aug			

Roscoea ('Alpine Ginger') Ideal for rock gardens and woodland areas.

5-7
per m²

x beesiana – pale yellow flowers with occasional hints of purple		35-45h	June- Aug			
'Kew Beauty' – slim stems bear narrow, deep-green leaves and elegant pale-yellow flowers		10-50h 10-50s	May- July			
purpurea – violet-purple flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug			


Rudbeckia fulgida deamii


































Rudbeckia 'Juligold'

Salvia 'Amethyst Lips' PBR

Salvia 'Hot lips'






























Rudbeckia ('Cone Flower') Invaluable for their sunshine yellow flowers.
Easy and reliable in sunny position.

 3-5
per m²

fulgida var. deamii – deep yellow, dark centre, strong and upright		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	   
– var. sullivantii 'Goldsturm' – one of the best, compact, deep yellow with black centre		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	   
laciniata 'Goldquelle' – double, deep yellow on strong stems		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep	 
– 'Herbstsonne' – bright golden flowers with reflexed petals held high on tall, sturdy stems		150-250h 50-100s	July-Sep	   
– 'Juligold' – beautiful large reflexed golden-yellow flowers with raised green centre		180h	July-Sep	  
subtomentosa 'Little Henry' PBR – a shorter narrow upright form but still good for cut flowers, with narrow quilled, golden-yellow petals surrounding a red-brown centre		80h 50s	July-Sep	  
occidentalis 'Green Wizard' – strikingly different flowers with black cones surrounded by green bracts		100-150h	July-Sep	 
Summerina Yellow PBR – a crown of deep green foliage and spikes of branched stems bearing large yellow flowers that fade to burnt orange		50h	June-Sep	  

Salvia ('Sage') *Salvia varieties previously classified as Perovskia can be found listed under Perovskia.*
Long-flowering, sun-loving, drought resistant and magnet for bees. No sunny garden should be without one!

 3-5
per m²

'Amethyst Lips' PBR - similar in habit to Hot Lips, deep purple and white bicoloured flowers and aromatic foliage		50-100h 50-100s	June-Aug	  
'Amistad' PBR - large rich purple tubular flowers on contrasting tall dark stems		100-150h 10-50s	May-Oct	  
'Cherry Lips' PBR - eye catching pink-purple and white bicoloured flowers and aromatic foliage		90h	July-Oct	  
'Ember's Wish' PBR - tall stems of tubular orange-red flowers on dark stems		50-100h 10-50s	July-Oct	  
'Hot Lips' - unique opening red, maturing to scarlet-red and white two-toned flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June-Oct	   
'Jemima's Gem' - striking velvety cerise-pink flowers		60h	May-Nov	  
farinacea 'Midnight Candle' – beautiful deep, midnight-blue flower spikes on upright stems		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep	  


Salvia greggii 'Icing Sugar'

Salvia 'Black and Blue'


















































































Salvia 'Marcus' PBR

Salvia 'Schwellenburg'

Salvia ('Sage')

Continued

3-5
per m²

greggii 'Icing Sugar' PBR – spikes of small purple-pink pursed flowers above green aromatic foliage		50-100h 50-100s	June- Oct	  
– 'Joy' PBR - bi-coloured coral and blush-pink flowers		60h	May- Nov	   
– 'Lipstick' - pale red flowers with white throats		70h	July- Sep	 
guarantica 'Black and Blue' – long upright spikes of purple-blue flowers with black calyces		150-250h 100-150s	July- Oct	  
– 'Blue Enigma' (ambigens) – masses of deep blue sage-flowers, best in shelter		100-150h 50-100s	July- Oct	   
'Love and Wishes' PBR - deep magenta flowers on dark stems atop aromatic foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July- Oct	  
'Royal Bumble' - vibrant red flowers with purple-flushed stems		50-100h 50-100s	Aug- Oct	   
'Wendy's Wish' PBR - tall stems of tubular magenta-pink flowers on dark stems		50-100h 50-100s	July- Oct	  
nemorosa 'Caradonna' – violet-blue flowers on black-purple stems	 	10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug	   
– 'Lubecca' – massed, erect violet-purple spikes		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep	   
– Marcus PBR – intense purple flowers, compact	 	10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug	  
– 'Ostfriesland' (East Friesland) – rich spikes of deep purple-blue		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep	   
– 'Pink Beauty' - a compact, free flowering variety with dense spikes of mauve-pink flowers		30-40h	June- Aug	  
– 'Schwellenburg' - grey-green foliage with the rose-tinted, purple flowers	 	60h	July- Sep	  
officinalis 'Robin Hill' – an improved selection arising from 'Purpurascens', evergreen, greypurple leaves, maturing bright green, blue-purple flowers		40h	June- Aug	  
pratensis 'Indigo' – long-flowering deep royal blue flowers. Drought resistant		60h	July- Sep	   
pratensis 'Pink Delight' PBR – bright pink flowers in erect sprays, strong growth and excellent mildew resistance		40-50h	July- Sep	  
x superba – spikes of violet-purple		50-100h 10-50s	June- Sep	  

Note: PBR = Plant Breeders Right. Propagation for sale illegal without authorisation


Salvia 'Mainacht' (May Night)

Salvia 'Trelawney'





































Sanguisorba canadensis

Santolina chamaecyparissus

Salvia ('Sage')














Continued

3-5
per m²

x sylvestris 'Blauhügel' (Bluehill) – massed spikes of light blue		10-50h 10-50s	July- Sep	   
– 'Mainacht' (May Night) – a classic, dark blue-purple compact flower heads		50-100h 10-50s	June- Aug	   
– 'Rose Queen' – erect, bright pink flowered spikes		50-100h 10-50s	June- Sep	  
– 'Schneehügel' (Snowhill) – compact spikes of white flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug	  
– 'Viola Klose' – richest dark violet blue flowers		10-50h 10-50s	May- Sep	   
'Trelawney' – rose-pink flowers on long stems over aromatic, stiff, green foliage		60-90h	June- Oct	  
uliginosa - long stems of large sky-blue flowers and mid-green leaves		100-150h 50-100s	Aug- Oct	   
– 'Purple Rain' - spikes of rich purple flowers above leafy base		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep	  




Sanguisorba ('Burnet') Graceful, vigorous and quietly stylish, for subtle late summer colour, often moisture loving

3-5
per m²

canadensis – very tall plant with large upright white slender bottle-brush flowers over green foliage	 	150-250h 50-100s	May- Aug	 
menziesii – handsome species, blue-green leaflets, upright, egg shaped flower heads in deep purple-red	 	50-100h 10-50s	May- Aug	  
tenuifolia var. alba – tall, elegant species with distinctive slender leaflets, catkin like spikes of white flowers with contrasting black anthers, held on willowy stems	 	150-200h 50-100s	July- Sep	 

Santolina ('Cotton Lavender') For hot, dry positions. Cut back hard in April to keep compact

3-5
per m²

chamaecyparissus (incana) – neat growing silvery bush with compact yellow flowers		10-50h 50-100s	July- Aug	 
pinnata subsp. neapolitana 'Edward Bowles' – neat compact silver foliage, yellow flowers		50-100h 50-100s	July- Aug	 



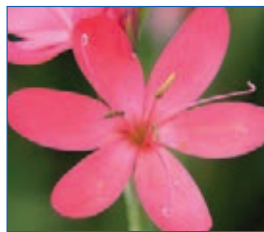
Saxifraga 'Wada'



Scabiosa 'Clive Greaves'



Scabiosa 'Miss Willmott'



Schizostylis coccinea

Saxifraga ('London's Pride')

Evergreen rosettes, good ground cover for sun or shade

3-5
per m²

'Variegata' (x urbium) – elegant wiry stems of small pink flowers, foliage splashed with gold		10-50h 10-50s	April- May		
'Wada' (fortunei) – starry white flowers, glossy copper coloured leaves, red undersides		10-50h 10-50s	Sep- Nov		

Scabiosa ('Pincushion Flower' or 'Scabious') Long-flowering plants for the sunny, chalky, well-drained border. Magnet for bees and butterflies. Good cut flower.

3-5
per m²

'Butterfly Blue' – low growing with grey-green leaves, impressively continuous displays of light lavender-blue flowers, ideal front of border or mass plantings		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep		
caucasica 'Blausiegel' ('Blue Seal') – large scented lavender-blue flowers, one of the best		70h	May- Sep		
– 'Clive Greaves' – a classic cultivar, soft lavender-blue and very free flowering		50-100h 10-50s	May- Sep		
– 'Fama Deep Blue' – deep blue flowers, on strong stems, magnet for bees and butterflies		50h	June- Sep		
– 'Fama White' – pure white large flowers on long stems over grey-green, dense tuft, lance-shaped leaves		50h	June- Sep		
– 'Miss Willmott' – scented ivory white		50-100h 10-50s	June- Oct		
– 'Perfecta Alba' - large white flowers with creamy pin-cushion like centres		50-100h 10-50s	June- Oct		
– 'Perfecta Blue' - large mid-blue flowers with creamy pin-cushion like centres		50-100h 10-50s	June- Oct		
– 'Stäfa' – deep-blue flowers		50-100h 50-100s	June- Sep		
lucida – mauve-lilac flowers, dark green foliage		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep		
Pink Buttons – covered in pink flowers on wiry stems		60-90h	June- Sep		
'Pink Mist' – grey-green deeply cut leaves set off soft pink flower heads, paler in centre		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep		

Schizostylis ('Kaffir Lily') Now classified under the genus Hesperanthes.

Essential late flowering perennial. Best in cool, moist, well-drained soil in full sun.

5-7
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coccinea – spikes of crimson-red flowers, grassy leaves		50-100h 10-50s	Oct- Nov		
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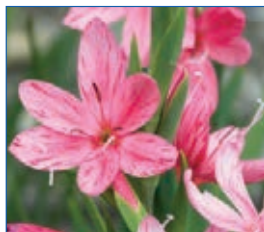


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Schizostylis 'Fenland Daybreak'

Scrophularia 'Variegata'






















Sedum 'Bertram Anderson'

Sedum 'Frosty Morn'

Schizostylis ('Kaffir Lily')

Continued

5-7
per m²

– 'Alba' – spikes of pure white starry shaped flowers		40-60h	Oct-Nov		
– 'Fenland Daybreak' – warm pink flowers, upright stems		50-100h 10-50s	Aug-Nov		
– 'Major' – large scarlet flowers, good for cutting		50-100h 10-50s	Oct-Nov		 
– 'Mollie Gould' – beautiful cup-shaped flowers, warm pink with irregular deeper pink mottling		75h	Aug-Oct		
– 'Sunrise' – large salmon-pink flowers, evergreen leaves		50-100h 10-50	Aug-Oct		 
– 'Wilfred H. Bryant' ('Pink Princess') – soft pink buds open to large star shaped ice-pink flowers		50-100h 10-50s	Aug-Oct		 

Scrophularia ('Water Figwort')

Prefers a sheltered, moist spot in semi-shade
























3-5
per m²

auriculata 'Variegata' – stunning, brightly variegated cream and green leaves		50-100h 10-50s	July-Aug		
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Sedum ('Ice Plant' or 'Stonecrop') Now classified under the genus Hylotelephium.

A must for the sunny, dry border. Magnet for butterflies and bees

3-5
per m²

'Bertram Anderson' – deep red flowers, blue-purple contrasting foliage		10-50h 10-50s	July-Aug		 
'Carl' – excellent form, rose-pink flowers, blue-green leaves, sturdy		10-50h 10-50s	Aug-Sep		 
cauticola 'Coca-Cola' – trailing stems with grey-green leaves, buds green through pink, open to translucent pink stars		<15h	Aug-Sep		
'Chocolate Cherry' PBR – dark leaves with an upright habit and rosy-pink starry flowers		35h	Aug-Oct		
'Double Martini' PBR – olive green foliage and contrasting deep maroon stems, clusters of pink flowers are produced in late summer		40h	Aug-Sep		
'Elaine' PBR – creamy-yellow flowers on dark green foliage with red-purple veins		50h	Aug-Oct		
erythrostictum 'Frosty Morn' – large white flower heads opening to a very pale pink, bright-white variegated foliage		10-50h 10-50s	Sep-Oct		


Sedum 'Matrona'

Sedum 'Iceberg'























































Sedum 'Purple Emperor'

Sedum 'Strawberries and Cream'

Sedum ('Ice Plant' or 'Stonecrop')

Continued

 3-5
per m²

Herbstfreude Group 'Herbstfreude' (Autumn Joy) – rose-salmon with enormous flower heads, showy		50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Oct		 
– 'Indian Chief' – large dark red flower heads, strong grower		60h	Aug- Oct		
'Matrona' – flat pink flower heads against dark foliage		50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Sep		 
'Raspberry Truffle' - large scalloped, deep purple leaves with rosy pink flowers		60h	Aug- Oct		
Red Cauli' - oblong, toothed, dark green leaves with a dark purple-brown flush, distinctive red flower heads suggestive of its name		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep		 
'Ruby Glow' – ruby-red flowers, foliage purple-grey		10-50h 10-50s	July- Aug		 
spectabile – pale pink flowers, grey-green leaves		10-50h 10-50s	July- Aug		 
– 'Iceberg' – heads of white flowers, pale green leaves		10-50h 10-50s	Aug- Oct		
spurium 'Dragon's Blood' ('Schorbuser Blut') – slow growing leaves are first green edged red, turning dark burgundy-bronze, brilliant red flowers		<10h 10-50s	July- Aug		 
'Stewed Rhubarb Mountain' – huge heads of pale creamy-white flowers from pink buds, grey-green leaves on pink stems		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep		
telephium Atropurpureum Group 'Purple Emperor' – one of the best dark leaved Sedums, complementary red flowers, compact habit		10-50h 10-50s	July- Sep		 
– 'Xenox' ^{PBR} - dark purple leaves covered in masses of creamy pink flowers		10-50h 10-50s	Aug- Oct		 
– subsp. ruprechtii – masses of creamy yellow flowers, delightful		10-50h 10-50s	Aug- Sep		
– 'Strawberries and Cream' – colours as suggested in the name in flat two toned flower heads		50-100h 10-50s	July- Sep		
'Vera Jameson' – spreading purple foliage, purple-pink flowers, always in demand		10-50h 10-50s	Aug- Oct		 


Sidalcea candida

Sidalcea 'Party Girl'






































Sisyrinchium 'Aunt May'

Solidago x luteus 'Lemore'

Sidalcea ('Prairie Mallow')







Easy and reliable, long-flowering on stately spikes, ideal for the sunny border

3-5
per m²

candida – many spikes of small white flowers		60-90h 60s	July-Aug			
'Croftway Red' – rich deep pink		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug			
'Elsie Heugh' – satin-like fringed mauve-pink flowers on tall spires		90h	June-Aug			
'Loveliness' – shell-pink flowers, compact		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep			
'Party Girl' – bright pink flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug			
'Rose Queen' – long rose-pink spikes		120h	June-Aug			
'Sussex Beauty' – glowing satin-pink flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug			
'William Smith' – warm salmon-pink flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		 	
'Wine Red' – wine-red flowers		75-90h	June-Aug			














Sisyrinchium *Likes a sunny well-drained soil. Will gently seed about.*

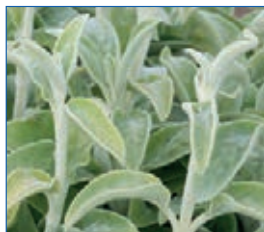
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striatum – spikes of star-shaped pale yellow flowers, sword-like leaves		50-100h 10-50s	June-July			
– 'Aunt May' – striped cream and greenish-yellow sword shaped leaves, pale yellow flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June-July			

Solidago ('Golden Rod') *Reliable colour for mid-late summer, in sun or part shade. Remove spent flower stems to avoid seeding around*

3-5
per m²

'Cloth of Gold' – yellow, free-flowering, dwarf	 	45h 50s	Aug-Sep			
'Ledsham' – bright yellow		50-100h 10-50s	Aug-Sep			
x luteus 'Lemore' – fluffy heads of lemon coloured flowers		50-100h 10-50s	July-Sep		 	



Stachys 'Primrose Heron'



Stokesia 'Mary Gregory'



Stokesia 'Silver Moon'



Symphytum 'Hidcote Blue'

Stachys ('Woundwort') Valued spreading perennials often with soft, silver foliage.
Best in full sun and well-drained soil

3-5
per m²

byzantina (olympica) ('Lamb's Ear') – pink flowers, soft silver foliage, very attractive		10-50h 50-100s	July-Aug			
– 'Big Ears' – leaves can reach 25cm in length. Small purple-pink flowers		10-50h 50-100s	June-Aug			
– 'Primrose Heron' – leaves emerge pale yellow, maturing to yellowish grey-green		40h	July-Aug			
– 'Silver Carpet' – good foliage ground cover, silver grey		10-50h 50-100s	July-Aug			
officinalis 'Hummelo' - deep purple flowers on tall stems		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug			

Stokesia ('Stokes Aster') Happiest in well-drained sunny spot.
Leaves are evergreen. All have cornflower-like flowers

3-5
per m²

laevis 'Blue Star' – very large lavender-blue flowers		50-100h 10-50s	Aug-Oct			
– 'Klaus Jelitto' – robust clumps producing large blue-purple flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep			
– 'Mary Gregory' – excellent, large buttery, soft primrose yellow flowers on short stems		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep			
– 'Purple Parasols' – the darkest form, with wonderful large, deep violet-purple flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep			
– 'Silver Moon' – large, cornflower-like, silvery-white flowers		35h	June-Aug			
– 'Träumerei' – white flowers with a touch of pink		30h	July-Oct			

Symphyotrichum Can be found under its previous genus Aster.

Symphytum ('Comfrey') Undemanding plants for moist soil and part shade.
Bees delight in their flowers.

Harmful if eaten

3-5
per m²

'Goldsmith' – excellent ground cover, light blue flowers complement green hairy leaves with broad cream margins		10-50h 10-50s	April-May			
'Hidcote Blue' – red buds opening to nodding pale blue flowers, colour richest at base diffusing to blue-white at mouth		60h	Mar-May			
'Hidcote Pink' – dark red-pink buds opening to pink flowers, will age with hints of cream, pink and blue		10-50h 10-50s	April-May			


Synthyris stellata

Tanacetum 'Robinson's Red'

Tellima 'Forest Frost'

Thalictrum delavayi

Symphytum ('Comfrey')

Continued



3-5
per m²

ibericum – buds brick-red opening to creamy-white flowers



10-50h
50-100s

April-
May



Synthyris ('Western Mountain Kittentails')

Shade lover whose bold foliage and flowers can still create delicate impact in woodland plantings.

5-7
per m²

missurica var. stellata – rounded, kidney-shaped, deep green leaves form clumps: an excellent foil for abundant, dense spikes of bell shaped dark violet-blue flowers



<30h
30s

Mar-
may



Tanacetum ('Pyrethrum' or 'Painted Daisy') Good garden plants for sun .

5-7
per m²

coccineum 'Bees' Pink Delight – deep rich pink, semi-double flowers on sturdy stems



75h

May-
June



– **'Robinson's Red'** – single, bright red ray florets surround a yellow core



60-90h
45s

May-
July



– **'Snow Cloud'** – single, white



75h

May-
July



Tellima ('Fringe Cups') Good ground cover, best in partial shade and moist soil

5-7
per m²

grandiflora 'Forest Frost' – silvery leaves with red tints in winter, green-pink flowers



50-100h
10-50s

April-
June



– **'Rubra Group'** - deep green leaves tinted with bronze, maturing red-purple, green flowers fringed with pink



50-100h
10-50s

April-
June



Thalictrum ('Meadow Rue') All enjoy a moist, well-drained soil in sun or part-shade

3-5
per m²

aquilegifolium – fluffy pink and white flowers



100-150h
10-50s

June-
July



– **'Thundercloud'** – delicate double pinnate blue-green foliage with sweet pink-purple fluffy flowers at the end of dark stained stems



50-100h
10-50s

Sep-
Nov



delavayi (dipterocarpum) – long stems with clusters of small yellow centred lilac flowers, fern-like foliage



100-150h
10-50s

July-
Sep



– **'Album'** - tall stems of delicate, airy white flowers above lime green, fern-like foliage



100-150h
10-50s

July-
Sep





Thermopsis var. montana



Tiarella 'Pink Bouquet'



Tradescantia 'Innocence'



Tradescantia 'Purple Dome'

Thalictrum ('Meadow Rue')

Continued

3-5
per m²

– 'Hewitt's Double' – sprays of tiny double lilac flowers, upright and slender purple tinted stems		100-150h 10-50s	July-Aug		
flavum subsp. glaucum – glaucous grey foliage, fluffy primrose-yellow flowers		100-150h 10-50s	June-Sep		

Thermopsis ('False Lupin') Lupin-like flowers for the sunny, well-drained border

3-5
per m²

rhombifolia var. montana – spikes of bright yellow flowers, divided mid green leaves		60-75h	June-July		
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Tiarella ('Foam Flower') Good spreading ground cover for sun or shade

5-7
per m²

cordifolia – airy, erect white spikes, flushed pale pink, pointed pale green leaves		10-50h 10-50s	May-June		
'Pink Bouquet' – compact mound of maple-like leaves with maroon heart. Repeating spikes of lovely pink flowers		10-50h 10-50s	April-Aug		
'Spring Symphony' ^{PBR} – lobed light-green foliage with purple mid-rib. Pink buds open to starry white flowers		30h	May-July		
'Sugar and Spice' ^{PBR} – compact mound of pretty mid-green foliage with heavily marked centres, spikes of pink flowers		10-50h 10-50s	May-July		

Tradescantia ('Spiderwort') A long-flowering period makes this a useful plant.

Flowers deserve a close inspection

3-5
per m²

Andersoniana Group 'Bilberry Ice' – white with purple-red blotches, superb and compact		10-50h 10-50s	June-Aug		
– 'Concord Grape' – small rich purple flowers, bluish-green foliage		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep		
– 'Innocence' – pure white		10-50h 10-50s	June-Sep		
– 'Isis' – large deep blue flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep		
– 'Osprey' – pure white flowers with fluffy blue centre		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep		
– 'Purple Dome' – rich purple		30-60h 45s	June-Aug		



Tricyrtis Stolonifera Group



Tricyrtis 'Taiwan Atrianne'



Trollius 'Golden Queen'



Valeriana 'Aurea'

Tricyrtis ('Toad Lily') Exotic late-flowering perennials for a moist and shady position. Associates well with ferns and Hostas

3-5
per m²

formosana Stolonifera Group – glossy dark green leaves, flowers covered with dark purple spots		50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Oct		
hirta – large white, heavily spotted purple flowers held in leaf axils along the stem, hairy leaves		50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Oct		
– ' Albomarginata ' – cream variegated leaves		75-90h	Aug- Oct		
– ' Miyazaki ' – large pale lavender-white flowers, freckled with dusky lavender which converges at the petal bases to form a solid ring		80h	Sep- Oct		
– ' Taiwan Atrianne ' – purple blue spotted white flowers		100h	July- Oct		
Hototogisu – light mauve-purple flowers with unusual metallic blue tinge, non-spotted, strong grower. Name means Tricyrtis in Japanese!		75h	Aug- Oct		
' White Towers ' – white orchid-like flowers, yellow ring at base, felted leaves, one of the first to flower, for part shade		50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Sep		

Tritonia ('Pink Montbretia') Prefers sun and well-drained soil.

5-7
per m²

disticha subsp. rubrolucens – soft pink lily-like trumpet flowers swaying on tall wiry stems, sword-shaped leaves		50-100h <10s	July- Sep		
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Trollius ('Globe Flower') Benefits from moisture retentive soil. Ideal for bog gardens or pond margins

5-7
per m²

chinensis 'Golden Queen' – deep orange-yellow bowl shaped flowers above a mound of dark cut green foliage		50-100h 10-50s	July- Aug		
x cultorum 'New Moon' – dark upright green foliage with creamy yellow flowers,		50-100h 10-50s	April- June		

Valeriana ('Valerian') For borders, naturalistic plantings and cottage gardens

3-5
per m²

phu 'Aurea' – stunning bright yellow foliage in spring, followed by heads of small white flowers		100-150h 10-50s	June- Aug		
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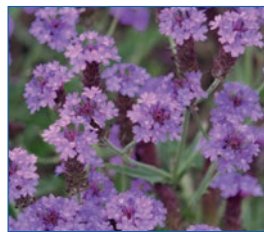
Verbasicum 'Mont Blanc'



Verbasicum 'Helen Johnson'



Verbasicum 'Kynaston'



Verbena rigida

Verbasicum ('Mullien') Beautiful but usually relatively short lived 'statement' plants for sun and poor soil

3-5
per m²

chaixii 'Album' – white spikes, grey-green foliage		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug				
(Cotswold Group) 'Cotswold Beauty' – flowers light copper-orange with a purple centre		100-150h 10-50s	July-Aug				
– 'Cotswold Queen' – spikes of bright yellow-brown with purple centre		100-150h 10-50s	July-Aug				
– 'Gainsborough' – soft primrose-yellow flowers, grey leaves, classic!		100-150h 10-50s	June-Aug				
– 'Mont Blanc' – fine white spikes		90h	June-Aug				
– 'Pink Domino' – striking deep pink spikes		100-150h 10-50s	June-Aug				
'Royal Highland' – brown-yellow flowers		100-150h 10-50s	June-Aug				
'Firedance' ^{PBR} – spikes of intense blood-red flowers, simply beautiful variety and a must have for any border		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug				
'Helen Johnson' – grey-green leaves, bold coppery-orange flowers. Ours is from the original clone!		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep				
'June Johnson' – purple and apricot flowers		100h	June-Sep				
'Kynaston' – Sturdy plant producing strong spikes with flowers of the purest white petals complemented by orange anther and light purple stigmas		150-250h 100-150s	June-Sep				
'Merlin' ^{PBR} – Bred by National Collection holders Vic Johnstone and Claire Wilson source of 'The Riverside Series', this selection stands out with its large pale purple flowers, held on stems of excellent form above soft grey foliage. Reliably hardy and perennial		50-100h 10-50s	June-Aug				

Verbena ('Vervain') Prefers sun, well-drained soil, not fully hardy. Give protection over winter for containers.

3-5
per m²

bonariensis – tall rigid stems topped with clusters of tiny mauve scented flowers		150-250h 10-50s	June-Oct				
– 'Lollipop' ^{PBR} – a natural dwarf form of the species offering a short, mounding habit, delicate lavender flowers look simply wonderful at the front of a border throughout the summer		50-100h 50-100s	June-Oct				
rigida –stiff, upright stems carrying dense clusters of purple flowers		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep				


Veronica gentianoides

Veronica 'Tissington White'

Veronica 'Pink Eveline' PBR

Veronica 'Georgia Blue'

Verbena ('Vervain')











































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 3-5
per m²

– f. lilacina 'Polaris' – pale light-mauve almost white, flushed with darker hints		10-50h 10-50s	June- Sep			
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Veronica ('Speedwell') *Delightful and easy for an open sunny position*

 5-7
per m²

austriaca subsp. teucrium 'Crater Lake Blue' – erect stems of intense blue		10-50h 10-50s	June- July			
– 'Royal Blue' – mid-green leaves, clusters of erect deep-blue flowers		10-50h 10-50s	June- July			
gentianoides – dainty pale-blue spikes above bright-green mats, looks 'ghostly' at twilight		10-50h 10-50s	April- June			
– 'Robusta' – bold light-blue flowers		60h	May- June			
– 'Tissington White' – almost white flower spikes with blue veins over mat-forming foliage		10-50h 10-50s	May- June			
– 'Variegata' – less vigorous, cream variegation of green leaves, pale blue flowers		10-50h 10-50s	April- June			
longifolia 'Blauer Sommer' – large spikes of blue flowers		90h	June- Aug			
– 'First Lady' PBR – pure white flower spikes on pointed, long, glossy green leaves		40h	June- Aug			
– 'First Love' – clump forming perennial which produces deep rose pink flower spikes on pointed, long, glossy green leaves		10-50h 10-50s	June- Aug			
– 'Pink Eveline' PBR – pinkish white flowers open to reveal bluish purple stamens, which in turn change to pink		50h	July- Sep			
– 'Schneerlesin' – pure white		90h	June- Aug			
spicata subsp. incana 'Silver Carpet' – silver grey leaves, dark blue flowers		25h	June- Aug			
umbrosa 'Georgia Blue' – dark blue, free flowering, evergreen Speedwell with purple bronze leaves		<10h 50-100s	Mar- June			


Veronicastrum 'lavendelturm'

Vinca 'Gertrude Jekyll'





















Viola Purpurea Group

Waldsteinia geoides

Veronicastrum















Tall, elegant plants for the back of late summer borders.

3-5
per m²

virginicum 'Diane' – lance-shaped foliage, small white flowers	 	150h	Aug-Sep	 	
– 'Fascination' – spires of mauve-blue flowers are borne on tall, upright stems above whorls of green foliage	 	100-150h 50-100s	July-Aug		
– 'Lavendelturm' – pale-lavender flower spikes on tall upright stems	 	150-250h 50-100s	July-Sep	  	
– f. roseum 'Pink Glow' – spires of pale-pink flowers	 	100-150h 50-100s	Aug-Oct	 	





Vinca ('Periwinkle') Attractive ground cover for sun or light shade.

3-5
per m²

minor f. alba 'Gertrude Jekyll' – evergreen plant which forms a neat carpet of lance-shaped dark green leaves and pure white flowers	 	<10h 50-100s	April-Sep		
minor 'Atropurpurea' – single, purple flowers, dark green leaves	 	<10h 100-150s	Mar-May	 	
– 'Illumination' – single, purple flowers, green and golden leaves	 	<10h 100-150s	Mar-May	 	








Viola ('Violet') Happiest in moist well-drained soil in part shade. Let them seed around for best effect.

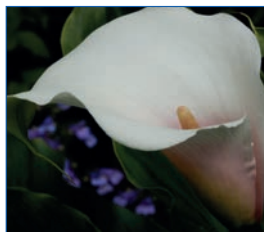
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per m²

riviniana Purpurea Group (labradorica) – dark lavender-blue flowers, with contrasting dark purple-green foliage	 	15h	April-June		
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Waldsteinia ('Barren Strawberry') Great ground cover for shade or sun

3-5
per m²

geoides – compact, clumps of heart-shaped leaves with coarsely-toothed lobes, masses of yellow flowers		50-100h 100-150s	April-June		
ternata – sprays of bright-yellow flowers, thick mats of shiny evergreen leaves	 	<10h 50-100s	April-June		


Zantedeschia 'Marshmallow'













Asplenium Cristatum Group

Athyrium 'Red Beauty'

Cyrtomium clivicola

Zantedeschia ('Arum Lily') Great in container or moist sheltered and shady border. Good cut flower.

 **Harmful if eaten** 3-5 per m²

aethiopica 'Crowborough' – white hardy Arum, prolific flowering form		50-100h 10-50	April-June		
– 'Green Goddess' – green flowers with white throat		50-100h 10-50h	April-June		
– 'Marshmallow' – scented, soft pink flowers		70-90h	June-Oct		
'Kiwi Blush' – free flowering, white spathes are heavily flushed pink		90h	April-June		

FERNS

3-7 per m²

Asplenium scolopendrium 'Angustatum' ('Hart's Tongue Fern') – evergreen, non-creeping rhizomes give rise to deep green, shiny, narrow strap shaped fronds		10-50h 10-50s			
– Cristatum Group ('Crested Hart's Tongue Fern') – evergreen fern, long bright green fronds with crested, ruffled tips		25-40h			
– Undulatum Group ('Spleenwort') – evergreen, somewhat dwarfier than the species with prettily waved fronds		10-50h 10-50			
Athyrium filix-femina 'Frizelliae' ('Tatting Fern') – a unique looking deciduous fern, small rounded fronds with ruffled lace like edges		10-50h 10-50			
– niponicum var. pictum 'Red Beauty' ('Japanese Painted Fern) – gorgeous looking specimen, silver-green fronds grow from contrasting intense red stems		10-50h 10-50			
– otophorum var. okanum ('The Okanum Fern') – semi-evergreen, unusual dark grey-green lance shaped fronds		50-100h 10-50s			
Cyrtomium fortunei var. clivicola ('Fortune's Holly Fern') – compact plant displaying matt-surfaced leaf foliage which is a pale yellow-green		10-50h 10-50s			
Dryopteris affinis 'Cristata' ('Cristata The King') – semi-evergreen, known as king of male ferns, mature specimens can be impressive with huge amounts of cresting along edges of fronds and a large terminal crest		100-150h 100-150s			


Dryopteris erythrosora








































Dryopteris var. prolifica

Osmunda regalis

Polystichum 'David Howard'

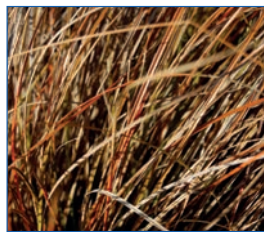
FERNS

 3-7
per m²

<p>– dilatata 'Crispa Whiteside' ('Broad Buckler Fern') – broad, arching, fronds and finely toothed edges</p>	 	50-100h 10-50s	 
<p>– erythrosora ('Autumn fern') – deciduous, a striking oriental fern, new fronds of glossy copper and pink, maturing to a pale green</p>	 	50-100h 10-50s	 
<p>– filix-mas – upright bright green fronds. Semi-deciduous</p>	 	100h	 
<p>– filix-mas 'Linearis Polydactyla' ('Linear Male Fern') – hardy, robust semi-evergreen, forming a rosette of arching fronds, boldly forked and crested at the apex, the pinnae are also crested</p>	 	100-150h 50-100s	 
<p>– var. prolifica ('Copper Shield Fern') – compact, evergreen fern forming a neat tuft of light green, rather leathery, long fronds, often pink-tinged when young, and sometimes bearing bulbils</p>	 	50-100h 10-50s	
<p>– wallichiana 'Jurassic Gold' PBR - new fronds emerge rose - bronze and mature to golden yellow green with age</p>	 	50-100h 10-50s	
<p>Matteuccia struthiopteris ('Shuttlecock fern') – a dwarf fern of great charm, fresh bright green fronds burst forth in spring assuming an eventual vase shaped habit, decorative brown fertile fronds give winter interest, best in moist shade</p>	 	100-150h 150-250s	 
<p>Osmunda regalis ('The Royal Fern') hardy deciduous fern, the dainty fronds are coppery red when young</p>	 	150-250h 50-100s	 
<p>Polystichum polyblepharum ('Japanese Tassel fern') – broadly arching lance shaped fronds, light green and glossy, darkening with age, tips of unfurling fronds covered in masses of light sandy brown-gold hairs hence the common name</p>	 	50-100h 50-100s	 
<p>Polystichum setiferum 'David Howard' – hardy, evergreen attractive fern with a finely divided leaf</p>		75h	
<p>Polystichum setiferum 'Plumosodensum' ('Mossy Soft Shield Fern') – hardy, evergreen, an excellent and unusual dwarf fern with a finely divided leaf</p>	 	50-100h 50-100s	


Anemanthele lessoniana

Calamagrostis 'Overdam'

Carex 'Everest' PBR

Carex testacea

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES

Anemanthele ('New Zealand wind grass') Semi-evergreen grasses forming a clump of slender leaves of attractive, arching habit, with large feathery sprays of tiny reddish-brown flowers

1-3
per m²

lessoniana - soft arching habit with shades of copper, gold and bronze in the autumn



50-100h
100-150s

June-
Sep



Calamagrostis ('Reed Grass') Prefers a sunny damp position. Architectural habit makes it a planners dream!

3-5
per m²

x acutiflora 'Avalanche' – erect, slightly arching, slender clumps of narrow, stiff variegated foliage, showy purplish-green flowers that turn golden, good continuing winter interest



100-150h
50-100s

July-
Sep



– **'Karl Foerster'** – bolt upright habit, kept throughout winter, feathery red-brown flowers



100-150h
50-100s

July-
Sep



– **'Overdam'** – white striped foliage, pinkish flower head, more compact



50-100h
10-50s

July-
Sep



Carex ('Sedge') Evergreens, happiest in damp/moist soils in full sun. Triangular stems and flowers are distinguishing features

3-7
per m²

Milk Chocolate PBR – milk chocolate coloured plumes of tiny brown flowers, narrow brown leaves with orange tints in the autumn



10-50h
10-50s

June-
Aug



oshimensis 'Evergold' – green with gold mid-rib, flower spikes in summer, deservedly popular



10-50h
10-50s

April-
June



– **'Everest' PBR** - a low mounding variety with narrow dark green leaves and distinctive white margins



10-50h
10-50s

April-
June



testacea – a superb grass, with unusual narrow, orange tinged, olive green leaves. Graceful – great with Crocosmia



50-100h
50-100s

June-
July



Chasmanthium ('Spangle Grass')

Woodland grass, best in moist fertile soil with good organic content and some shade

3-5
per m²

latifolium (Uniola latifolia) - clumps of bright green, bamboo like leaves, turning gold in autumn, arching stems bear flattened, oat like flowers, olive-green becoming bronze, dangling gracefully into winter



50-100h
10-50s

July-
Sep




Deschampsia 'Tatra Gold'

Elymus magellanicus

Festuca Intense Blue PBR

Hakonechloa 'Nicolas'

Deschampsia ('Hair Grass')

Happiest in moist, well-drained soil in light shade

5-7
per m²

cespitosa 'Bronzeschleier' (Bronze Veil) – large panicles of florets tinted bronze in the summer



50-100h
10-50s

June-
July



– **'Goldtau' (Golden Dew)** – good tufted grass with dark leaves, fountains of flower stems turn from silver-purple to a gold haze late summer



50-100h
50-100s



flexuosa 'Tatra Gold' – startling acid-green, upright spring growth



10-50h
10-50s



Elymus ('Wheat Grass') Attractive grass for hot dry areas. Leaves retained in mild winters

3-5
per m²

magellanicus – lax clumps of semi-evergreen silver-sky blue leaves, dense purple blue flower heads turning straw coloured on erect stems



50-100h
10-50s

July-
Sep



Festuca ('Fescue') - Evergreens best in light soils in full sun. Groom and trim in spring to remove dead growth and shape. Split every 2-3 years in spring to maintain vigour.

5-7
per m²

glauca 'Blaufuchs' (Blue Fox) – steely blue foliage



10-50h
10-50s

June-
July



– **'Elijah Blue'** – icy blue foliage



10-50h
10-50s

June-
July



– **'Golden Toupee'** – gold-green tufts



10-50h
10-50s

June-
July



– **Intense Blue PBR** – mound of most intense steely-blue evergreen foliage



30h

June-
July



Glyceria ('Great Water Grass' or 'Sweet Hay')

Suitable in water and for any moisture retentive soil in sun

3-5
per m²

maxima var. variegata – bright yellow variegated foliage, moisture loving



50-100h
150-250s

April-
May



Hakonechloa Any reasonable soil in part shade. Cut back top growth in winter.

5-7
per m²

macra – mounds of cascading narrow green foliage and sprays of fine green flowers



10-50h
10-50s

June-
July



– **'Aureola'** – mounds of golden coloured grass striped with green, soft flowers



10-50h
10-50s

July-
Aug



– **'Nicolas'** – green arching foliage becoming flushed with orange and red tints in late summer/early autumn



10-50h
10-50s

Aug-
Sep





Luzula nivea



Miscanthus sacchariflorus



Miscanthus 'Ferner Osten'



Miscanthus 'Gracillimus'

Imperata ('Japanese Bimperlod Grass')

Likes sun or part shade

5-7
per m²

cylindrica 'Rubra' ('Red Baron') – blood red grass, colour increases as season advances



40-50h

May-June



Luzula ('Snowy wood rush') Ideal complementary plant between Roses, Achilleas and Geraniums for a sunny, well drained position. Loved by butterflies and bees

5-7
per m²

nivea - hairy, grass-like evergreen foliage and clusters of small white flowers on arching stems



50-100h
10-50

June-July



Miscanthus ('Silver Grass') Some of the best ornamental grasses, requiring space to develop their true beauty, flowers lasting well into winter. Prefer a fertile soil in sun

1-3
per m²

'Purpurascens' – upright plant with greyish, slightly red tinged summer leaves turning to fiery autumn foliage, pink flushed flower heads



150-250h
50-100s

July-Sep



sacchariflorus – greyish green leaves with paler mid ribs, grown for foliage – sometimes called 'Elephant Grass'



150-250h
100-150s

Sep-Oct



sinensis 'Adagio' – pink flowers which turn white, narrow compact silver-grey foliage



100-150h
50-100s

Aug-Oct



– **'China'** – broad leaves with white mid ribs, large red-brown flowers ageing to whitish-brown



100-150h
50-100s

Aug-Oct



– **'Cosmopolitan'** – creamy-white variegation, very broad leaves, erect silver flower plumes



150-200h
100-150s

Aug-Oct



– **'Ferner Osten'** – intense deep red-pink flowers, narrow leaves with white tips and cream midrib, unusual winter colour, strong grower



100-150h
50-100s

Aug-Sep



– **'Flamingo'** – very floriferous, drooping rose flower heads maturing to silver, well balanced erect habit, green leaves with white mid rib turning orange gold in autumn



100-150h
50-100s

Aug-Oct



– **'Gnome'** – dwarf variety, pink plumes, mounds of narrow foliage



50-100h
50-100s

Aug-Oct



– **'Gold Bar' PBR** – dwarf, dense foliage with dramatic yellow bands, burgundy flowers



100-150h
100-150s

Aug-Oct



– **'Gracillimus'** – slender grass with upright narrow foliage curling as they lengthen



100-150h
50-100s

Aug-Oct



– **'Graziella'** – slender grass with upright narrow foliage, pink flowers turning silver, free flowering



150-200h
50-100s

Sep-Oct




Miscanthus 'Hinjo'

Miscanthus 'Malepartus'































Miscanthus 'Rotsilber'

Miscanthus 'Variegatus'

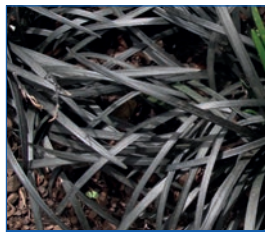
Miscanthus

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per m²

– 'Hinjo' – long leaves curving back to the ground with broad yellow cross bands like M. s. 'Strictus' or 'Zebrinus' but smaller		50-100h 50-100s	Sep- Oct	
– 'Kleine Fontäne' – narrow green leaves with median stripe, cascading flowers red-silver in lax plumes		100-150h 50-100s	Aug- Sep	 
– 'Kleine Silberspinne' – elegant, shorter with narrow leaves, white veined, vivid silvery silky flower heads		100-150h 10-50s	Aug- Oct	 
– 'Malepartus' – dense grower with thick bamboo-like canes, large leaves and stiff upright flowers the colour of old port, good autumn effect		150-250h 100-150s	Aug- Oct	
– 'Morning Light' – thin green leaves margined with creamy-white, narrow arching habit		100-150h 50-100s	Aug- Oct	 
– 'Nippon' – dwarf, thin feathery flowers held at varying heights, stiff upright habit		100-150h 10-50s	Aug- Sep	
– 'Purple Fall' – green foliage with white mid-veins maturing to reddish-purple in Autumn. Pink flowers turn silver.		120h	July- Oct	
– 'Rotsilber' – reddish-coppery leaves, silver-brown flower plumes		100-150h 50-100s	Aug- Sep	
– 'Silberfeder' (Silver Feather) – free flowering, tall with arching silvery plumes		150-250h 100-150s	Aug- Oct	 
– 'Sioux' - red tinged foliage turns rich orange to red in autumn, narrow, nodding, reddish flower heads		50-100h 50-100s	Aug- Oct	
– 'Strictus' – similar to M. s. 'Zebrinus' but more upright, transverse cream bands appear earlier than other varieties, buff, flushed pink flowers, good for winter		150-250h 10-50s	Oct- Nov	 
– 'Variegatus' – green and white variegated leaves		150-250h 100-150s	Aug- Oct	
– 'Yaku-Jima' – narrow foliage, pink-tinged flowers fade to silver-beige. Good autumn colour		120h	Aug- Oct	
– 'Yakushima Dwarf' – pink-brown flower plumes, ageing to silver, short thin foliage		50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Oct	
– 'Zebrinus' – long arching green leaves with large cream bands, erect buff silver flower plumes		100-150h 50-100s	Oct	 
– var. condensatus 'Cabaret' – cream central leaf variegation, bright green edge, broad leaves		150-250h 100-150s	Aug- Sep	


Molinia 'Karl Foerster'
























Molinia 'Moorhexe'

Ophiopogon 'Nigrescens'

Panicum 'Northwind'

Molinia

('Purple Moor Grass')
Tolerate most soils except very chalky and dry. Full sun

 3-5
per m²

caerulea 'Dauerstrahl' - a British native variety, upright stems of dark purple flowers above mounds of green foliage		100h 50s	Aug- Oct	
caerulea subsp. arundinacea 'Karl Foerster' - upright, golden brown arching flower stems		100-150h 50-100	Aug- Oct	
- 'Windspiel' - strong upright stems glowering in shades of honey		150-250h 50-100s	Aug- Oct	 
caerulea subsp caerulea 'Edith Dudsus' - narrow mid green leaves, good colour through winter		10-50h 10-50s	Aug- Sep	 
- 'Heidebraut' - erect, straw coloured flower stems, good for winter effect		100-150h 10-50s	Aug- Sep	
- 'Moorhexe' - shorter form with narrow, very dark grey panicles, greyish-green upright leaves		10-50h 10-50s	Aug- Oct	 
- 'Strahlenquelle' - purple flowers, narrow panicles held high above green foliage		50-100h 50-100s	Aug- Sep	
- 'Transparent' - tall arching purplish plumes of airy flower spikes turn a warm butter yellow in autumn		180-210h	July- Oct	 
- 'Variegata' - forms neat clumps of arching striped leaves, erect flower stems, beautiful		50-100h 10-50s	Aug- Oct	 

Ophiopogon

('Mondo Grass') Dependable evergreen, low ground cover












 5-7
per m²

planiscapus 'Nigrescens' - spikes of insignificant pink flowers, purple-black foliage, black berries, enjoys humus rich soil and partial shade		15-20h 20- 30s	Aug- Sep	 
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Panicum

('Switch Grass or 'Panic Grass')
A charismatic grass! Upright, free-flowering with spectacular autumnal leaves

 3-5
per m²

virgatum 'Dallas Blues' broad leaved blue grass, small purple-pink spikelets are borne in late summer		100-150h 50-100	Aug- Sep	 
- 'Heiliger Hain' - soft pink-beige flowers, blueish green foliage turns a very deep burgundy red in the autumn		50-100h 50-100s	Aug- Sep	
- 'Heavy Metal' delightfully light, purple-grey flowers, broad grey leaves		50-100h 50-100s	Aug- Sep	 
- 'Northwind' blue grey foliage that turns yellowy orange in the autumn		100-150h 50-100s	Aug- Sep	 


Panicum 'Shenandoah'

Pennisetum 'Red Head'














Phalaris picta

Stipa tenuissima

Panicum

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– 'Oxblood Autumn' foliage emerges green and matures to a strong reddish-brown colour in the autumn, red-purple flower plumes emerge just above the foliage		50-70h	Sep-Nov	
– 'Prairie Sky' blue-grey leaves aging to amber brown in the autumn, blue-green spikelets		100-150h 50-100s	Aug-Sep	
– 'Purple Breeze' ^{PBR} - green narrow leaves, maturing to a deep purple-red as the season progresses, spikes of purple green flowers		50-100h 10-50s	Aug-Sep	
– 'Shenandoah' leaves tipped with deep purple in summer turning burgundy - red to purple black		50-100h 50-100s	Aug-Sep	 
– 'Squaw' – strong red autumnal leaves topped by airy panicles in autumn		100-150h 50-100s	Aug-Sep	
– 'Warrior' – bronze flushed autumn leaves, airy panicles		50-100h 50-100s	Aug-Sep	

Pennisetum

(*'Fountain Grass'*) *Pennisetum* is a highly decorative ornamental grass, also known as *Fountain Grass*. The plant will give almost all year-round interest in the garden. It is a low maintenance plant which quickly forms a clump, so is ideal for filling gaps in perennial and shrub borders

3-5
per m²


alopecurioides 'Little Bunny' – creamy bottlebrush flowers atop a compact mound of green foliage		45h	Aug-Oct	
– 'Red Head' - flowers open red fading through purple shades to beige		80-100h	Aug-Sep	 

Phalaris

(*'Reed Canary Grass'* or *'Gardener's Garters'*)

Spectacular but may become invasive. Adaptable to almost any soil or position including wet.



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per m²

arundinacea var. picta – bright white striped leaves, makes dense clump for all but driest soils,	 	50-100h 100-150s	June-July	
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Sporobolus

(*'Prairie grass'*) A graceful, slow growing, durable, long lived and refined prairie grass producing mounds of mid green foliage topped with very graceful airy heads







5-7
per m²

heterolepis – elegant airy flowerheads and fine mid green foliage, provides good autumn colour		80-100h	July-Sep	
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Stipa

(*'Feather Grass'*) Easy in most reasonable soils and sun.

5-7
per m²

gigantea – tall and magnificent, very elegant, bearing ephemeral oat-like yellow plumes		150-250h 50-100s	June-July	 
tenuissima (tenuifolia) - one of the most graceful grasses. Bright green clumps with fluffy plumes, fading to beige. Always moving in the wind. Wonderful planted in drifts		50-100h 10-50s	June-Sep	 



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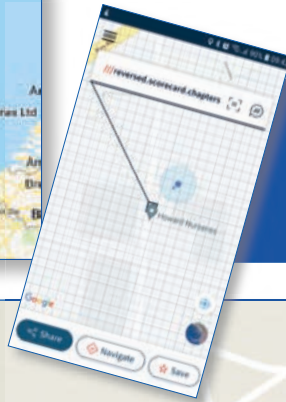
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