



Phipps - Orchid Society Initiative

COMPLETE RESULTS OF HISTORICAL CYPRIPEDIUM HYBRIDS AND SPECIES SURVEY

WHAT WAS ASKED OF THE PARTICIPANTS:

This survey consists of two parts. Part I is selected cypripedium hybrids arranged by years. Please identify the 3 hybrids you consider the most important in each period AND write the reason for your choice, using the criteria list provided or adding your own. Part II (species) is on the second tab at the bottom as well as the list of participating

If you would like to select other hybrids that we have overlooked, please write your selection under "other" and indicate your reason.

EXPERT		2001 - 2005					
VOTES	HYBRID	SEED PARENT	POLLEN PARENT	AWARDS	OFFSPRING	PROGEN	REASON
1	Dietrich	calceolus	kentuckiense	0	3	3	showy
	Erika	calceolus	candidum	0	1	1	
1	Gabriela	fasciolatum	kentuckiense	1	0	0	large size
2	Hans Erni	franchetii	calceolus	0	1	1	showy, hardy, good parent
1	Hilda	kentuckiense	ventricosum	1	0	0	size, vigor
1	Kristi Lyn	parviflorum var. pubescens	henryi	0	1	1	color
3	Lothar Pinkepank	parviflorum var. pubescens	kentuckiense	1	9	9	color, vigor, size
1	Pixi	calceolus	tibeticum	3	0	0	easy to grow
6	Sabine	fasciolatum	macranthos	8	10	10	easy to grow, color variation, size, good par
3	Tilman	tibeticum	fasciolatum	0	1	1	large, showy, easy to grow
	Tower Hill	parviflorum var. pubescens	macranthos var. speciosum	0	2	2	
1	Ursel	fasciolatum	henryi	0	1	1	rare coloration
	Uta	fasciolatum	froschii	0	3	3	
3	Victoria	parviflorum var. pubescens	fasciolatum	4	0	0	size, vigor, color, long-lived flowers
	Wladiwo	ventricosum	calceolus	0	1	1	
OTHER:							
1	Sunny						showy
1	Inge	parviflorum	fasciolatum				color, size, adaptability
EXPERT		2006 - 2013					
VOTES	HYBRID	SEED PARENT	POLLEN PARENT	AWARDS	OFFSPRING	PROGEN	REASON
1	Annegret	parviflorum var. makasin	shanxiense	1	1	1	unique color
	Birgit	macranthos	cordigerum	0	1	1	
	Doreen	ventricosum var. virescens	cordigerum	0	1	1	
	GPH Mem. Florence Frail	franchetii	Peter	0	1	1	
3	GPH Tom Velardi	macranthos	Sabine	0	1	1	showy, size, good parent
	Iwahime	macranthos var. speciosum	fasciolatum	0	1	1	
1	Jimmy	fasciolatum	macranthos var. rebunense	0	1	1	
2	Marika	candidum	Aki	0	1	1	beautiful, good parent
2	Mem. Shawna Austin	macranthos var. hotel-atsumorianum	calceolus	0	1	1	beautiful, good parent, vigor, color
1	Monto	macranthos	henryi	3	0	0	size, long-lived flower
1	Peter	speciosum	yunnanense	0	1	2	outstanding flower
	Renate	macranthos	franchetti	0	1	1	unique color
1	Sunshine	flavum	pubescens	0	1	1	rare, showy
OTHER:							
1	Wenqing	farreri	tibeticum				
1	Anna	parviflorum	macranthos v hotel-atsumorianum				color, adaptability

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Part II

WHAT WAS ASKED OF THE PARTICIPANTS:

PLEASE PICK THE 15 SPECIES YOU THINK MOST IMPORTANT, THAT CAN BE GROWN OUTSIDE IN A TEMPERATE CLIMATE, OR INSIDE WARM OR INTERMEDIATE GREENHOUSES, WITH A CHECK MARK.

ADD ANY SPECIES OR VARIETIES YOU THINK ARE IMPORTANT THAT MAY NOT BE LISTED. PLEASE LIST YOUR REASONS.

	REASON			REASON	
EXPERT VOTES			EXPERT VOTES		
7	acaule	PA native, color forms, unique morphology	1	himalaicum	color
1	x alaskanum	native hybrid	1	irapeanum	
5	x andrewsii	native hybrid, color	5	japonicum	geographic distribution, morphology, easy to grow
4	arietinum	unique morphology, geographic distribution	10	kentuckiense	large, showy, robust, color, native, great
	bardolphianum			lentiginosum	
6	calceolus	only native species in Europe, great parent, well-known standard		lichiangense	
3	calcicolum	shape, color, beauty		ludlowii	
4	californicum	unique morphology, geographic distribution	9	macranthos	size, large pouch, color, easy to grow, well-known standard
8	candidum	color, prairie species, native, easy to grow		margaritaceum	
	x catherinae			micranthum	
3	x columbianum	color, native hybrid		molle	
1	cordigerum		4	montanum	coloration, native
	daweishanense			palangshanense	
3	debile	cute, challenging	9	parviflorum	great parent, vigor, well-known standard, native
	dickinsonianum		1	passerinum	attractive
	elegans		2	plectrochilum	small, easy, fast grower
2	fargesii	unique spotted leaves, robust, easy to propagate	10	reginae	showy, great parent, color, well-known standard, hairy leaves, native
1	farreri	rare, cold-resistant, beauty	2	segawai	flower coloration
3	fasciculatum	native	4	shanxiense	multiple flowers, great parent, flower coloration
4	fasciolatum	heat tolerant, robust, big pouch, showy	2	sichuanense	unique colors
4	flavum	special type, hairy leaves, easy to grow	4	subtropicum	size, heat tolerant, geographical distribution, morphology
8	formosanum	vigor, easy to grow, fan-shaped leaves		taibaiense	
	forrestii		7	tibeticum	showy, easy, well-known standard, many variations, color, size
3	franchetii	easy to grow, color	3	x ventricosum	easy to grow
	froschii		1	wardii	showy, rare miniature, potential offspring
5	guttatum	distribution, color, native		x wenqingiae	
5	henryi	multi-floral, easy to grow		wumengense	
1	x herae	native	4	yatabeanum	native, rare, unique colors
				yunnanense	
OTHER:					
3	pubescens	well-known standard, native, easy to grow			
1	x favillianum	native hybrid			
1	makasin	fragrant			
1	plainapetalum	rare			
1	smithi	easy to grow			

NAMES OF EXPERTS WHOSE RESULTS ARE TABULATED:

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As in all orchid genera, taxonomists do not always agree on names for species, synonyms, varieties and natural hybrids, and that is certainly true with cypripedium names. Furthermore, commercial growers make their own lists and catalogues and may use their own terminology.