

The International *Delphinium* Register Supplement 1999-2000

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The following list contains the delphinium cultivar and cultivar-group names, which have been registered between 1st November 1999 and 31st October 2000. Raisers and introducers of new delphiniums are urged to ensure that the names of all their plants have been registered.

Registration forms can be obtained from the International *Delphinium* Registrar, Royal Horticultural Society's Garden, Wisley, Woking, Surrey GU23 6QB, by emailing delphinium@rhs.org.uk or from the RHS website at:

<https://www.rhs.org.uk/plants/plantsmanship/plant-registration/Delphinium-cultivar-registration>

There is no fee for registration or for the Registration Certificate (when this is requested).

In the list below R = raiser, H = hybridiser, G = person who grew the plant to its first flowering, S = selected by, N = person naming the plant, I = introducer, REG = registrant.

Colour codes such as '101B-C' or '155B' refer to the RHS Colour Chart (1966, reprinted 1986, 1995, 2001, 2007).

'Anne Kenrick' cv. (Un-named seedling × un-named seedling) H (1994), G (1995), N & REG (2000): Woodfield I: Woodfield Bros, 1998. Stems medium (c1.5m). Spikes c1.10m, tapering to apex. Fls semi-double, pale blue, paling at edges and with a very slight suffusion of pale pink in the centre of the flower; eye white; spurs 50mm long; pedicels 110mm long.

'Blue Oasis' cv. (Un-named blue seedling × un-named blue seedling) H (1995) & G (1996): J. Barrington N, I & REG: 1999. Stems short (1.15m). Lvs dark green, very much divided. Spikes 0.58m, tapering to apex. Fls semi-double, 70mm wide, pure bright mid blue, with a medium-sized light brown ("honey coloured") eye; spurs 28mm long; pedicels 60mm long. Bushy growth in spring makes the plant look exactly like a large meadow buttercup (*Ranunculus acris*).

'Gemini' cv. ('Summerfield Miranda' (♀) × 'Capella') H (1996) & G (1997): R. J. Joslyn N, I & REG: 2000. Stems medium (1.8m). Lvs light green, deeply cut. Spikes 0.85m, tapering to apex, with c7 laterals of medium vigour. Fls semi-double, 75mm wide, violet white, edged reddish violet, with a dark eye (with paler edging and greenhairs); spurs 20mm long; pedicels 60mm long.

'Gertrude Sahin' cv. ('Leonora' (♀) × 'Loch Leven') H (1987) & N (2000); D. A. K. McGlashan G: K. Sahin c1989 I & REG: D. A. K. McGlashan & K. Sahin, 2000. Stems tall (1.79 – 1.9m). Lvs dark green. Spikes 91 – 101cm, tapering to apex, with a moderate number of large, strong and long laterals. Fls semi-double, 75 – 95mm wide, strong to light blue (101B-C), with a prominent, large white (155B) eye (occasionally with a single stripe of petal colour); spurs less than 50mm long; pedicels 70 – 80mm long.

'Margaret' cv. ('H. G. Mills' (♀) × 'Cristella') H (1985) & G (1986): D. A. K. McGlashan N, I & REG: 1999. Stems short (1.0 – 1.2m). Lvs dark green. Spikes 0.65m, blunt, with fairly numerous laterals. Fls semi-double, 55 – 60mm wide, vivid purplish blue (99C), with a white

eye which sometimes has a stripe of main colour; spurs 15 – 20mm long; pedicels 40mm long.

‘Sky Lady’ cv. (Un-named seedling × un-named seedling) H (1994) & N (1996): Bartels Breeding B. V. G (1996), I (1996) & REG (1999): Bartels Stek. Stems short (0.8m). Lvs deeply toothed, dark green. Spikes 0.25m, blunt, with c10 laterals. Lvs single, 30 – 40mm wide, very pale purplish blue (106D); eye white, with short yellow hairs; spurs 10mm long; pedicels 15mm long. Belladonna Group.